

Prayer List:

Deena, Tony & Bitsy, Jenna Fenander, Julie Burdick, Will, Cheryl, Kelly, Terrienne, Kalee (travel)

Calendar of Events

- Heavenly Quilters - Tuesday's @ 9:30 a.m.
- A/A Meetings - Wednesdays @ 6 p.m.
- SFC Choir practice - Thursdays @ 6:30 p.m.
- Food Pantry, each Saturday from 9-11
- General Committee Meeting 1/28/19 @7:00 p.m.
- Men's Breakfast Meeting - 2/3/19 @ 8:00 a.m.
- Sonshiner's Breakfast Mtg. - 2/17/18 @ 8:00 a.m.
- Men's Annual Turkey Dinner - 2/23/19 5:00 -7:00 p.m.
 - Takeout at 4:30 p.m.
- Breakfast @ Ioka Valley sponsored by the Sonshiner's
 - 3/17/18 at 8:00 a.m. - All are welcome

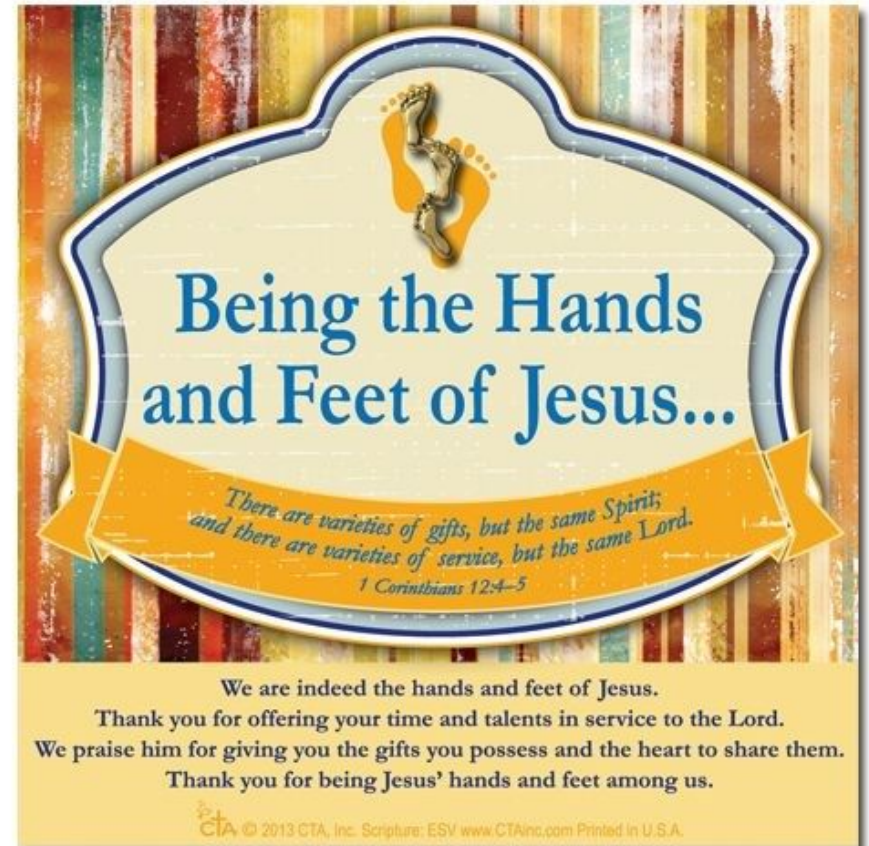
Financial Stewardship

- Offering 1/11/19 - \$1,131.00
 - Methodist Apportionments - \$320.00
 - Manse Roof Fund - \$10.00
- Offering 1/6/19 - \$1,183.00
 - Christmas Envelopes - \$200.00
 - Manse Roof - \$110.00
- Offering 12/30/18 - \$2,295.00
 - Christmas Envelopes - \$300.00
 - Manse Roof Fund - \$110.00
 - Choir - \$25.00
 - Sunday School - \$25.00

\$1,270.00/week is needed in order to meet our budget

Code for Hymnals:

- (P) - Methodist Hymnal (Purple)
- (B) - In Faith We Sing (Black)
- (G) - Worship & Song (Green)
- (PH) - Presbyterian Hymnal



Stephentown Federated Church
Sunday, January 20, 2019
Epiphany +2
Welcome!

**CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP
BELL CALLS US TO GATHER FOR WORSHIP**

WELCOME

Announcements, Joys, and Concerns

MUSIC FOR REFLECTION

CALL TO WORSHIP

One: How precious is your steadfast love, O God!

Many: All people may take refuge in the shadow of your wings.

One: They feast on the abundance of your house,

Many: And you give them drink from the river of your delights.

One: For with you is the fountain of life;

Many: In your light we see light.

One: O continue your steadfast love to those who know you,

Many: And your salvation to the upright of heart.

***HYMN #114 (P)**

Many Gifts, One Spirit

CALL TO CONFESSION

Prayer of Confession

Lord God, forgive us when we misuse your gifts for our own glory.

Forgive us when we fail to serve those in need that you send us to serve.

Forgive us when our activities call attention to our actions instead of to

your love for this world. Forgive us for what we fail to say and do.

Strengthen your Holy Spirit within us so that we may boldly proclaim,

"Jesus is Lord." Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

Praise Response #2195 (B)

In the Lord I'll Be Ever Thankful

FIRST READING

Acts 17:21-29

A TIME FOR YOUNG CHRISTIANS

ANTHEM

Loving Saviour Hear My Prayer

GOSPEL READING

Luke 2:36-38

SERMON

Not just for Christmas

***HYMN #560 (P)**

Help Us Accept Each Other

PASTORAL PRAYERS:

Lord's Prayer (trespasses)

Prayer Response #2205 (B)

The Fragrance of Christ
(refrain only)

PRAYER OF DEDICATION (for offering)

***Response #95 (P)**

Praise God . . .

***HYMN #140 (P)**

Great Is Thy Faithfulness

CHARGE AND BLESSING

Sending Forth & Blessing

Response - #672 (P) God Be With You Till We Meet Again
(vs 2)

POSTLUDE

*** Please stand if you are able . . . thank you**

Please note: We do not take a formal offering. There are offering plates at the doors which you may use if you are able to make a donation.

Pastor/Speaker - Rev. Betsye Mowry (Thank you for your service)

Bev Westfall - Choir Director/Organist

Please join us for a time of refreshment and Fellowship in Pierce Hall following worship. "God bless you."