
Subject: Pastor's Weekly Email

From: News from FCCV (lists@firstchurchofvernon.org)

To:

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Hello, Beloved.

The text for Sunday is Paul's *Love is patient, Love is kind* passage, which we'll try to unpack, and the sermon's title is actually Toughlove! It's not always an easy thing to employ in a marriage, family, and church; and it's okay if our voice shakes when we do. I can open a window on Sunday's message with the refrain from Sara Bareilles' hit song, "Brave":

*Say what you wanna say
And let the words fall out
Honestly I wanna see you be brave
With what you want to say
And let the words fall out
Honestly I wanna see you be brave
I wanna see you be brave*

If you don't know the song, you could check it out on Youtube.

There are 6 Sundays in Lent (the first Sunday begins February 14 - *I know!*), and we will be offering the Lenten candle wreath again, lighting 6 candles and extinguishing one each Sunday. We'll need 2 readers per Sunday, so we'll need 12 in all! Would you like to take part? Please let Rev. Robin or me know. Or call the church office. Thank you.

Hey, thank you for filling the grocery carts on Sunday! :) 13% of adults in Connecticut are food insecure; 19% of Connecticut children are food insecure. 1-8 people worldwide are hungry.

For our Lenten programming, the Lenten committee is offering a series, *Conversations with God/Conversations with Jesus*, which begins **tonight** from 6:30 pm - 7:30 pm. Our seminarian intern, Barb Hesse, will be leading the series. Dessert and coffee will be served. The series will run through February Fridays, with a break on March 4. We'll have

an Agape Dinner on March 6 from 5:00-6:30 pm, and the series picks up again for March 11 and 18.

Have a great coupla days, Beloved City of God! Let's keep dancing! (BTW, there's no line dancing tonight, but there will be through February Fridays at 7:30 pm, following the Lenten programming.)

January 31 Scripture: Apostle Paul's Epistle (letter) to the church in Corinth: 1 Corinthians 13:1-13

<http://bible.oremus.org/?ql=222764101>

We're building the City of God 🏠,
Rev. Suz, Interim Senior Pastor

Reminder..

Don't forget to order your Super Bowl Grinders during Coffee Hour this Sunday!
There's no potluck this Sunday.



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