

NFCC Announcements Sunday January 13, 2019

MINISTERING TO YOU THIS MORNING:

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| Choir | Chancel |
| Deacon of the Day: | Barbara Rountree |
| Ushers: | Janet King & Sue Long |
| Altar Committee: | Sandy Checklick |
| Hospitality: | Melessa & Dennis Fox |

Offering envelopes are now available and may be picked up outside of the office.

PRAYER CONCERNS: Lillian Amaru, Brenda, Joanne Breslin, Eleanor Bronson-Hodge, Ida Cary, Jack Christianson and family, Sandy Corbett, Phil Curry, Shirley Dunkle, Emily, Eric, Marie Feeney, Hal, Gladys Hoke, Bill Irving, Jason, Kay, the family of Richard Kristiansen, Ed L., Ann Lindberg, Nicholas Manley, Elijah Mainuli, Gene Marchand, David Oshman, Martha Rosewell, Howard Smith & family, Nancy Wilson.

For Those Serving in the Military:

**Cameron Johnson (Grandson of Carolee & Don Packard),
Melissa Durkin Willman (Niece of Laura Murphy)**

Congratulations to Gladys Hoke, mother of Myrna O'Hara, on her 100th birthday Jan 10th. Cards can be sent to Gladys Hoke, PO Box 683, Monument Beach, MA 02553

Safety First!

If a severe storm is in progress, the Deacons ask you to listen for worship cancellation notices on WQRC 99.9 FM. After 8 a.m. there will be an updated storm message from the church office at 508-563-2177. In the event of a power outage the phones/answering machine will not be working and the services will be cancelled.

Joint Women's Fellowship, Waquoit Congregational Church

Ladies, the next Women's Fellowship will be held at Waquoit Congregational Wednesday, February 13th at Noon. Bring your own lunch. Coffee, tea, bottled water and dessert will be provided. Following lunch the program will be "A Cape Cod Military Museum, Cape Cod the Cradle of Invasion" with Waquoit Congregational Church member Joe Yukna. Please RSVP by February 1st to Carolee capecodpack@comcast.net

Thursdays after Winter Soup - Idea Forum

January 17-February 21, 12:30-1:15

Come and share ideas based on articles from Christian Century, a magazine that challenges us to "Think critically, live faithfully." Each week a different article will be discussed. The articles are available by the church office door, at winter soup, or by going on line to Christian Century.org and looking it up by title and date.

Jan 17, Signs in the church kitchen: Gods fleeting Kingdom by Amy Frykolm, (CC Nov21, 2018)

Jan 24, Fumbling my way into prayer by Debie Thomas (CC Nov 21, 2018)

Jan 3, A Dinner at the Mosque by Samuel Wells (CC Dec 5, 2018)

Feb 7, Ten Myths about Racism by Carolyn B Helsel (CC Jan2, 2019)

Feb 14, Film "Documented" the story of Jose Antonio Vargas, an undocumented American, 12:30-2pm today to see 90 minute film

Feb 21, Discussion on the film, "Documented"

CALLING ALL SOUP MAKERS

Do you have a tried and true soup recipe you might make up for about 16 people any Thursday this winter or do you want to try out a new recipe on an appreciative audience? Either way, you can do it at North Falmouth Congregational Church! Sign up on the board by the kitchen any Thursday you are free and be the soup master of the day!!

DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. BREAKFAST

It's time to make your reservations for No Place For Hate 12th Annual Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Day Breakfast on Monday, January 21 at 9:30 a.m. held at Sea Crest Beach Hotel (350 Quaker Road, North Falmouth). RSVP by January 7. The cost is \$20 per person, students \$10. Checks should be out to NPFH and mailed to Caroline Gray, 86 Grey Hawk Drive, Mashpee, MA 02649-4420.

KEYNOTE SPEAKER: Rev. June Cooper, Executive Director of Boston City Mission.
 Registration available at npfhfalmouth.org. or available by church office door. Make sure to register early, seating is limited.

Flower Calendar for 2019 is posted outside the church office. If you have specific dates you would like to donate flower, please consult the calendar soon. The winter months of January and February are sometimes overlooked. Perhaps a nice flowering plant which can then be taken home and enjoyed. The Altar Committee is open to other options if you would like to speak to one of us.

NEEDING USHERS FOR 2019

What better way to get to know your “church family” than by being an Usher. Young, old, middle of the road, upper class, middle class, working class, Boston sports fan or New York...we take all kinds! The Deacons need help in adding to their “pool” of Ushers for 2019. If you are interested, you can ask a Deacon, or write your name, email and phone number on a piece of paper, place it in the Deacon’s box and we will get in touch with you. You can also email Kristin Fraser at wkfraser@verizon.net. You can usher as often as you would like...once, twice, five times, it doesn’t matter. Don’t be sitting in the pew wishing you were the one greeting our NFCC friends and handing out the Call to Worship or collecting all the offerings! others.

**Sunday Worship & Church School 10:00 a.m.,
 and in addition on the last Sunday of each month
 CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP AND COMMUNION at 8:30 a.m. as well
 Worship in January**

- Jan 13, Baptism of Jesus Sunday, 10 a.m.** Worship and Church School
 Isaiah 43:1-7, Psalm 29, Acts 8:14-17, Luke 3: 15-17, 21-22
- Jan 20, Second Sunday after Epiphany Martin Luther King JR theme**
 10 a.m. Worship and Church School,
 Isaiah 62:1-5, Psalm 36:5-10, 1Corinthians 12:1-11, John 2:1-11
- Jan 27, Third Sunday after Epiphany, Jesus' inaugural address in Luke**
 8:30 a.m. Contemporary Service, Holy Communion
 10 a.m. Worship and Church School
 Nehemiah 8:1-3, 5-6,8-10, Psalm 19, 1Corinthians 12:12-31a, Luke 4:14-21

Pastor: Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday, 9:00 AM – 12:30 PM, Other times available by appointment
 CE Director: Wednesday through Friday 10:00 AM – 12:30 PM
 Music Director: By appointment
 Office Administrator: Weekdays, 8:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. Monday through Friday

- Today**.....Baptism of Jesus Sunday, 10:00 a.m. Worship & Church School,
 11:30 a.m. Music Committee, 5:00 – 6:00 p.m. Confirmation Class
- Monday**..... 10:00 a.m. Bible Study
- Tuesday**..... 7:00 p.m. Search Committee
- Monday – Fri.**..... 8:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. Elder Services
- Wednesday**..... 8:00 a.m. Men’s Coffee, Daily Brew,
 7:00 p.m. Choir
- Thursday**..... 12 Noon Winter Soup, 12:30 p.m. Idea Forum, 6 p.m. Girl Scouts
- Thurs., Fri., Sat.**.....Thrift Shop Open 9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. (closed Thurs. Evenings)
- Saturday**..... 10:00 a.m. Choir, 4:30 p.m. Evolve,
 5:30 p.m. Pasta Supper
- Next Sunday**.....MLK Jr. Sunday, 10:00 a.m. Worship & Church School
 4:00 p.m. Youth Cook

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Mission Statement

Our mission is to serve Jesus Christ, guided by His love and teachings, and to welcome all into our Christian family as we grow spiritually through worship, fellowship, learning and service.