

Our Annual Church Meeting will take place today in Baldwin Hall,
Following the Morning Worship Service.

*The flowers on the altar today were placed by Janet Kidd,
in memory of her beloved husband, Robert.*

Thank you to our guest soloist, John Murelle

Baritone John Murelle is a versatile singer and voice instructor with a wide range of musical interests, including art song, opera and oratorio, Broadway and popular songs. He holds Vocal Performance degrees from the University of Michigan and the Boston Conservatory, and a Diploma from the Boston University Opera Institute. John's keen interest in song literature has earned him accolades as a concert singer. In great demand as a voice teacher, John has maintained an active private voice studio in East Sandwich for over 20 years. His students regularly receive scholarships at recognized music schools throughout the United States. The studio presents three major public recitals a year which are open to the public.

This Week

Sunday, January 29 – Annual Meeting 11:30 AM (BH), NA 6 pm (FH)

Monday, January 30 - Breakfast Group 8:30am, AA 7:30 pm (BMR)

Tuesday, January 31 –NA 7:30 pm (BH)

Wednesday, February 1 – Choir Rehearsal 6:30 pm (S)

Thursday, February 2 – Bible Study 10 am

Friday, February 3

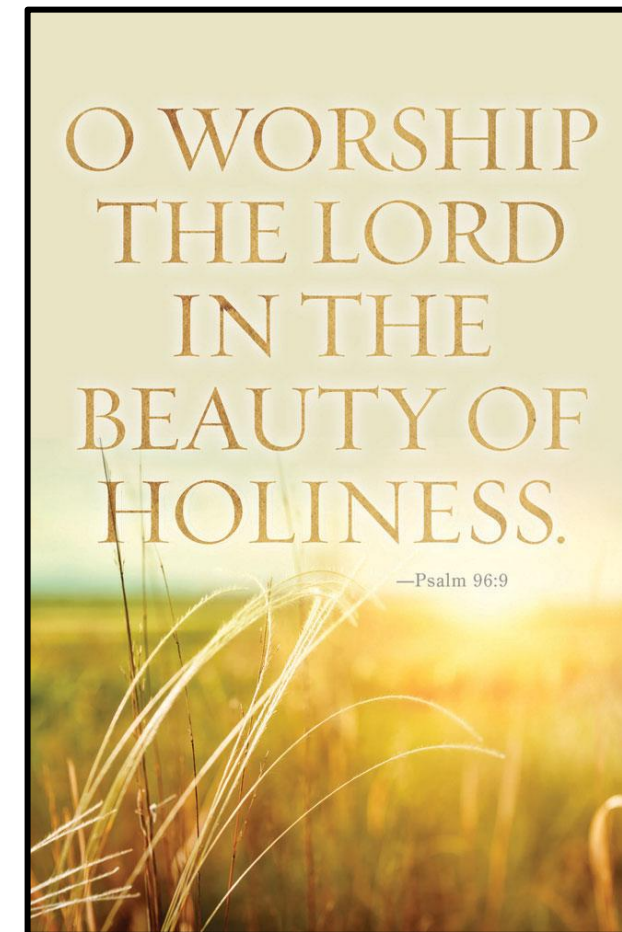
Saturday, February 4– NA 7:30 pm (BH)

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The Federated Church of Hyannis

***320 Main Street
Hyannis, Massachusetts***



***Sunday Morning Worship Service
January 29, 2023 ~ 10:00 AM***

~Reminder – please silence all cell phones before the Worship Service begins ~

PRELUDE: *“I Want Jesus to Walk with Me”*, D. Cherwick..... John Murelle

WORDS OF WELCOME and ANNOUNCEMENTS

CHORAL INTROIT: *“God of Love and God of Power”*

PASSING OF THE PEACE

CALL TO WORSHIP (all):

Leader: We are here in this holy place because God our Creator has called us here.

People: **Challenging us to accept the cost and joy of discipleship and to be servants in the service of the whole human family.**

Leader: But the call is also God’s promise.

People: **A promise of forgiveness of sins and fulness of grace, courage in the struggle for justice and peace, and eternal life in that realm which has no end.**

Leader: Blessing and honor, glory and power be unto God.

***HYMN OF PRAISE** #502 *“Forward Through the Ages”*

INVOCATION (all):

O God, our Creator and Sovereign, you have made us to live in freedom and joy before you, and in oneness of love with others. We praise you for the goodness in the world and within us; we seek your help in fulfilling your intentions for us. Sometimes we give our loyalty to the wrong things. We fall into despair or self-pity. We need one another, but too often we separate ourselves from others by our self-centeredness. Fill us with joy and hope that we may help to make the world more nearly what you want it to be. We ask these things in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

WORDS OF ASSURANCE

SILENT PRAYER

THE LORD’S PRAYER (all)

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.

***GLORIA PATRI**

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, amen.

ANTHEM: *“What a Friend We Have in Jesus”*, J. ScrivenChoir

THE WORD OF GOD Lay Reader Rene’ King

Old Testament: Psalm 8 p

New Testament: Luke 4:21-30

Reader: This is the Word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

***HYMN OF REFLECTION** #1 *“Our God, Our Help in Ages Past”*

SERMON: *“Meeting Jesus Again for the First Time”*The Rev. Dr. Paul R. Adkins

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND PASTORAL PRAYER

PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Offertory: *“In Heaven’s Eyes”*, Phill McHughJohn Murelle

Doxology:

Praise God from who all blessings flow. Praise Him all creatures here below.

Praise Him above ye heavenly host. Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

***CLOSING HYMN** #579 *“Lord, Dismiss Us with Thy Blessing”*

***BENEDICTION**

CHORAL AMEN

***POSTLUDE:** *“May the Road Rise to Meet You”*, Lee DenglerJohn Murelle

*Please stand if you are able