

## February 27 - UP & COMING NEWS & SUNDAY WORSHIP BULLETIN

Worship services and past events can be accessed on Facebook and YouTube by selecting the links below:

Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/FirstChurchHadley>

YouTube: <https://youtube.com/c/FirstChurchHadley>

Additional information can also be found on our website by visiting <https://firstchurchhadley.org>

**Live Zoom Sunday Worship:** *If you would like to join our Live Zoom Worship Service click on the link below at 10am on Sunday morning:*

<https://us05web.zoom.us/j/6222869817?pwd=ejFYVytrTlk3aW1kK01aWE1LeUJpZz09>

### **WINTER STORM INFORMATION**

In the event of severe weather, you will receive an email blast announcing the cancellation of worship. Additionally, all cancellations will be posted on the church's Facebook page and Channel 22 News and Western Mass News weather cancellation pages. You may also call Lisa West 413-695-4943 or Bob Andersen 413-687-3121.

#### **Sunday, March 1**

10:00 a.m.

SUNDAY WORSHIP & CHRISTIAN ED

#### **Monday, March 2**

7:00 p.m.

Girl Scout Leaders Meeting

#### **Tuesday, March 3**

6:00 p.m.

HANDBELL CHOIR REHEARSAL

7:00 p.m.

PRAYER SHAWL KNITTING GROUP

#### **Wednesday, March 4**

6:00 p.m.

Hadley Women's AA Group Meeting

#### **Thursday, March 5**

4:30 p.m.

Fiddle Orchestra Rehearsal

#### **Saturday, March 7**

8:00 a.m.

Take & Eat

#### **Sunday, March 8**

10:00 a.m.

SUNDAY WORSHIP & CHRISTIAN ED

7:00 p.m.

CHOIR REHEARSAL

### **PLEASE SUBSCRIBE**

Don't forget to subscribe to our **YouTube** channel to keep up on our latest services and to view past services and events. Please click on the following link to subscribe:

<https://youtube.com/c/FirstChurchHadley>

You may also watch our worship service later in the week on **Hadley Media Public Channel 191**.

Follow us on **Facebook:** <http://www.facebook.com/FirstChurchHadley>

*Please share this email! Invite your family and friends to join us. If folks would like to get this*



**\* OPENING PRAYER (Unison)**

**O Lord our God, great, eternal, wonderful in glory, who keeps covenant and promise for those who love thee with their whole heart, cleanse us from our sins and from every thought displeasing to thy goodness. Grant that with pure heart and perfect love we may confidently pray to thee, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

**\* 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 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.**

**SCRIPTURE**

Psalm 121 (p. 547)  
John 3:1-17 (p. 86)

Mara Breen

**TIME FOR ALL GOD'S CHILDREN**

Shannon Stilla

**ANTHEM**

“We're Marching to Zion”

Timothy Shaw

**SERMON**

“Without Ceasing”

Rev. Peter Stilla

**\* HYMN**

“All Beautiful the March of Days”

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**PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE**

Joys and Concerns  
Morning Prayer

**CHORAL RESPONSE**

**MORNING OFFERING**

Invitation

Offertory

“The Lord Invites Us Here”

J. Paul Williams &  
C.J. Adams

**\* Doxology**

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow;  
Praise God, all creatures here below;  
Praise God above, ye heavenly host;  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

\* Prayer of Dedication (Unison)

**Accept, O God, these offerings which thy people make unto thee; and grant that the cause to which they are devoted may prosper under thy guidance, to the glory of thy name, and through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

## CHORAL RESPONSE

### SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

*Communion is open to all believers who wish to receive the bread and cup. Children as well as adults are welcome to receive.*

*The outer ring of cups contains grape juice. The inner ring contains wine. The bread trays hold gluten-free bread. When the bread trays are passed, please hold your bread and we will all eat together after a brief prayer. When the cup trays are passed, please hold your cup and we will all drink together after a brief prayer. You may place your empty cup in the small rack for cups that is attached to the pew back in front of you.*

Come to the Table  
Consecration and Sharing of the Bread and Cup

#### Prayer after Communion (Unison)

**Gracious and loving God, we unite with you today to celebrate this, our covenant of faith. We thank you for your divine presence as we have shared this holy meal and throughout our lives each day. Grant us that we may always know you as our loving Father, who with Christ and the Holy Spirit lives and reigns forever. Amen.**

\* CLOSING HYMN                      “I Come to the Garden Alone”                      inside back cover

\* BENEDECTION

POSTLUDE                                      “Voluntary in G”                                      Heron