



# First Congregational Church

IN WINCHESTER, UCC

## Order of Worship - Transfiguration Sunday - February 11, 2024

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| Prelude   | <i>Hyfrydol</i>  | Michael Burkhardt (b. 1957)                    |
| Welcome/Call to Worship   |  | Rev. Will Burhans                              |
| Opening Hymn  | <i>O Wondrous Sight, O Vision Fair</i>                       | New Century Hymnal, #184                       |
| Morning Prayer<br>The Lord's Prayer<br>Act of Praise - Gloria Patri |  | Rev. Maeve Hammond                             |
| Time for the Young  |  | Maggie Keeler                                  |
| Hymn  | <i>Spirit of God, Descend upon My Heart</i><br>(vv. 1, 2, 5) | New Century Hymnal, #290                       |
| Scripture   | Ephesians 6:10-18<br>Mark 9:2-9                              | Rachel Chidsey                                 |
| Sermon  | "Transfigured Hope"  | Rev. Will Burhans                              |
| Anthem  | <i>How Lovely Are the Messengers</i>                         | Felix Mendelssohn (1809-47)<br>Romans 10:15,18 |
| Offertory   | <i>Vater unser im Himmelreich</i>                            | Dietrich Buxtehude (1637-1707)                 |
| Prayers of the People   |  | Rev. Maeve Hammond                             |
| Closing Hymn  | <i>We Have Come at Christ's Own Bidding</i>                  | New Century Hymnal, #182                       |
| Announcements/Benediction   |  | Rev. Maeve Hammond/Rev. Will Burhans           |
| Postlude  | <i>Sonata (Op. 65, #6) - "Fuga"</i>                          | Mendelssohn                                    |

Rev. Will Burhans, Lead Pastor, Rev. Maeve Hammond, Associate Pastor,  
Jane Ring Frank, Minister Worship & the Arts, Maggie Keeler, Minister of Children & Families  
Jeffrey Mead, Keyboards, Sarah Marino, Office Administrator  
Thanks to Brian McArdle, our Live Stream Technician, and Leslie French for Slide Advancement.  
Deacons serving today are: Carol Andrus, Michelle Crawford, Andy Gallop, and Branda Wilhoite.

### Visitors, get connected!

Please tell us about yourself and/or request a prayer by filling out a Welcome/Prayer Request Card found in the pews.

## Please keep these people in your prayers

**Pam Willwerth**, mother of Frank Willwerth, for peace and healing.

**Cooper Sayre**, Liz and Dick's grandson, for continued healing after his traumatic brain injury sustained in a November car accident.

Prayers for **John Loewy**, for his recovery and healing from his heart attack.

Prayers for the comfort and healing of cancer for **Belinda**.

Prayers for **Paul Rahmeier**, who is being cared for at the Aberjona Nursing Home, and is enjoying visitors.

Prayers of peace and strength for **Joanie Goodale**, Rev. Maeve's great-aunt.

**Gledis**, health for her heart.

**Kathy Mortensen**, for recovery and healing from surgery.

Continued prayers for Laurie Roby's friend **Laurel** and her sister, **Amy** in her ongoing treatment for cancer.

**John Keeley**, for healing and recovery.

**Erin**, Nanci Church's niece, who was recently diagnosed with cancer, for healing.

**Sue Matinski**, friend of Jody Mullane, for her treatment and diagnosis of breast cancer.

Carrie Ehrbar's parents, **Tom & Kathy**, who are losing their ability to live independently.

**Shelly Griffiths**, Tomye Little's cousin, for healing, comfort and peace for her and her family.

**Nancy Alleyn**, friend of Nick Wankowicz's sister, Nina, for healing.

Prayers for peace for **Mike Redding** and her loved ones.

**Glenn McPherson**, Tony McPherson's brother, for healing as he awaits a kidney transplant.

**Olivia**, for healing and help finding her way back to recovery.

## Flowers

Today's chancel flowers are given to the Glory of God, and in loving memory of Marsha Lamson, by her family.

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