



A Message from The Pastor

As I write this message, snow has threatened to cancel worship a couple times. The forecast does not look good for this Sunday, either. Life is like that. We make plans, organize, set things in motion, and then life happens. All our plans need to be adjusted or may even be canceled. All the time and thought and resources we put into this are gone. The reason could be something we might have seen coming and simply lost track of or chose to ignore. For example, we make plans to go on a trip, but a family member has a health crisis. We sort of knew that might happen because the doctor warned us, but we didn't really do much about it. The reason could be something we could not have known about or done anything to prevent. For example, the day before that trip, we all come down with the flu. Stuff happens. We wish that we could control our lives, but we can't. We can trust in our God, who is the same yesterday, today and forever. God's promises are sure. God's love is steadfast. Life may not work out the way we would like, but God walks with us through it all. We are never dealing with "stuff" alone; but God is always with us. "The Lord bless you and keep you; the Lord make his face shine on you and be gracious to you; the Lord turn his face toward you and give you peace." – Numbers 6: 24-26

Blessings,
Pastor Margery