



WELCOME TO THIS WEEK'S EDITION
of the
Weekly Email Update/News & Notes for
January 5, 2025

EPIPHANY SUNDAY & STAR WORDS CELEBRATION!!!

Attached please find the Worship Resource for this evening and for this Sunday. It is intended for your use at home on your own or by joining us through our **Facebook Live** broadcast.

- Our service is broadcast live on Facebook at <https://www.facebook.com/ruth.hainsworth>
 - Do note that sometimes our technology does not cooperate and we are unable to broadcast the service. Keep checking back!!!

THE CHURCH CALENDAR for the weeks ahead

- **SUNDAY, JANUARY 5, 2025 @9:45am – EPIPHANY SUNDAY with Communion & Star Sunday Celebration!**
- **TUESDAY, Jan. 7 @ 6:30pm – DEACONS via Zoom**
- **WEDNESDAY, Jan. 8 @ 12 noon – BOOKS in the Parlor**
- **THURSDAY, Jan. 9, 1-3pm – Rev. Ruth's Community Office Hours @ Martin House Books on Canal Street in Westerly**
- **SUNDAY, Jan. 12 @ 9:45am – Worship with Rev. Ruth preaching**
 - **Church Council @ 11am, Bazaar Debrief following**
- **WEDNESDAY, Jan. 15 @ 12pm – LADIES WHO LUNCH at S&P Oyster House in Mystic; RSVP required on sign-up sheet on bulletin board in Bell Courtyard Narthex**

SOME LONG-RANGE CALENDAR DATES!

- **Sunday, January 26 @ 11am – ANNUAL MEETING!!** (Time to be working on those reports!)
- **Saturday, February 15, 9am – 3pm – THRESHOLD RETREAT 2.0 HERE!!!**
 - **Theme – How far have we come since last year? Where do we go from here?**

OUR MISSIONS DONATION DRIVE FOR JANUARY is paper products of all kinds – toilet paper, paper towels, tissues. Please leave in baskets under altar!

IT'S NEVER TOO LATE TO TURN IN A PLEDGE!! Pledge forms for our 2025 budget year are available near the offering plates!!!!

Take care and please know even when we can't be with each other on Sundays, we are always close in prayer and in each other's hearts!

Blessings, R

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