



**WELCOME TO THIS WEEK'S EDITION**  
of the  
Weekly Email Update/News & Notes for  
January 19, 2025

**Our "Back to Basics" Journey continues!**

Our "Back to Basics" year continues this Sunday as we explore and rediscover what it is we believe about our faith as followers of Jesus. At present we are in the midst of an in-depth look at the United Church of Christ Statement of Faith. I hope you will join us AND that you will share your questions with me as well as your suggestions about what you would like to know about your faith and our church, why we are who we are and what this is so unique in comparison with other churches in the area.

**Attached please find the Worship Resource 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, Jan. 19 @ 9:45am – Worship with Rev. Ruth preaching**
  - Stewardship Campaign thank you notes written by all during Fellowship!
- **TUESDAY, Jan. 21 @ 6:30pm – Trustees via Zoom**
- **THURSDAY, Jan 23, 1-3pm – Rev. Ruth's Community Office Hours at Martin House Books**
- **SUNDAY, Jan. 26 @ 9:45am – Worship with Rev. Ruth preaching**
  - **ANNUAL MEETING immediately following**
  - **ANNUAL MEETING BRUNCH** in Fellowship Hall following meeting – Sign Up Please!

**SOME LONG RANGE CALENDAR DATES!**

- **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?
  - Flyer attached!!!

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

**OUR NEW SIGN-UP FOR FLOWERS FOR SUNDAY WORSHIP HAS BEEN POSTED** in Fellowship Hall along with instructions about the various ways you can provide flowers for all to enjoy in celebration of special occasions or in memory of loved ones.

**Please check out the sign-up sheets on the bulletin board outside Fellowship Hall!!!**

- **Annual Meeting Brunch!!!**
- **We need Ushers & Greeters!!!!**

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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