



First Reformed Church

of Little Falls

**The
Tidings**
March
2023

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***A Christ-Centered, Open and Affirming Church
for All People!***

Fellowship Comm.: *Martha Jost, *Erin Wilks, Wendy McNeill, Sarah Jost. **Education Comm.:**

*Carol Johnson, Christine Westra, Rebecca Jost. **Worship and Music Comm.:** *Pastor Emily and Matt Youngberg, John Post.

Property Comm.: *Craig Johnson, Roger McNeill, Joan Whitehead, Karen Challice.

Mission/Outreach Comm.: *Joan Whitehead, *Lois Van Houten, Wendy McNeill, Bill Van Houten, Pat Wellema. **Finance:** Martha Jost, Wendy McNeill, Erin Wilks, Karen Challice.

**We are praying for those
who are in need of God's
special care:** Anna May Walter,
Kaylie Ernst, Angela Droescher,
Brendan Ernst, Jacob Abdi,
Dominic Capello, Tyson Ratering,
Rebecca Alemy, Barb, the people of
Ukraine and Iran, of Turkey and
Syria.

March Calendar of Events

5-10:00 am Worship w/Lord's Supper

6-7:00 pm "Unoffendable" Bible Study
(Zoom)

12-10:00 am Worship

Time Capsule Coffee Hour after worship

13-2-8:00 pm Vitalant Blood Drive

6:30 pm Elders' Meeting

7:00 pm Consistory Meeting

19-10:00 am Worship

20-7:00 pm "Unoffendable" Bible Study
(Zoom)

25-10:00 am Heaven's Harvest Food distrib.

26-10:00 am Worship

29-6:30 pm Easter Garden-making

March Celebrations

1-Tim Westra birthday

4-Aisling McEvoy birthday

7-Martha Jost birthday

10-Colby Lincoln birthday

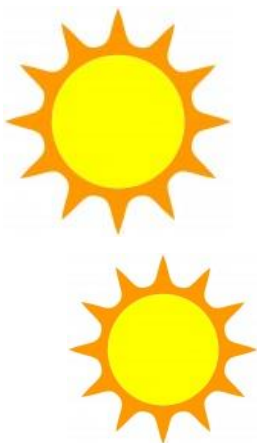
12-Helena Semeraro birthday

13-Nicole Edzenga birthday

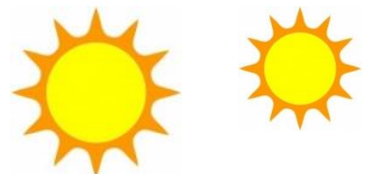
18-Catherine Wolverton birthday

25-Mike Hrehovcik birthday

30-Joan Whitehead birthday



A beautiful baby shower for Erin and Gary Wilks
as they await their third child!





At left, Martha and Sarah Jost, along with Willa Youngberg, decorate beautiful cupcakes at the new Mo & Jay Pastry location downtown! They were instructed by Food Network Spring Baking Champion Jaleesa!



Above, the kids of the Discipleship Class assist in sorting and shelving a large donation that came in for Heaven's Harvest Food Pantry from Passaic Valley High School! Wow!



At left, Anthony Sgobba and John Veteri consider which piece of local brownstone will come to us to mark our church's 200th Anniversary!



The Pancakes with a Purpose all-you-can-eat pancake supper was a total success! Thank you to all who helped, and to those who come to eat! Thanks especially to Cheffie O'Keeffe!

Bryan and Keegan Avino are received as members, and McCartney and Parker are baptized!





At right, Colby, Evelyn, and Cora help Mrs. Johnson gather items that have been collected for the local effort for relief in Turkey and Syria following the terrible earthquakes. Thank you to all who contributed to this effort.



Blood Drive in the Fellowship Hall!
Monday, March 13th,
2-8:00 pm.
Call Vitalant to make an appointment!
1-877-258-4825

Easter Gardens! We'll make these fun and meaningful 3-D art pieces on Wednesday, March 29th, 6:30-7:30 pm! Sign up so we know you're coming!