

**In place of Coffee Hour today,
join us for an Appreciation Soup Luncheon!**

Thank you to the diaconate for the altar flowers.

Special thanks to our guest musician Greg Gettel.

Greg Gettel is a versatile trumpet player and teacher who has spent over 20 years in the local music scene. Greg's musical interests are broad and include chamber music, theater, and historical performance. Raised by musicians in rural Vermont, Greg can often be found outdoors with his wife and kids.

This Week

Sunday, January 8 – Soup Luncheon and blanket making workshop,
NA 6 pm (FH)

Monday, January 9 – Breakfast Group 8:30 am, AA 7:30 pm (BMR)

Tuesday, January 10 –NA 7:30 pm (BH)

Wednesday, January 11 – Choir Rehearsal 6:30 pm (S)

Thursday, January 12 – Bible Study 10 am

Friday, January 13

Saturday, January 14– NA 7:30 pm (BH)

Looking Ahead

Our Annual Meeting will take place on Sunday, January 29th, following our morning Worship Service. Please plan to join us if you are able.

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***The Federated Church of Hyannis
320 Main Street
Hyannis, Massachusetts***



***Sunday Morning Worship Service
January 8, 2023~ 10:00 AM***

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

PRELUDE: “Iona – A Hebridean Carol”, Edmund Walters..... Soloist Greg Gettel

WORDS OF WELCOME and ANNOUNCEMENTS

CHORAL INTROIT: “Nearer My God to Thee”, L. Mason

PASSING OF THE PEACE

CALL TO WORSHIP:

Leader: Serve the Lord with gladness; come before His presence with singing.
People: Enter into His gates with thanksgiving and into His courts with praise.
Be thankful unto Him and bless His name.
Leader: For we come before God’s presence with singing.
People: For the Lord is our God, and we are God’s people.
Leader: O come, let us sing unto the Lord.

***HYMN OF PRAISE #267** “Morning Has Broken”

INVOCATION (all)

Eternal God, who created us in love, and called us to share that love in word and in deed, forgive us for those times when our concerns go no further than our selves. Forgive us for occasions when we fail to respond as fully as we could to the needs of the hungry, the homeless, and the dispossessed. Help us to discover anew your mission for this day in which we are called to serve. Through 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 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, 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: “The Blessing”Choir

THE WORD OF GOD Lay Reader Sherrie Scudder

Old Testament: Isaiah 51:1-5
New Testament: Luke 15:11-24

Reader: This is the Word of the Lord.
All: Thanks be to God.

***HYMN OF REFLECTION # 408** “What a Friend We Have in Jesus”

SERMON: “The Rock from Which We Were Hewn”Rev. Dr. Paul R. Adkins

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND PASTORAL PRAYER

PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Offertory: “Help Us Accept Each Other” Roy Campbell
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 # 451** “Lead On, O King Eternal”

***BENEDICTION**

***CHOIR AMEN**

***POSTLUDE:** “Juleverset”, Traditional Norwegian Carol..... Soloist Greg Gettel

*Please Stand if you are able