

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
United Church of Christ
February 4, 2024

The Season of Epiphany
Boy Scout Recognition Sunday
221st Annual Meeting

Welcome and Call to Order of the 221st Annual Meeting

Announcements and Opening Prayer

Prelude

Lighting the Christ Candle

*Hymn #314 “Community of Christ”

New Century Hymnal

Gathering – Feedback on Prayer Walks

Anthem

Scripture Reading Mark 1:29-39

Sermon: Expanding the Table

*Hymn#330 “Let Us Break Bread Together”

New Century Hymnal

We Lift Up Our Joys and Concerns

The Lord’s Prayer *(See back of bulletin for words)*

Communion

Stewardship Moment

*Doxology *(See back of bulletin for words)*

Prayer of Thanksgiving

*Hymn #539 “Won’t You let Me Be Your Servant?”

New Century Hymnal

Blessing

Those who are able may stand where marked ().*

Thank you to Lars Nielson, Deacon

Calendar:

Wednesday, February 7: Choir rehearsal – Ladies Parlor – 6:00pm

Thursday, February 8: Finance Mtng. – Classroom – 1:00 pm

Pam will be out of the office tomorrow.

Peter will be away from Wednesday, February 7 to Saturday, February 17th

Our Covenant

We covenant with the Lord, and with one another, to walk together as followers of Jesus Christ. We purpose to devote ourselves to the study, the practice, and the spread of Christianity. We will endeavor to be loyal to this fellowship; to help one another in the Christian life; according to our ability and opportunity to support the work and attend the meetings of this Church; and in every way to strive to make it a power in the service of God and all people.

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory for ever. Amen

Praise God from whom all blessings flow. Praise Him, all creatures here below.

Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host. Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

February Prayer Requests

Barbara Holland	Linda and Bob Warden	Virginia Hyatt
Roberta Lavoie	David Sykes	Bill Mellekas
Christina Waddell	Chrystalyn Molnar	Michelle Seekamp
Polly Ehrman	Jennifer Hines	Rolla Gerlack
Jason Plummer	Jeb Kenison	Tim Christ
Tina Peabody	Donna Moulin	Karen Proulx
Mike Matz		

After 4 weeks names will be removed unless requested to continue.

Please contact Elaine Pollak, Caring Tree chair, at (802) 633-3669 or laneylou@gmail.com

Online giving: <https://secure.myvanco.com/L-YR4H/home>

Thank you for joining us for worship today!

It is our sincere hope that all who gather in this place will know and experience the love, forgiveness, hope, and new life available through Jesus Christ.

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Music Director & Organist Dorothy Morton	www.1stconglittleton.org ~~~~~
Worship Service 10:00 a.m.	FCC Shining Lights Learning Center 444-7379

Our Mission Statement:

As followers of Jesus Christ, our Lord and Savior, we are called to provide a loving invitation and welcome to all, to inspire and uplift through the worship of God, to reach out to heal and enrich lives through the Holy Spirit, and to nurture people at various stages of their spiritual growth.