

**Sunday, January 23, 2022**

**Old South Church, United Church of Christ, Hallowell, Maine**

**Zoom Worship (followed by Annual Meeting)**

**10:00**

### **3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Epiphany: The Season of Love and Light**

#### **Announcements:**

1. Our Annual Meeting will take place after worship. Please note that we have important pieces of business. The Annual Report was emailed on January 13.
2. Worship series—we are in the midst of the “Season of Love and Light” until the beginning of Lent (Ash Wednesday is March 2). Over the next few weeks, we’ll focus on First Corinthians, and then we’ll move on to the Gospel According to Luke.
3. Bread of Life Dinner delivery is Tuesday, Feb 1. Here’s the sign up link:  
<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70A094AA5A92EA57-bread3>
4. Bible Bunch—will begin again on January 25, Noon – 1:00.

Zoom link:

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86876745098?pwd=ajl2SEpDeWR5alpGWE10eFREQXl2Zz09>

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This week’s discussion starter:

January 25-- What's your favorite birth narrative and why? Matt 1:18 - 2:12; Luke 2:1-20

#### **Announcements/Joys & Concerns**

##### **Welcome**

**Prelude**      *He Leadeth Me* (Wm. Bradbury / arr. Lisa Hockstra)

**Call to Worship/Invocation/Lord’s Prayer**      Cynthia

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.

**Special Music** *They’ll Know We Are Christians* (Peter Scholtes/arr. Mark Hayes)    Don Reutershan

**Reception of New Members:** Donna and Ron Bansmer

Congregational Response: We welcome you with joy! As partners in the common life of this congregation, we pledge to you our friendship and prayers as we grow together in God’s transforming love. We give thanks that you join us now, as fellow seekers and servants!

**Scripture:** 1 Corinthians 12:12-31

**Sermon**      The Body of Christ

**Hymn In Christ There Is No East or West Pilgrim 414**

1 In Christ there is no East or West, In him no South or North;  
But one great fellowship of love throughout the whole wide earth.

2 In him shall true hearts everywhere Their high communion find;  
His service is the golden cord Close-binding all mankind.

3 Join hands, then, brothers of the faith, Whate'er your race may be!  
Who serves my Father as a son Is surely kin to me.

4 In Christ now meet both East and West, In him meet South and North;  
All Christly souls are one in him Throughout the whole wide earth.

<b>Mission Moment</b>	Christine
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## Offering

**Offertory:** *A Song of Peace* (Matt Schinske)

## Prayer

## Response

## Blessing

**Postlude**     *Spiritual*     (Gordon Young / arr. Douglas E. Wagner)

## Fellowship