



Temporary Suspension of Worship Gatherings at Epiphany

Beloved of Epiphany,

For those who may not have seen it yet, here is Bishop Jennifer's Pastoral Letter from yesterday. **Bishop has suspended in-person worship until, at least, April 20th.**

As you know, this is a fluid, and challenging moment for our country and for each other. As always, your well-being is important to all your clergy, both spiritual and physical. Please reach out to your Deacons, Scott or Janetta, Priest Lynn or myself should you need someone to listen, pick up some groceries, run errands, or most importantly, pray with you. Basing our relationships on the unconditional love of God, we will get through this — together — creating new ways to BE community for one another.

We are also blessed to have wonderful staff, and amazing ministry leaders who share with me a commitment to finding ways to stay connected.

In that effort:

1. The staff and member volunteers are working on creating an on-line worship service for those who have access to the internet.
2. We will also find ways to create worship for those who are not online.
3. Staff Meeting is this afternoon at 4 — via Zoom — where we will discuss our options for 'gathering for worship'.
4. We are also intentionally looking at a variety of ways and approaches to staying connected as a loving community.

Look for future communications on the fruit of our labors later this wee

With abiding love,
Priest Marianna+