

Announcement

*The altar flowers today are given
in memory of Forrest (Van) Van Voorst.*

The “**Refuse to Be a Victim**” Seminar has been rescheduled for Saturday, February 22, at 10:00 am. While attending this seminar, you will get the tools you need to develop your own personal strategy for increasing awareness and preventing criminal confrontation. The student handbook is free for church members, all others are \$5. Call the church office to register by Wednesday, 2/19.

There will be a **Worship Team Meeting** this Tuesday at 10:30 am.

Interested in gardening? Come join the friendly folks at the **Palm Harbor Garden Club** tomorrow morning at 9:30 in Sutton Hall. You'll enjoy refreshments, group discussion and a great presentation on an aspect of local gardening.

Contact any member of the **United Methodist Men** if you want to sign up for the **Chili Cook-Off** on Saturday, February 29. Chili, soups and salads are all needed!

Don't forget that you can purchase a leaf for our **Tree of Life** at the rear of the sanctuary for \$50. They can be ordered “in honor of ...” or “in memory of ...”. Call the church office for more information.

The **Men's Breakfast** this Saturday, February 15, will be at the Clearwater Family Restaurant, 1844 N. Highland Avenue, Clearwater, at 8:00 am.

VISITOR INFO

We are so happy that you have chosen to worship with us this morning. If you are searching for a church home and would like to know more about Curlew UMC, our ministries and our church family, please let us know as you sign the registration pad. We hope you are blessed as we worship God together in spirit and in truth.

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MISSIONAL VITAL SIGNS

Passionate Worship Attendance	62
Intentional Discipleship - Bible Studies, Small Groups	17
Salty Service	12

PLEASE KEEP IN PRAYER ...

Sandy Fika, Tess Griffith, Richard & Linda Hicks, Helen Kamp, JR Melvin, Mary Smiech, Jo Ann Tilley, those in our Military, our Curlew church family and the United Methodist Church Contact info for church family shut-ins can be obtained by calling the church office and are published monthly in the “Curlew Courier”.

Mary DeDea, Eileen Huntington, Vivian Cox,
Virginia Worsham, Barbara Bardua, Lea Mae Haislip,
Evelyn Ralston, Esther Besch

THIS WEEK AT CURLEW

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 9

10:00 am	Organ Selections
10:15 am	Hymn Sing
10:30 am	Morning Worship

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 11

10:30 am	Worship Team Meeting
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WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 12

10:00 am	Intercessory Prayer
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THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 13

6:00 pm	Chancel Choir Practice
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FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 14

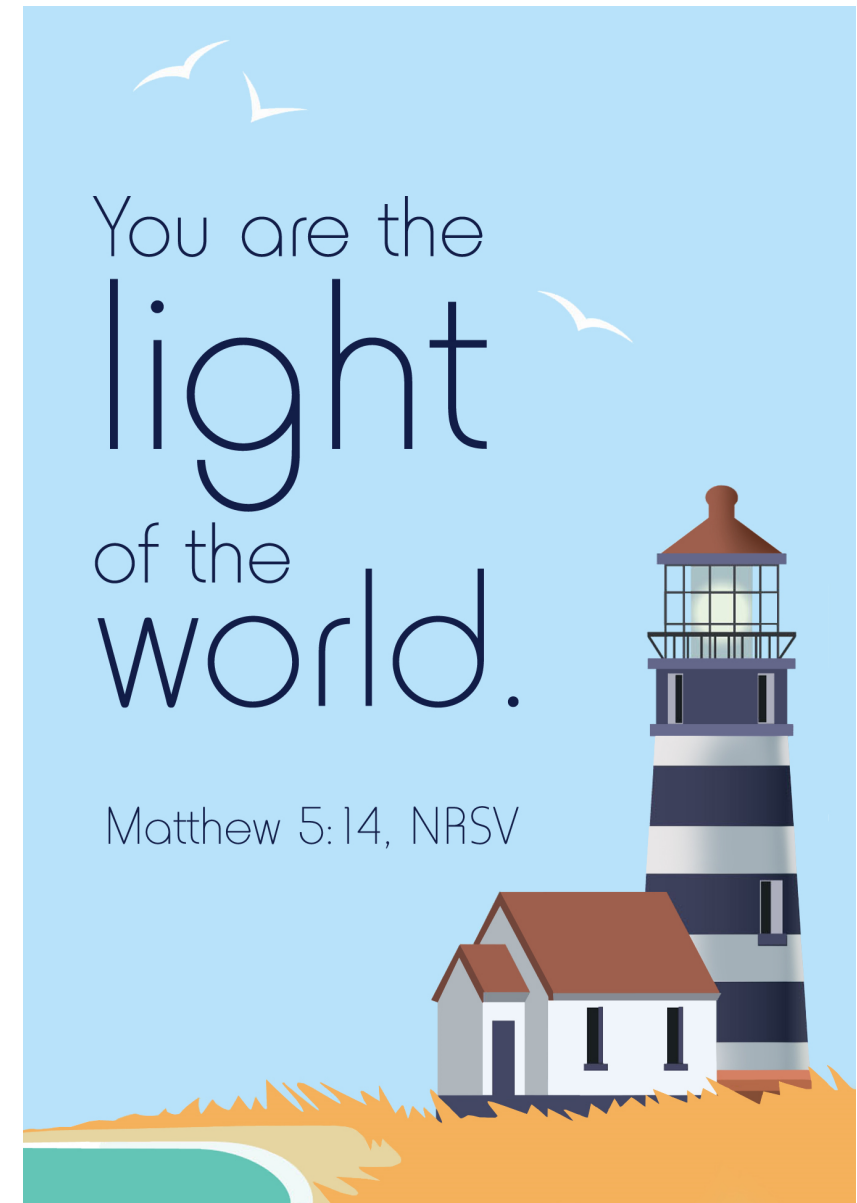
1:00 pm	Sensible Shoes Book Club
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SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 15

8:00 am	Men's Breakfast @ Clearwater Family Rest.
5:00 pm	Emmaus Gathering

LOOKING AHEAD

- 2/22 “Refuse to Be a Victim” Seminar, 10:00 am-12:30 pm
2/26 **Ash Wednesday Worship, 6:00 pm**
3/14 UMM Spaghetti Dinner



*Curlew United Methodist Church
February 9, 2020*

**5th SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY
WE GATHER TO WORSHIP**

All are welcome as we come together to worship in the House of the Lord.

Organ Selections

Hymn Sing

Announcements Pastor Rachel Hughes

Birthdays: 2/11 Sandy Mannira

* Greeting and Sharing the Peace

* Congregation "As the Deer" TFWS 22025

GOD'S WORD PROCLAIMED

Prelude Ben Winkler

* Call to Worship Liturgist

Leader: "You are the salt of the earth."

People: Spread us, God, across our community and across our world, to bring the flavor of Your Kingdom wherever we go.

Leader: "You are the light of the world."

People: Uncover the radiance that is within us, God, to shine the truth of Your love wherever we go.

Leader: "Let your light shine before others"

All: that everyone we meet may see in us a life of worship and glorify You, our Father in heaven. Amen.

* Hymn of Celebration "Here I Am, Lord" UMH 593



* Affirmation of Faith *The Apostles' Creed* UMH 881

* The Gloria Patri UMH 70

Anthem Chancel Choir

Prayers and Praises Debbie Brimacombe

Pastoral Prayer Pastor Rachel Hughes

Tithes and Offerings

Offertory Ben Winkler

* The Doxology UMH 95

Scripture **Matthew 5:13-20** p. 786

The Message Pastor Rachel Hughes
Let Them Taste and See

Reaffirmation of Baptism Tess Griffith

Special Music "He Touched Me" Katie Rowe-Ventrucci

WE GO FORTH TO WITNESS

* Hymn of Adoration "Pass It On" UMH 572

* Benediction Pastor Rachel Hughes

* Choral Response "Shalom to You" UMH 666

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Pastor Rev. Rachel Hughes
Director of Music Ministries Ben Winkler
Greeter: Lois Lee Porter
Ushers: Bob Click, Bob Floyd, Jahn & Helen Lawson

*** Stand as you are able**

Sermon Notes

Prayer Requests

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Our Church Finances as of 2/07/20

Income to Date: \$ 8,600.57
Expenses: 11,494.91
(\$ 2,894.34)