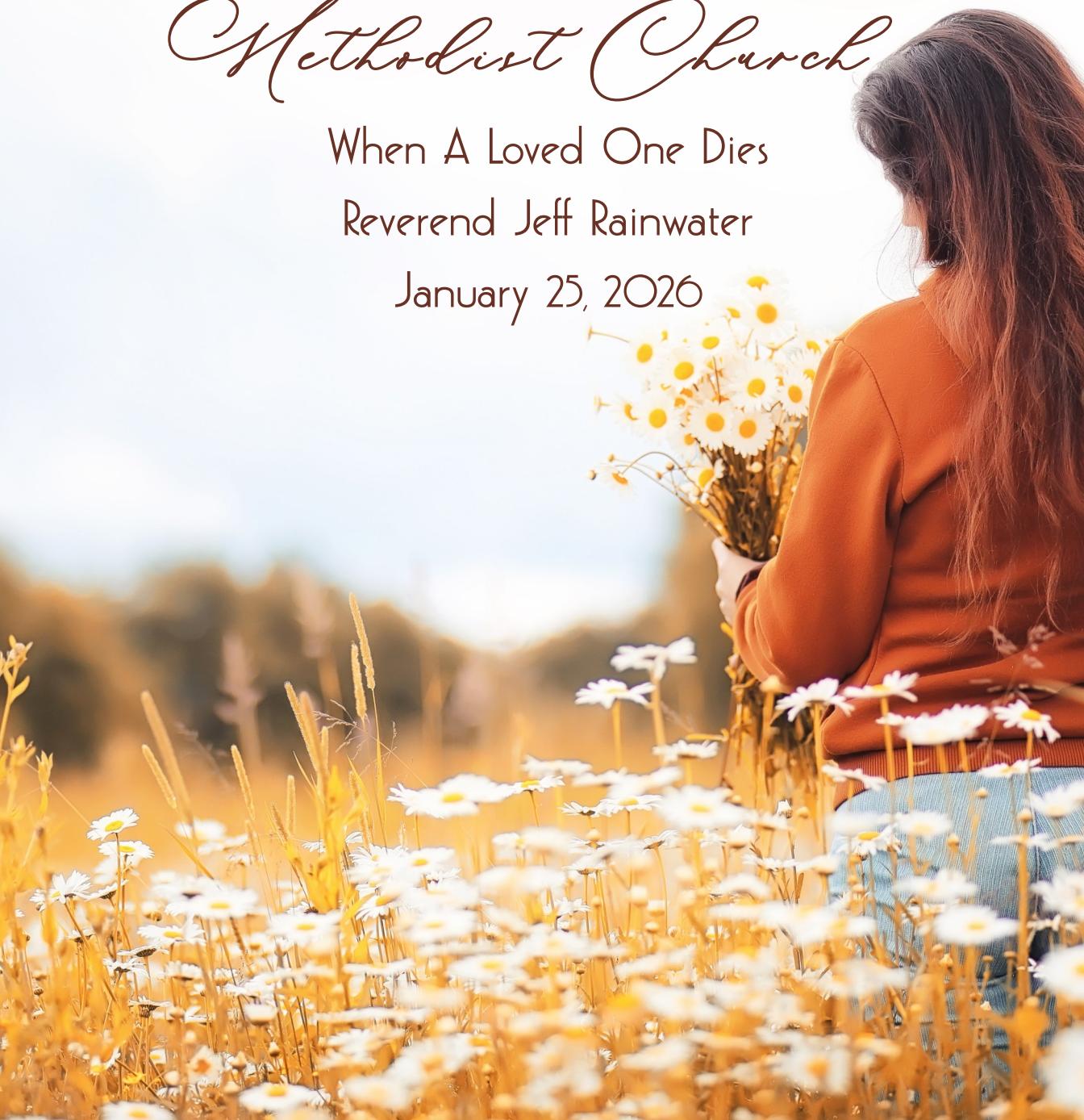


Hopi United Methodist Church

When A Loved One Dies

Reverend Jeff Rainwater

January 25, 2026





SUNDAY, JANUARY 25, 2026
10:00 A.M. WORSHIP

THIRD SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY



WE GATHER

PRELUDE

*Prelude on "Abide With Me"
My Faith Looks Up to Thee
Great is Thy Faithfulness*

setting by Franklin Ashdown
arr. by Eleanor Whittset
setting by Donald Hustad
Cheryl Saborsky, CAGO, organist

WELCOME & INVITATION TO GOD'S PRESENCE

***PASSING THE PEACE OF CHRIST**

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

Caitlyn O'Neil

L: How long, O Lord?
How long will sorrow weigh on our hearts?
P: How long will loss shape our days and nights?
L: We come with questions that have no easy answers
and with grief that does not follow a timetable.
P: We come carrying tears, memories, and the ache of absence.
L: The psalms remind us that God hears our cries
and does not turn away from our pain.
P: So we bring what we have—words or silence, faith or doubt.
L: Here, we are not asked to hide our grief
or pretend we are stronger than we are.
A: Let us worship the God who meets us here.

***OPENING HYMN**

Great Is Thy Faithfulness

UMH 140

OPENING PRAYER

WE RECEIVE GOD'S WORD

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

SPECIAL MUSIC

You Are The One

Anne Rowland
Red Sea

SCRIPTURE READINGS

John 11:32-44
I Thessalonians 4:13-14

Caitlyn O'Neil

MESSAGE

When A Loved One Dies

Rev. Jeff Rainwater

WE RESPOND IN FAITH**RESPONSIVE HYMN**

His Eye Is on the Sparrow

TFWS 2146

OFFERTORY

Seek Ye First (the Kingdom of God)

Karen Lafferty
Red Sea

***DOXOLOGY**

Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

UMH 94

PRAYER OF DEDICATION*PRAYER CONCERNS****A PRAYER OF LAMENT & THE LORD'S PRAYER****WE ARE SENT IN MISSION****ANNOUNCEMENTS*****CLOSING HYMN**

He Leadeth Me: O Blessed Thought

UMH 128

BENEDICTION**MUSICAL BENEDICTION** *God Be with You till We Meet Again*

UMH 672

POSTLUDE

Festival Piece on "Marion"

Gilbert Martin

Cheryl Saborsky, CAGO, organist

ANNOUNCEMENTS

United Women in Faith
Mission Work Day to make blankets
for Children's Hospital
today - January 25 - Fellowship Hall
potluck after worship - Everyone is welcome



**Saturday, February 14
8:30 am - noon**

**Hope UMC
Fellowship Hall**

**Schedule an appointment
at donors.vitalant.org
with code E025
or call 877.258.4825**



Green Team Meeting
next Sunday - February 1
11:30 am - Library

**BLOOD
DRIVE**

**Today's altar flowers are from Linda Ferrari in honor and remembrance
of 40 years for the Challenger Crew, January 26, 1986**

This service is live-streamed to the public. Your presence is consent for your image to be broadcast.

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Cheryl Saborsky CAGO | Organist
Anne Rowland | Red Sea Youth Band
Craig Laumann | Chancel Bells
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Julie Holt | Assistant to the Treasurer
Scott Senter | Director of Technology
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Wendy Wall | Director of Communications
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Melissa Trujillo | PDO Assistant to the Dir.
Charlie Neuscheler | Maintenance & Custodial

**We would like to express
our extreme gratitude to
those who help before,
during, and after worship.**

**We could not do
this without you!**

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