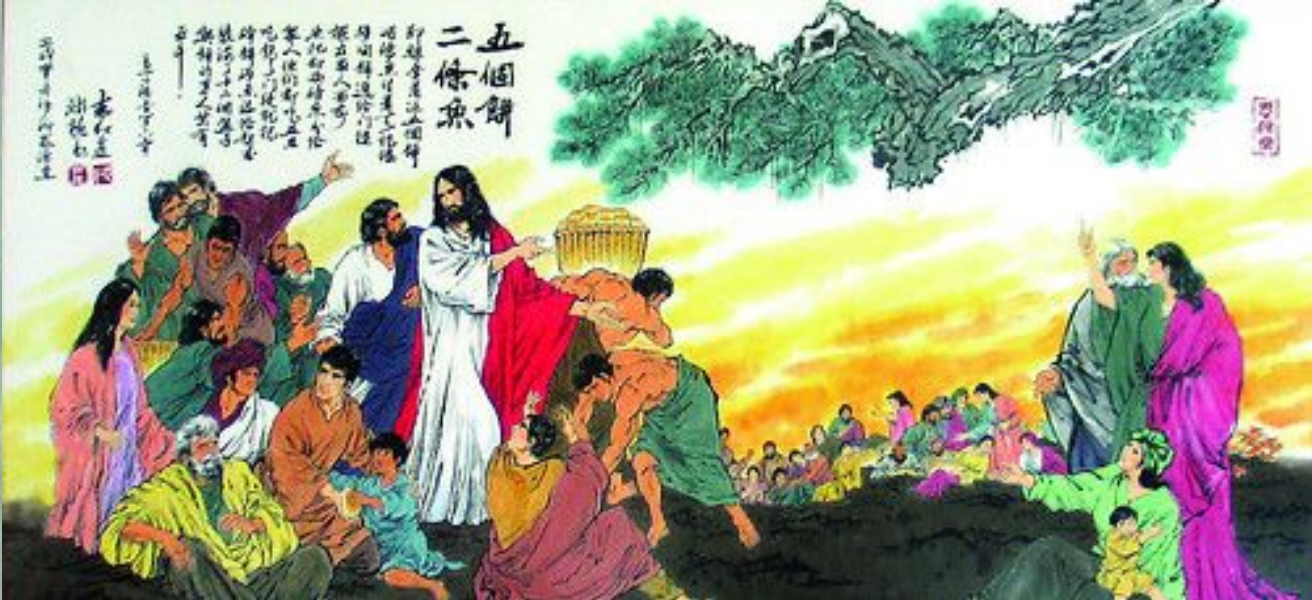




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# ENews

THURSDAY FEB 13, 2025



Sermon on the Mount / Unknown

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**Choir Rehearsals begin tonight, February 13, at 7:30 in Fellowship Hall**

**Come join the fun and lift your voice in song**

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**First Semi-Annual Meeting will be held after Worship on Sunday, February 16**

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### **Farewell planned for Edie Lohr**

Many of you know that our dear sister Edie will be moving to New Mexico at the end of February. We will send her off with special prayers as part of the service on **Sunday, February 23** and a special coffee hour following worship. Plan to join us!

### **A Place to Turn Diaper Drive in February - Extended to 2/16**

A Place to Turn is a local food pantry

located on Hartford Street in Natick. Their director, Rebecca Gallo, recently provided an update at a Caring Coalition meeting. The pantry serves clients from 12 communities, including Natick, Framingham and Marlboro. Ms. Gallo reported that **80 – 90 families have been coming to A Place to Turn every day**, an increase of 70% over last year. At this point, they are close to a breaking point and need more community support to be able to continue their work.



**This Sunday, February 16, we will collect diapers and baby wipes.** Diapers in sizes 4, 5 and 6 are especially needed. Cash donations are welcome, but will not be processed through Christ Lutheran Church – speak with Dorothy Nail or Celeste Larson for more details. Checks can be written to A Place to Turn. You can also order diapers online and ship to: Diaper Project, 99 Hartford St., Natick, MA 01760. Let Dorothy or Celeste know if you do this so we can add your contribution to our grand total!

Other ways you can help:

- Make a cash donation via their website: [aplacetoturn-natick.org](http://aplacetoturn-natick.org)
- Shop online via their Amazon wish list, which ships directly to a Place to Turn
- Donate some most needed items: coffee, cereal, pasta, pasta sauce, canned pineapple. Donation drop off hours are M & W 8:30-1:30, T & Th 1:00-4:00

**Is there a member of our community who is willing to coordinate continuing support for A Place to Turn?** Speak to [Celeste Larson](#) if you are willing to help.

### **Interfaith Harmony Week**

Join us for Natick's inaugural World Interfaith Harmony Week. The events begin **Wednesday, February 26th**, with a "Know Your Neighbor" gathering at Christ Lutheran. [Click](#) for a full list of the week's events.



# JOIN US FOR NATICK'S INAUGURAL WORLD INTERFAITH HARMONY WEEK

**FEBRUARY 26 - MARCH 4, 2025**



## What is the Caring Coalition??

Several area churches began connecting around various outreach projects each of us was working on. We realized that churches are often working on very similar projects. Learn more about the Caring Coalition [here](#).

## Wildfire Relief

If you are looking for a place where you can donate to help the people of California, **Lutheran Disaster Response** is a great choice. Go to [ELCA.org](https://ELCA.org) to donate.

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