For February 23, 2025, The Seventh Sunday of Epiphany

Prayers for the coming Week:

Prayers for our Church: For Sean, Presiding Bishop; Julia, President of the House of Deputies; Matthew, our Bishop; Mary, our Priest; Bob & Phil our Wardens, Connie, Deanna, Robin, our Vestry, Jessica, our Treasurer.

In the Anglican Cycle of Prayer Episcopal Anglicana do Brasil

In the Diocese of Wisconsin Cycle of Prayer: Trinity, Oshkosh; St John's New London.

In our Community: All the Burlington Area Churches, Love Inc., The Transitional Living Center, The Women's Resource Center, The Diocesan Hospitality Center.

For those suffering from war, natural disasters or the economic crises in our world. For those who are our enemies.

For those in the Armed Forces and especially those deployed. Mikey Reyna-Maynes In Our Parish Cycle of Prayer: John & Lynn O'Brien; Ken & Christine Porter.

For those celebrating Birthdays:

For those celebrating an Anniversary:

For those preparing for the Birth of a Child:

For those celebrating the Birth of a Child:

For those preparing for Baptism:

For those who are in need: Eileen Allen, Louise Christy, Sue Hallingstad, Tom Hallingstad, Emmy Hein, Bernice Heyer, Ruth Knabel, Cynie Lawrence, Ken Markham, Dorothy & David McDonald, Rev Loretta & Bert Mendoza, Greg Nelson, Suzanne Nelson, Eric & Chris Nelson, Mary Nichols, Jerry Ramsey, the Rayna-Maynes family, Bernie Roosa, Jason Smith & the Lovell Family, the Weingardt family, Bob Yoerin.

For those who have died:

Announcements:

* Today's Loose Plate Offering funds our February Outreach Project, relief for victims of natural disasters via Episcopal Relief & Development and World Central Kitchen.

*** Our Lenten Study & Conversation meets Tuesdays at 5:30pm in Healy Hall. ALL are Welcome!

*** **Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper** March 4th, 5:30 to 7pm in Healy Hall. Come for dinner of pancakes & conversations.

***To begin our Holy Lent, on March 5th, **Ash Wednesday**, St John the Divine will hold two services, a **Noon** service with no music and a **6:00pm** service with music. ALL are Welcome. * Our next TLC Meal is **Thursday March 6th.** How will you help?

***St. John the Divine will hold a **rummage sale** May 9th & 10th. Start setting things aside to contribute (but please, don't promise your neighbor they can completely empty their basement onto us). {planning meeting next Sunday}

Reminders:

* Would you like to help with the Sunday bursar duties? The work involves calculator assisted simple addition, filling out a bank deposit slip & an electronic tally sheet.

* Would you like to be an Acolyte, Altar Guild member, Chalice Bearer, Reader, Server, or

Thurifer? If you are interested in any of these, or all of these, please, mention it to Rev. Mary. * To improve our knowledge of who is in the building and thus enhance building security, the

'Ramp Door' and 'Double Glass Landing Doors' will be locked at the beginning of the service. * The book to request prayers is on the table near the greeter's area outside Healy Hall *Coffee Hour & Conversation! Do you like to make tasty treats? We are calling all passionate bakers! We'll take care of the coffee and tea; all we need from you is to bring some delectable treats or breakfast to share with everyone. Please, <u>Sign Up on the board in Healy Hall</u>. Whether you go solo or team up with a friend, bring your delicious treats and your winning smile!