

## North Haven Congregational Church, UCC

# The Window

February 2022



#### Gifts and Abilities



The 12th chapter of Paul's first letter to the Corinthians offers an inspirational challenge to that congregation, and to ours. The first section talks about spiritual gifts. Paul points out that "there are varieties of gifts, but the same Spirit; and there are varieties of services, but the same Lord; and there are varieties of activities, but it is the same God who activates all of them in everyone." (v.4-6) God is the giver, the coordinator, the leader. Paul notes that everyone is gifted by God. "To each is given the manifestation of the Spirit for the common good." (v.7) Paul describes the blessing, the wealth of resources of the congregation in the gifts with which God has endowed each member. Paul offers a list of gifts, mentioning wisdom and knowledge, faith and healing power and prophecy. We might add some of the gifts we observe and cherish among the congregation: singing, painting, cooking, storytelling, setting up and fixing computers, building websites, listening, reading the Bible in worship, and visiting. All of these gifts are empowered by God, and can be put to work to serve God.

The second part of chapter 12 talks about the diversity of abilities among the congregation. Paul begins by emphasizing that all are welcome and all belong. "For just as the body is one and has many members, and all the members of the body, though many, are one body, so it is with Christ. For in the one Spirit we were all baptized into one body—Jews or Greeks, slaves or free—and we were all made to drink of one Spirit." (v. 12-13) Paul explains that the congregation has many diverse members just as our bodies have different members, or parts. Just as our bodies need hands and feet, a nose and ears, so the congregation needs the abilities of all the members. Paul notes that among the congregation there may be apostles, prophets, and teachers, healers and helpers and leaders. Paul insists "Now you are the body of Christ and individually members of it." (v. 27) We are all, each one of us, part of the body of Christ.

This teaching commands our broad and enthusiastic welcome – encouraging all who would join in the mission of the church – and noticing and empowering their gifts. This teaching also calls us to prayerful reflection about our own spiritual gifts and how they might serve God through the ministry of the Church. These are essential spiritual tasks as we prepare to come back together as congregation and a church.

Peace, Scott Morrow



#### The Window



The Season of Generosity Mission Team thanks the following members and friends who have pledged their support to the mission of NHCC for 2022 by completing a pledge card.

Join us as we thank God with glad and generous hearts.

Meg Adams Elizabeth Anderson Rich & Sue Baldino Larry Ballantyne Joyce Bellonio Patience & Martin Benassi Jim & Joan Bennett Mark Bessette Cynthia oerma Campos Cheryl Bogert Priscilla Bradford Lorraine Burdge Elaine Burr Mark & Martha Butterworth Sandy Carter Ed & Mary Ellen Collett Susan Compton Kim Coughlin George & Flo Coulston AnnMarie & Gary Czajkowski

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Susan Compton
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AnnMarie & Gary Czajkowski
Eric & Elizabeth Dean
Carmen & Melissa DeLuca
Paula Diehl
Leslie & Jim Dockendorff
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Cathy Welch

as of 1-20-22

## Generosity—liberally giving

You heard that word often at NHCC from October to December. That is the time of the year members are asked to make a financial commitment to support the needs of our community. Ninety-five pledging units responded with pledges totaling \$207,000. Let us celebrate that generosity. Our generosity goes beyond this one-time request. Throughout the year, we are asked to support special offerings that highlight our outreach to the local community and the world.

Here is a list of how those special offerings are used so we all can celebrate.

- Columbus House (Abraham's Tent) \$1,720
- Covenant to Care (Easter, Christmas, Backpacks) \$3,900
- Clothing Mission Team \$ 325
- Habitat for Humanity (Sleeping Giant Build) \$ 1000
- United Church of Christ Offerings
  - Neighbors in Need (homeless, immigrants,Justice, Indian ministries)\$ 570
  - One Great Hour of Sharing (disaster relief, sustainable development)\$ 965
  - o Lilies (Easter flowers overage to OGHS)
  - \$ 778 o Christmas Fund (retired clergy and lay workers)
  - \$1,400
- Food Closet (also from North Haven Community) \$39,000

In addition, several church and community families donated so families that use the Food Pantry could buy Christmas gifts for their children.

Giving isn't about giving the biggest offering. By giving what we can and combining it with the giving of others, people in need can feel the tangible impact of our love for God and for one another.

"Each one must do as he has made up his mind, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver." 2 Corinthians 9:7

Celebrate our cheerful giving!

Beth Anderson , Joan Bennett, Priscilla Bradford, Cheryl Bogert, Mabel Peterson, Generosity Team

### **Angels and Butterflies, by Nancy Mahoney**

Last week, I made a snow angel. I can't remember the last time I made one. As a child or when Kristen and Erin were growing up, I made them often. Did we have more snow then? It sure seems that way. Being out in the crisp air was invigorating. Looking up at the beautiful blue sky was serene. God provides amazing things for us to experience. We have so much to be grateful for.

When I think about family and friends watching over me, I especially think about Grandma Fowler. She is one of my special angels. My sister and I often spent Saturday night at Grandma and Grandpa Fowler's house. My parents would pick us up the next morning and drive us all to church. Grandpa was legally blind by then and Grandma never learned to drive. We belonged to Mt. Carmel Congregational Church.

One Sunday, Grandma announced she was not going to church. When I asked her why, she replied that her hair didn't look right. I told her that God didn't care what her hair looked like. Guess who decided to go church after all!

As a child, I am ashamed to admit, I would bite my nails. Grandma tried all sorts of things to get me to stop. She bought me gelatin to strengthen my nails, a blue scarf and 2 small butterfly pins. I don't remember if anything persuaded me to stop or I just stopped on my own.

Grandma had a special bond with Kristen also. They would often play "school" together. Kristen was the teacher and Gram was the student. Years later, when Kristen was to be married, I prayed that Sept. 24th would be a beautiful day. The week leading up to the wedding, I began seeing butterflies. A butterfly flew by the kitchen window and I saw one on the playground at school. One afternoon, I stopped by my parents. Mom wanted to give Kristen something that belonged to her. She showed me 2 platters. One had butterflies! Grandma Fowler was telling me not to worry. She had this covered! Kristen and Brian were married on a beautiful, warm, autumn day. The day after the wedding, Ken and I drove to the cemetery. I wanted to place flowers on my grandparents' headstone. A butterfly flew by the car window on our way there.

I know for certain my Grandma sent the butterflies. It was her way of telling me she was watching over us along with my other grandparents. As you can imagine, I think of her when I see a butterfly. What angels watch over you? Do they send you signs like my grandma does? I hope so. I hope you find comfort in knowing you have special angels too.

## **Ministry Coordinator for Children**



## Church School Calendar (ONLY when In-Person worship resumes; TBD)

**Feb. 6 -** Communion Sunday; children begin in their classrooms then go to worship for Communion

**Feb. 13 -** children begin in worship then go to Church School

**Feb. 20 -** children begin in worship then go to Church school

**Feb. 27 -** children begin in worship then go to Church school

## Church School Calendar (Online Worship only schedule)

Feb. 13 - ZOOM Church School

11:00 - 11:30 Grades 3 - 5 (Steve and Karlee)

11:45 - 12:15 PreK - Grade 2 (Sue and Karlee)

1:00 - 1:30 Grades 6-7 (Karlee)

Feb. 27 - ZOOM Church School

11:00 - 11:30 PreK-Grade 2 (Steve and Karlee)

11:45 - 12:15 Grades 3 - 5 (Sue and Karlee)

1:00 - 1:30 Grades 6-7 (Karlee)

As of January 2, in response to the ongoing increase of the Covid Omicron variant, NHCC suspended inperson worship and moved to Live-Streaming only. Inperson Church School was also suspended until further notice. Yet, in an effort to maintain some continuity for the children, both Steve Simonson and Sue Baldino have agreed to co-host Zoom Church school with Karlee Etter on the days and times as noted above. Some families have informed Karlee that their children will not be participating in Church School Zoom but will return to NHCC once in-person worship has resumed. We hope by mid-February, we can all return

to in-person worship and/or Church school. Should inperson worship and church school remain suspended through March, families will be updated and the current Zoom schedule will remain in effect.

Zoom Church school lessons each week focus on the UCC Common Lectionary and include scripture and/or a Bible story, an activity related to or from the Children's accompanying leaflets for each lesson, discussion and/or fun video to reinforce the day's theme.

#### **Mark Your Calendars**

March 2 - Ash Wednesday April 17 - Easter Sunday Blessings, Karlee Etter

## Church Family News



**Birthdays** Sophie Grant 02/04, Walter Kaercher 02/06, Emma Alden 02/08, David Gould 02/09, Tom Glynn 02/09, Daniel Mickolyzck 02/10, Hunter Conley 02/11, Mattison

Mondene 02/11, Joshua Peiffer 02/13, Richard Gherlone 02/14, Joy Gillen 02/14, Shayna DeLuca 02/14, Jim Bennett 02/16, Aidan Nottingham 02/17, Virginia Gould 02/17, Victoria Hummel 02/19, Laura Miller 02/20, Kathleen Mickolyzck 02/21, Jesse Morrow 02/22, Amy Morrow 02/22, Sean Carter 02/22, Eben Stewart 02/23, Florence Klemenz 02/24, Doris Vigliotto 02/27, Mark Butterworth 02/28.

**Anniversaries**: Linda & Willliam Tosetti 02/14.



## OASIS Youth Group Is Meeting on ZOOM!

The OASIS Multi-church Youth Group has returned to ZOOM meetings for the time being due to the COVID surge.

The Youth Ministry Coordinator is Emily McKenna (youth@SpringGlenChurch.org) Please watch your email for program announcements! If you would like more information contact Scott Morrow.

#### **TIDEPOOL**

Middle School Youth TIDEPOOL will generally meet concurrently with OASIS on Sundays 4-6pm. This group has also returned to ZOOM meetings for the time being due to the COVID surge. Some activities will be shared, and some will be for Tidepool alone. The Coordinator for Tidepool is Tori Crook (You should receive emails directly from Tori – tori.crook@yale.edu)

### **In-Person Worship Update**

In-Person Worship remains suspended in response to the high level COVID+ cases, hospitalizations, and positivity-rate of testing. Online Worship is still continuing each Sunday morning. Most recently, the number of hospitalizations and cases has begun to decline, though the number of deaths has increased slightly. The ReOpening Team will review the CT COVID information to determine when the rate of COVID cases and hospitalizations indicate the possibility of resuming In-Person Worship. Any decision to resume In-Person Worship will be shared promptly with church leadership and the congregation.

## **Gary Snowbeck to Retire**

Gary Snowbeck, Church Organist, has announced he will retire at the end of June 2022. Gary will stay through the remainder of the academic year, and his final Sunday will be June 26. He will complete 11 years as Organist at NHCC in June, and Gary served previously as Organist and Choir Director. Gary's music is soothing and uplifting, setting the tone for our worship with great sensitivity. His tremendous talent and great dedication have served our congregation very generously. His willingness and flexibility in recording music at home for use in livestream broadcast during the pandemic shutdown has been a remarkable contribution to our worship.

Gary writes "It has been a privilege to serve the people of the North Haven Congregational Church these many years. May God bless all of you and guide you in your search for a new organist."

The Ministry Leadership Board and the Music Mission Team will work to form a search committee and begin the search process for a successor. We look forward to a celebration of Gary's service in the spring.

## **Mission Team News**

#### **Music Mission Team:**

As part of my work reviewing the year of 2021 from the standpoint of music, I uploaded and archived some of North Haven Congregational Church's musical accomplishments. Below you'll find the list that was compiled for the annual report. You can feel safe writing in the words "TinyURL.com...." as it is a link shortening service that leads to our YouTube or Soundcloud pages. Enjoy!

## **NHCC Chancel Choir**

Speak, O Lord - Virtual Choir -

YouTube: <u>TinyURL.com/NHCC2021</u>

Praise The Lord - YouTube

Recording: <u>TinyURL.com/PraiseNHCC</u>

Jesu, Joy of Our Desiring - Youtube Recording: TinyURL.com/JesuJoyNHCC

As We Gather At Your Table - Soundcloud: TinyURL.com/AsWeGatherNHCC

Down To The River And Pray - Soundcloud: <u>TinyURL.com/PrayNHCC2021</u>

Healing River -YouTube

Recording: TinyURL.com/PinkSundayNHCC

Christmas Anthems 2021:

Night of Silence: <u>TinyURL.com/NHCCChristmas-1</u> O Holy Night: <u>TinyURL.com/NHCCChristmas-2</u>

#### NHCC Children's Choir

With assistance from Karlee Etter and her after service Sunday Zoom Sessions with the kids,

Spring 2021 (and Gary Snowbeck, organ): Spirit of Gentleness - Audio version - Soundcloud: <u>TinyURL.com/SpiritNHCC</u>

Fall 2021:

Seek Ye First - Audio version - Soundcloud: TinyURL.com/SeekYeFirstNHCC

Christmas Pageant Winter 2021: "Rise Up Shepherd and Follow" <u>TinyURL.com/RiseUpShepherd</u> Last but certainly not least, Gabriella DeLuca sang a solo on Christmas Eve and she was prepared to do it both in-person and "remotely" in case the extreme omicron spike prevented us from having in-person worship. I have decided to include both videos in one link which can be found here:

TinyURL.com/NHCCGabriella

Great singing, Gabriella! Thank you!

It brought me joy to make this list and compile some of our great work from the year of 2021.

I hope some of that musical joy makes its way to our church members and friends far and wide!

Jeff Hutchins

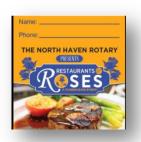


## Weekly Bible Study on Tuesday – Join Us!

Come to a weekly Bible Study ZOOM on **Tuesday evenings at 6pm**. We meet for an hour for study and prayer through ZOOM! Come visit a ZOOM Bible Study and see what happens. Tell Scott or Julie you're interested and we'll put you on the email list for weekly updates and readings!

## Support NORTH HAVEN ROTARY

The North Haven Rotary Club announces their Restaurants and Roses Raffle Fundraiser. Raffle tickets are \$20. The Grand Prize is 30 \$100 restaurant gift certificates.



Second prize is 30 \$50 restaurant gift certificates. Third through tenth prize is a \$100 gift certificate to a participating restaurant of your choice. Purchase raffle tickets online through February 12<sup>th</sup> at <a href="nhrotary.org">nhrotary.org</a> or call 203-606-5127 for more information. The Rotary Club of North Haven is a very generous supporter of the Food Pantry, and the North Haven public schools and the wider community.



#### It's time for the Chili Bowl!

Sleeping Giant Build, our local Habitat for Humanity Volunteer organization, will hold its 9th Annual Chili Bowl on Saturday, Feb. 12. The Chili Bowl will be held on ZOOM from 6:30-8:30pm. You have a choice between a chili-cooking class or music from 6:30-7pm. From 7-8pm there will be a virtual game show with team trivia. Chili Bowl winners will be announced between 8 and 8:30, with an update on the Silent Auction. Chili will be prepared and donated by Archie Moore's. Bear's Smokehouse, Colony Diner, Señor Pancho's, and USS Chowder Pot III. Admission comes at 2 levels: the Chili Bowl Package, \$35 per person, includes your choice of meat ( 4 4oz chili samples) or vegetarian chili

(2 8oz chili samples), bread and dessert (extra meat or vegetarian chili samplers for \$10 with purchase of one or more Chili Bowl Packages) as well as access to all the entertainment; or the Entertainment Package, \$20 per person. A Zoom link will be emailed to all ticket holders before the event. Chili packages can be picked up at Spring Glen Church from 3-4:30pm Sat. Feb. 12. Tickets and more information available at https://www.sleepinggiantbuild.org/chilibowl. There is also an Online Silent Auction, beginning Friday 2/11 at 9am and ending Sunday, 1/13 at 9pm. Check out the auction at 32auctions.com/chili22. For more information go to sleepinggiantbuild.org/chili21, or talk to Scott Morrow!

**Scout Sunday in February** – We will observe celebrate the Scouting program for boys and girls on **Sunday, February 13**, during our online worship service.

## Super Saturday will be March 19! On

Saturday, March 19, lay leaders and clergy are encouraged to gather online for worship, wonderful workshops, and networking. This event is sponsored by the Southern New England Conference of the United Church of Christ. The keynote speaker is the Rev. Sarah Drummond, founding Dean of Andover Newton Seminary at Yale Divinity School. Stay tuned for more information about workshops and registration!

### **Pierpont News:**

Please continue saving the date of February 26, 2022. We are still hoping to "host" a Pierpont Concert featuring the Jazz and Vocal ensembles of North Haven High School. This concert is traditionally very well attended by community members and provides additional funding for our North Haven musicians to make their musical tours and competitions. We are working on what form the concert will take (maybe virtual) so please save the date and stay tuned!

**Storm Closings:** If church programs or activities should need to be cancelled due to bad weather, this information will be broadcast on WTNH TV channel 8 and WFSB TV channel 3. It will also be listed on our website (www.northhavenucc.org), and on our outgoing telephone message.

It is church policy that afternoon and evening activities for youth are cancelled if school is cancelled or there is an early dismissal.

## 2022 Summer at Silver Lake Conferences Registration opened January 15!!

Silver Lake Conference Center is a beautiful and exciting place in Sharon, CT. The summer camp offers 2-week-long conferences from June 26 – August 13 for youth in grades 5-12. Enjoy games, swimming, crafts, a ropes adventures course, delicious meals, and

singing around the campfire. Silver Lake will have a new Day Camp this year, June 27-July 1. Watch for the 2022 Camp Brochure in your mail in January! Find a link to the brochure, to the video of the Parents Information Session, and more information at <a href="https://www.silverlakect.org/summercamp">www.silverlakect.org/summercamp</a>. For more information, go to the website – <a href="https://www.silverlakect.org">www.silverlakect.org</a>, or talk with Karlee Etter or Scott Morrow.

## **New Phone System at the SNE Conference**

The Southern New England Conference of the UCC has replaced their landline phone systems in Hartford and Framingham MA with a new Voice Over Internet system which allows the geographically dispersed staff to have direct phone lines provided by the Conference. The new main number for the Conference is **866-367-2822**. Calling this number will access a menu of choices that will lead callers through the different teams and help them find the person who can offer the best assistance.

While some conference staff have retained the business phone numbers they previously set up, many staff have new phone numbers. **Rev. Mike Ciba**, our Area Conference Minister has a new number: **860-761-7198.** Other new phone numbers can be found on the Conference website through the <u>Alphabetical Phone List</u>. Please note that the number for Silver Lake Conference Center will remain the same: 860-364-5526.

The Conference also has a new texting service. Anyone wishing to receive occasional updates from the Conference via text can text the word GROW to 855-840-1952.

#### Save The Date!!

Saturday, Feb 26 – Pierpont Concert: NHHS Jazz and Vocal Ensembles (Tentative)

Saturday, Mar 19 – Super Saturday 9-3:30 (zoom) Maple Sugaring Family Day - Silver Lake 10a-4p cost \$40-50

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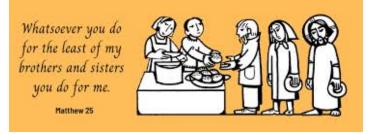
Saturday, Apr 23 – Installation of Conf Executive Minister Darrell Goodwin 1pm

Saturday, Jun. 18 – Annual Meeting of the SNE Conference at Bryant University, RI

## Women's Fellowship

Women's Fellowship has not met in nearly 2 years, yet our outreach mission continues. Recently Lorraine Burdge turned 95! A request was made to send birthday cards to Lorraine, and many people did indeed answer the request. I'm sure it made Lorraine's birthday special!

During these trying times of Covid, there are many needs of others that should still be met. Women's Fellowship is once again holding "Diaper Bags for Babies." Every month, every week, every day, newborn babies and infants are placed in foster care. In most cases, these babies are either discharged from the hospital or taken from homes with only the clothes they are wearing. The foster parents are rarely given enough time to prepare for the babies' care. Our goal is to help these babies arrive at their temporary homes with some items to help them as well as their blessed foster parents. We want to help these babies start their new journey in life with dignity and love.



"What you do for the least of my brothers or sisters, you do for me" Matthew 25:40

We are hoping to collect the following items:

Diaper bags

Disposable diapers: newborn – 24 months Onesies (one-piece garment): newborn – 24 months Sleepers: newborn – 24 months

Socks

Hats (winter)

**Sweaters** 

No-tear shampoo

Baby wash

Nasal extractor

Baby wipes

Diaper rash ointment

Baby lotion

Any baby items donated will be greatly appreciated.

We are also accepting monetary donations and WF will do the shopping for you! Please make checks payable to Women's Fellowship.

Lynne Nielsen's daughter Karen is the DCF Social Worker overseeing the delivery of these much-needed diaper bags and is greatly appreciative of the efforts to help these innocent and deserving babies. Most of these babies placed in foster homes are because of drug-addicted mothers giving birth. In other cases, it is because of abuse or neglect, and it is for the child's safety and well-being. These diaper bags are so important to giving these babies a new start in life. Please help if you can. There will be a box in the entryway (elevator) for the diaper bags and other donated items.

The "Diaper Bag for Babies" will run from February 1 to February 28. Please help these innocent children of God to have a new beginning!

Thank you for caring and helping!

## Men's Fellowship

February Men's Fellowship Meetings: The Men's Fellowship will meet by Zoom on February 5<sup>th</sup> (8:00am) and February 19<sup>th</sup> (8:00am).

#### **PRAYER REQUESTS**

In this month's *Window* we continue to list the names of persons for whom we pray in our worship each Sunday. Please add these special people to your prayers at home. Watch the *Window* each month for changes in this list.

In Our Prayers This Month are: Linda Shannon, Betsy Gumbart, Marcia Foulds, Martha Swarney, Marlene Bellonio, Lorraine Burdge, Shirley Ryan, Kerry Stewart, Joyce Bellonio, the life of Joe Eckner, and the life of Cindy Oneto.

#### **PASTORAL VISITS**

Pastoral visitation in hospitals, at nursing and rehab centers, and at assisted living communities is possible now, with restrictions due to COVID19 precautions. Telephone or video visits may be possible if preferred Please call the church office and let us know of your hospitalization. Privacy guidelines now make it difficult for the pastor and other non-family members to confirm your presence in the hospital.

## **HOMEBOUND MEMBERS**

We are livestreaming our worship services on Sunday mornings. We continue to celebrate Communion on the first Sunday of the month, encouraging those at home to participate with their own bread and juice.

If you are unable watch the Church service online, we will be happy to celebrate this Sacrament with you either in person or over the telephone. Please call the church office at 203-239-5691 to make an appointment that would be convenient for you.

## Letter from Lorraine Burdge:



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## **CARDS & LETTERS**

Below are some of our church members who are not always able to be present for worship on Sunday mornings. We keep in touch with them through visitation such as home Communion and gifts of holiday flowers. We invite you to send them a card and include them in your prayers.



Marlene Bellonio
West Haven Center For Nursing &
Rehab
310 Terrace Ave, 125D
West Haven CT 06516

**Lorraine Morehouse** 65 Masonic Ave. Apt. 206 Wallingford, CT 06492

Lorraine Burdge The Hearth At Gardenside 173 Alps Road, Apt. 219 Branford CT 06405



**Gloria Santamauro** 67 Sackett Point Rd, #401 North Haven, CT 06473



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**Ellen Robert** 520 Pool Rd. Apt. 101 North Haven, CT 06473



**Bob & Barbara Scheidecker** 59 Grove Road North Haven, CT 06473

**Betsy Gumbart** 150 Cook Hill Rd. Unit 7311 Cheshire, CT 06410



Linda Shannon 165 Clintonville Rd, #214, North Haven, CT 06473



Ellie Harple 176 Pool Road North Haven, CT 06473



**Audrey Tilley** 1211 Ashlar Village Wallingford, CT 06492

**Betty Martin** 22 Canterbury Rd. Hamden CT 06514



**Jeff Whipple** 5124 Avalone Haven Drive North Haven, CT 06473



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					10:00 Food Pantry Open	9:30 am Music Together (CH)
		6:00 BIBLE STUDY (Zoom)	10:00 Food Pantry Open	7:00 Chancel Choir (Zoom)		10:30 am Music Together (CH)
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4:00pm OASSIS & Tidepool (SGC)		6:00 BIBLE STUDY (Zoom)		7:00 Chancel Choir (Zoom)		
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February 16, 2022

#### **LECTIONARY READINGS**

### February 6th (Fifth Sunday after Epiphany)

Isaiah 6:1-8, (9-13) Psalm 138 1 Corinthian 15:1-11 Luke 5:1-11

## February 13th (Sixth Sunday after Epiphany)

Jeremiah 17:5-10 Psalm 1

1 Corinthian 15:12-20 Luke 6:17-26

## February 20<sup>th</sup> (Seventh Sunday after Epiphany)

Genesis 45:3-11, 15 Psalm 37:1-11, 39-40

1 Corinthian 15:35-38, 42-50 Luke 6:27-38

## **February 27<sup>th</sup> (Transfiguration)**

Exodus 34:29-35 Psalm 99

2 Corinthian 3:12-4:2 Luke 9:28-36, (37-43a)

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