



Thursday, January 22, 2026

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Greetings,

I am sending you all a quick note from my favorite vacation destination – New York City. I am here for a few days of Rest and Relaxation (seeing four shows, having dinner with a friend, and meeting with the director of Abraham's Tent to tentatively plan a course of action for the Intergenerational Mission Trip for this coming summer). Over the coming weeks, I will probably share with you some wisdom retained from the plays and shows seen, or snippets of conversation had with complete strangers on the streets of New York. But, for now, I am just grateful for a few days away from the office, to enjoy the performing arts, and to celebrate the sharing of peoples incredible gifts on stage.

Here are some things coming up...

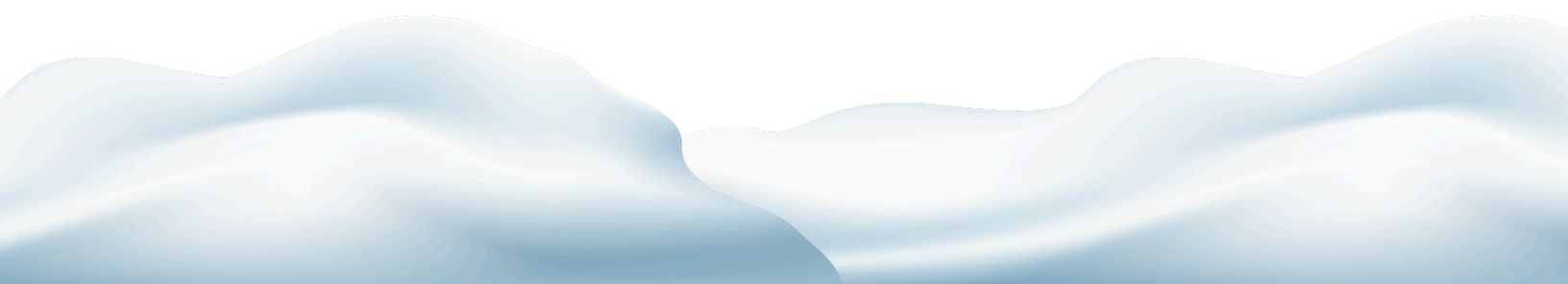
Celebration of Life Service for Ed Eisendrath Ed Eisendrath died peacefully on the morning of January 19, after beginning hospice care on January 17. His Celebration of Life service will be held on Saturday, January 31, 2026. Visitation will take place from 10:30 a.m. until Noon. Worship Service will be at Noon, with luncheon to follow. We are in need of people to do the following: 1) take charge of organizing the volunteers to work for the luncheon, 2) people to volunteer to set up for the luncheon, and 3) people to bake desserts for the dessert table at the luncheon.

Confirmation Project to be announced on Sunday February 1 This year we have a class of 8 very inquisitive and gifted students, and between them, they have come up with six wonderful service projects. On February 1, they will share their story about what their project is and why it is important to them. Confirmation Projects have three requirements: 1) they must be related to a special cause or interest that the confirmand is passionate about, 2) they must involve members of their own family, and 3) they must also involve members of the congregation. So, be ready to pitch in.

I look forward to seeing all of you on Sunday. And remember, the Microphone will be set up at the center of the aisle for you to share your stories of “where you have seen God – in the world, in the community, and/or in our church!

See you at Church!

Peace, Pastor Dave



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MONDAY, JAN 26 • 6:30PM-8:00PM

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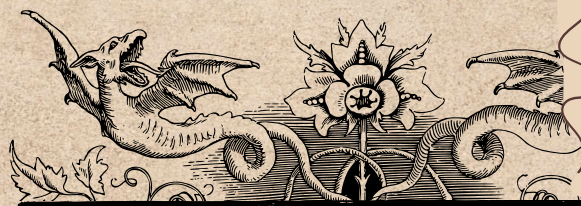
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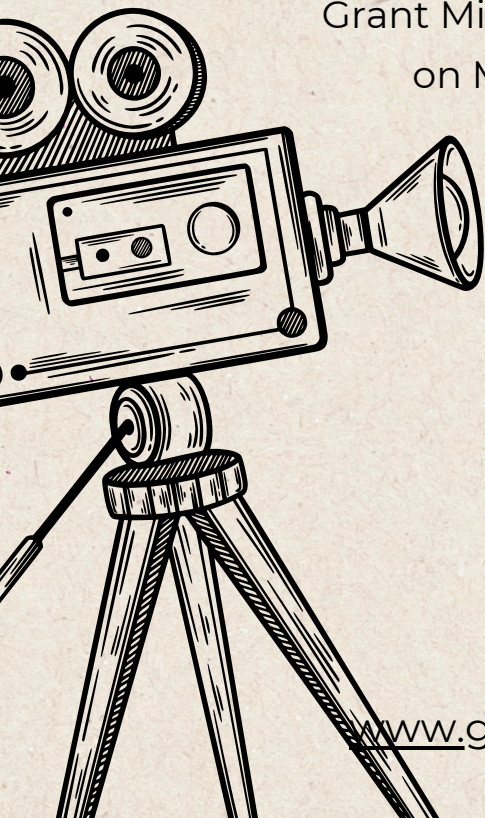
Values and Visions



Solidarity Cinema Night

THE ENCAMPMENTS WITH OUR FRIENDS AT USPCN

“The Encampments” explores the 2024 Palestine solidarity campus encampments at Columbia University and other pro-Palestinian protests on university campuses, such as the Palestine solidarity encampment at the University of California, Los Angeles. The film features some leaders of the protests at Columbia, including Mahmoud Khalil, Grant Miner, and Sueda Polat. It originally premiered on March 25, 2025. Run time 1 hour : 21 min.



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