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Day of Pentecost
June 5, 2022

GREETINGS! We want to welcome everyone who is joining us for this service of worship – whether you are worshiping in-person, or joining us live on-line. We are committed to in-person services while following all Covid-related mandates and guidelines. We are also committed to continuing our Live-Stream and our recorded worship opportunities for later viewing. Let us know what we can do to improve your worship experience.

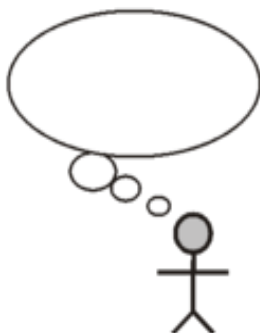
Our Thanks to this week's Worship Leaders:

- Worship Leader: **Pastor Wellesley Ferguson**
- Music Director: **Dylan Sauerwald**
- Lector: **Jeremi Amagsila**
- Greeter: **Richard Simpson**
- Video Editor & Tech Advisor: **Andrew Kay**

Office Hours :

The Office will be open on **Mondays, Tuesdays** and **Thursdays from (9am-1pm)** and working remotely from home on Wednesdays and Fridays, monitoring phone calls and emails

Seeds for Thought:



Today is Pentecost. Our New Testament lesson in Acts 2:1-41 tells us that while the apostles were all gathered together in one place, the Holy Spirit rushed through the room like a mighty wind and tongues of flame appeared on their heads.

Sometimes this day is referred to as the birthday of the church. Red vestments, banners and decorations are often used on this festival day, representing the tongues of fire that represented the Holy Spirit. Pentecost Sunday is a day to celebrate the breath and fire of the Spirit that lives and moves among God's people. The Spirit gives

the church its mission and the power to undertake it.

May the Spirit truly be present in our worship, in our church and in our lives today.

Upcoming Events and Opportunities

TODAY: Guest Speaker Pastor Wellesley Ferguson

10am Worship (In-person & Live-streamed)
10am Sunday School Classes
11:15am Coffee & Reception

Tuesday, June 07

7pm Outreach Committee Meeting

Wednesday, June 08

10am Sunrisers Prayer Group

Friday, June 10

8pm Youth Group

Saturday, June 11

10am Trash to Treasure

Sunday, June 05

10am Worship (In-person & Live-streamed)
Guest Speaker: Pastor Blaire Couch
10am Sunday School Classes
11:15am Coffee & Reception

Welcome

We would like extend a warm welcome to Pastor Wellesley Ferguson and thank him for being with us on this lovely Sunday.

Outreach Committee Meeting

There will be a meeting of the Outreach Committee on Tuesday, June 7 at 7:00 p.m. in the Conference Center. All who would like to participate are welcome.

Sunriser's Prayer Group

The Sunriser's Prayer Group will be meeting June 08 at 10am in the conference area. If you have any prayer concerns or want to join the group, contact Marla DiForte!

Community Garden

The planting season is just beginning. You can purchase your own plot or you can just come out to "weed and water" to help grow vegetables for the Project Hospitality Food Pantry and Soup Kitchen. The Garden is located behind the Castleton Hill parsonage on Victory Blvd. For information about Volunteering and upcoming work days, please contact the Castleton Hill Church Office at (718) 442-5215.

Trash to Treasure

Trash to Treasure will be held this Saturday June 11th from 10am until 2pm in the Church basement.

For your prayers this week:

- For John Gaw, a speedy recovery
- For Pat Isola and her health
- For Alison Griggs, her continued recovery and her family
- For Jackie, her continued healing
- For Jackie Passburg's continued path of healing
- For Ed Krogstad and his health
- For the **Joint Boards of New Dorp and Great Kills** as they continue the Call process for a new pastor.

**If you have a prayer request please contact the church office.*

The Mission of the New Dorp Moravian Church is:
To **Grow** in Christ, to **Know** His love, to **Follow** His Footsteps.

CONGREGATION WATCHWORD for 2022

“ God has destined us not for wrath but for obtaining salvation through our Lord Jesus Christ.”

1 Thessalonians 5:9

The Moravian Church is a Protestant church. Moravians are Trinitarian (God as Father, Son and Holy Spirit), are Christ-centered (affirming the Lordship of Jesus Christ by His life, death and resurrection) and affirm the Old and New Testaments as sacred scripture. Moravians affirm and value the ancient Creeds (e.g. The Apostle’s Creed) but believe that equally important is how we live in relationship with God and others. Moravians have emphasized the sacredness of living our faith rather than just reciting it or preaching it.

If you would like to know more about what a “Moravian” is, are looking for a new church home, or just want to talk with someone about a concern or your faith, Emma would be glad to direct you to a Moravian Pastor, due to our New Dorp Pastor retiring. She can be reached by phone or email to arrange a time with a sister church.

To contact Emma, you may call or email her at:

Office Phone: (718) 351-0090. Email: Office@newdorpmoravian.org

If you have an idea, a suggestion, a concern, or are interest in serving on a committee, please speak with one of the Board members.

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