

Falmouth Congregational Church United Church of Christ

An Open and Affirming Congregation 267 Falmouth Road Falmouth, Maine 04105 207.781.3413



Serving Christ and Community since 1754 Third Parish Church; 1833 The Brick Church

The Reverend Amelia Edson

10:00 AM

4th SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY

January 31st, 2021

THE COMMUNITY GATHERS

GATHERING MUSIC

"Behold the Star"

Doris Krueger

ANNOUNCEMENTS

*WELCOME AND THE PASSING OF THE PEACE

One: May the peace of Christ be with you.

All: And also with you.

PRELUDE "Thy Word" Marilee Beinema & Virginia Eddy

*CALL TO WORSHIP1

One: O God, you spoke your word and revealed your good news in Jesus,

the Christ

All: Fill all creation with that word again, so that by proclaiming your

joyful promises and singing of your glorious hope we may

become one living body,

One: Your incarnate presence on the earth. **Amen.**

¹ Adapted from the Lectionary Resources for Epiphany at the Vanderbilt Divinity Library

*PRAYER OF CONFESSION & ASSURANCE OF PARDON

One: Lord God, who by the leading of a star made manifest your Son to

the world.

All: We pray that you might mercifully correct our wanderings.

One: And by the guiding radiance of your compassion bring us to your

truth.

All: Amen.

THE READING OF SCRIPTURE

David Giansirucusa Psalm 111

THE SERMON Rev. Amelia Edson

SPECIAL MUSIC "Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus" The Wilcoxes

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

OFFERING

THE LORD'S PRAYER

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 debts as we forgive our debtors, and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

HYMN "Christians We Have Met to Worship"

*BENEDICTION

*BENEDICTION RESPONSE "Go in Peace"

POSTLUDE Doris Krueger

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Throughout the order of worship, if print is in bold, words may be spoken in unison. (*)Please rise in body or spirit.



WORSHIP PARTICIPANTS

Presiding: Rev. Amelia Edson

Organist Doris Krueger

Music: Virginia Eddy, Marilee Beinema, John & Eunice Wilcox

Online Worship: Virginia Eddy, Tom Stegemann,

Jack Gervais, John Wilcox



Next Sunday's Lectionary

Isaiah 40:21-31; Psalm 147:1-11, 20c; 1 Corinthians 9:16-23; Mark 1:29-39

Church Office Hours

The church office remains closed and is open by appointment.

Please call or email to make an appointment.

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