

Please join us for Coffee Hour in Baldwin Hall following the Worship Service.

Our guest minister today is **Rev. Dr. Calvin Mutti**, Pastor Emeritus of South Church in Andover, United Church of Christ. An Ohio native, he served 3 congregations in Indiana and Massachusetts during his active career as an ordained minister. He and his wife retired and live in Brewster. He sings with the Chatham Chorale, raises honeybees, grows giant pumpkins, and, as a Master Gardener, teaches in the Children's' Garden. Over the 16 years of his retirement, he has been honored to be invited to preach occasionally here at The Federated Church of Hyannis.

Thank you to the Diaconate for the altar flowers.

This Week

Sunday, March 26 –Church Committee Meeting 11:30 am, NA 6 pm (FH)

Monday, March 27 – Breakfast Group 8:30am, AA 7:30 pm (BMR)

Tuesday, March 28 –NA 7:30 pm (BH)

Wednesday, March 29

Thursday, March 30 – **No Bible Study** - Hyannis Film Festival 7 pm (FH)

Friday, March 31 – **2023 Memorial Scholarship Applications due.**

Family Game Night Pilot for Members 4 – 6 PM (BH)

Saturday, April 1 – NA 7:30 pm (BH)

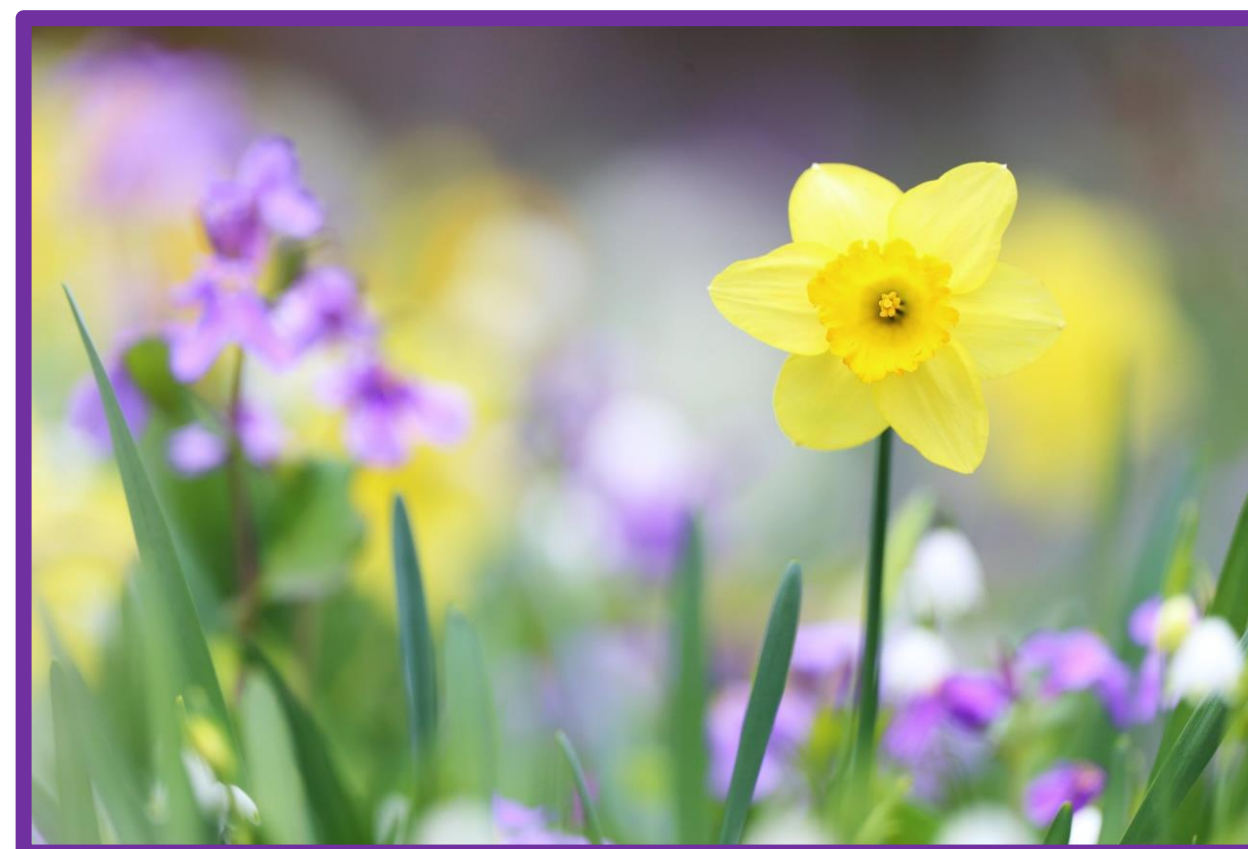
Music Sponsorships

If you would like to enjoy more guest musicians in our worship services, please speak to Roy Campbell about sponsoring a musical guest. Thank you!

2023 Memorial Scholarships – Applications due this week!

The Federated Church Memorial Scholarship application are available now in the church office or on the website: www.federatedchurch.org. The application will be due in its entirety on March 31. Instructions for a one-time renewal are on the application. Please contact Jan Cliggott (508-771-0576) or email capecodcliggott@comcast.net with questions/concerns.

The Federated Church of Hyannis
320 Main Street
Hyannis, Massachusetts



Sunday Morning Worship Service
March 26, 2023~ 10:00 AM

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

PRELUDE: “Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus”, Lemmel..... Roy Campbell

CHORAL INTROIT: “As the Sun Doth Daily Rise”

WORDS OF WELCOME and ANNOUNCEMENTS

PASSING OF THE PEACE

CALL TO WORSHIP (all)

Leader: Like our life, Lent is a journey that ends not on Good Friday, but on Easter morning. There we believe the eternal God is our refuge and underneath are the everlasting arms.

All: There we trust, that as our outer nature is wasting away, our inner nature is being renewed.

Leader: There we are confident that nothing shall separate us from the gracious love of God.

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

PRAYER OF INVOCATION (all)

Eternal God and loving creator, gladly we come to worship You in this Lenten season. So much in the chaotic pace of change in our world leaves us bewildered and confused. We try to keep our spiritual balance, and yet it is challenging. Open the eyes of our souls to the things that never change, and steady our hearts on the promise of Your holy word, a lamp to our feet and a light for our path. You alone are God of heaven and earth--ever faithful, merciful, full of wisdom and love. Renew us by Your Holy Spirit; prepare our feet for the Holy week that is to come. We seek these blessings in the name of Christ our Lord, to whom with You and the Holy Spirit, be honor and glory, forever and ever. 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: “We Have Come This Far by Faith”, J. Martin..... Choir

THE WORD OF GOD.....Lay Reader Rene King

Old Testament: Ecclesiastes 3: 1-9

New Testament: II Corinthians 4: 5-18

Reader: This is the Word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

***HYMN OF REFLECTION # 467** “Abide with Me”

SERMON: “Spiritual Lessons Learned Since March 11, 2020”Rev. Dr. Calvin Mutti

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND PASTORAL PRAYER

PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Offertory: “Be Still and Know”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 # 390** “It is Well with My Soul”

***BENEDICTION**

CHOIR AMEN

***POSTLUDE:** “You’ll Never Walk Alone”, Rogers..... Roy Campbell

*Please stand if you are able