

# Zion Goshert's United Church of Christ

January 31, 2021

Directions for worship at the end of these announcements.

*Welcome to everyone joining us today for Worship.*

Bruce Farrell, Pastor  
Jean B, Secretary

Roberto M, Music Director  
Tara Z, Accompanist

## UPCOMING HAPPENINGS

|              |                   |   |
|--------------|-------------------|---|
| Today        | 10 a.m.           | <i>Snow in the Bible #2: Walking with the Know-it-all God</i>                                   |
| Wednesday(s) | 8 a.m. – 2 p.m.   | Church office hours [but not 10:30-11:45 a.m.]  |
| Wed. Feb. 3  | 7 p.m.            | Consistory: in person at church. Wear a mask.<br>Be praying about the elections of new officers |
| Sun. Feb 7   | 10 a.m.           | <i>Snow in the Bible #3: The Holiness of God</i>  |
| Sun. Feb. 14 | 10 a.m.           | <i>Transfiguration Sunday and Snow in the Bible #4:<br/>Basking in the Radiance of Jesus</i>    |
| Wed. Feb. 17 | 12-1 and 5-6 p.m. | <i>Ash Wednesday drive-in services</i>  |

## PRAYER REQUESTS

***If you have prayer requests, please contact the pastor.***

*Our shut-ins:* Joyce, Pauline, Kenneth, Emma, Ida, Joann

*Health concerns:* Carl, Jean, Trey, Tim, Nancy, Rick, Eric, Sherry, Donald, Barb, Melissa, Kenneth, Tom, Maggie, Wayne, Suzanne, Shannon, Neil, Christopher, Paul, Ron, Martha, Tracy, Ken and Lorraine, Jason, Linda, Mona, Roma, Brian, Kay, Lisa, Ann

*Bereavement:* The families of Marilyn, Dick, Jean (Jen's grandmother), Janet, Dorothy, Gwen, Deb, Dennis, Sarah, Rudy

*Other:* Edward, Grace S., Jen T., Kathy S., Tina, Ginny

*Medical field and first responders:* Susan, April, Rachel, Chelsea, Courtney

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### Upcoming Worship

January 24 – February 14: *Snow in the Bible* ~ A 4-week series for Epiphany

- ❖ Today                      Snow: Walking with the Know-it-all God                      Job 38:22
- ❖ February 7                Snow: Tasting the Holiness of God                                      Psalm 51:17
- ❖ February 14                Snow: Basking in the Radiance of Jesus                                Matthew 17:2

### LCCM noon meal

**Saturday, February 27**

Please contact Rebecca G if you are able to help with the Lebanon Country Christian Ministries meal on February 27. A count needs to be sent in to LCCM regarding how many volunteers so they can plan the meal we are preparing. Prep starts at 9:30am and usually cleaned up by 1:30pm.

### Winter 2021 Newsletter

The newsletter has been distributed by email and mail. Extra copies are available in the office



## Virtual Four Chaplains' Run/walk

February 1-12

To raise scholarship money to train chaplains for ministry to service personal and their families for years to come. Register at <https://evangelical.edu/events/four-chaplains-run/> or talk to Pastor Farrell.

Choose one of three different opportunities to participate during the time period above:

1. Enter your best time.
2. Enter your total mileage
3. Financially support those who are running or walking.

Authorized by Consistory

## BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK

|            |           |
|------------|-----------|
| Joanna H.  | Today     |
| Sue S.     | Wednesday |
| Kevin H.   | Wednesday |
| Shannon D. | Wednesday |

## INFORMATION

- **Worship bulletins & announcements** sent each week to all whose email address is in the church directory. Please add info@ziongosherts.org to your contact list to make sure you receive the email. Thank you!
- **For pastoral care:** call/text 717-222-1401 or e-mail bruce.d.farrell@gmail.com.
- **Pastoral day off:** Thursday from 6:30 p.m. to Friday 6:30 p.m.
- **Announcements:** Send information to Jean B
- **Lectors:** If you are not able or available, please procure your own substitute and let the pastor know or ask him for help.

## GIVING

We continue to do ministry and have expenses during the pandemic. Thank you for your continued giving.

You may bring your offering to worship or Wednesday office hours.

You may mail your check (not cash) to the church or to Jessica N

You may give via [Tithe.ly](https://tithely.com). Joe M (see Church Directory) is our contact person if you need help with tithe.ly.

## DIRECTIONS FOR WORSHIP DURING THE PANDEMIC

We are currently having worship in the sanctuary, on Facebook, and the phone.

*If you have access to one of latter two alternatives, please consider using one to mitigate risks.*

Announcements and the worship bulletin will be available at church and via email and computers.

### *In the Sanctuary*

1. An effective mask properly worn is required at all times when you are inside the church for all those two years old and over.
2. Seating will be designated to keep six-foot distancing (i.e. every other pew).

**On Facebook:** <https://www.facebook.com/ziongoshertsucc/> live or when you have time.

**On the telephone:** 717-202-4403 Please note: if you receive a busy signal, keep calling back.