**Supper Service Reading**: **NOVEMBER 2014**

**(Recruit 2 Readers)**

***Reader(s)*** *come to lectern during the candlelighting, standing back from the lectern to wait through the silence.*

*Bell. Silence. Chime.*

***Reader(s)*** *step up the lectern and say:*

**READER 1: Hear a reading from… the Wisdom of Solomon**

**Reader 1-** The beginning of wisdom is the most sincere desire for instruction,

**Reader 2-** and concern for instruction is love of her,

**Reader 1-** and love of her is the keeping of her laws,

**Reader 2-** and giving heed to her laws is assurance of immortality,

**Reader 1-** and immortality brings one near to God;

**Reader 2-** so the desire for wisdom leads to a kingdom.

.*Bell.* ***Reader*** *returns to seat during the silence*

**Supper Service Reading**: **DECEMBER 2014**

**(Recruit 2 Readers)**

***Reader(s)*** *come to lectern during the candlelighting, standing back from the lectern to wait through the silence.*

***Bell. Silence. Chime.***

***Reader(s)*** *step up the lectern and say:*

**READER 1: Hear a reading from… Paul’s 1st Letter to the Thessalonians**

**READER 1-** Rejoice always,

**READER 2-** pray without ceasing,

**READER 1-** give thanks in all circumstances;

**READER 2-** for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you.

**READER 1-** Do not quench the Spirit.

**READER 2-** Do not despise the words of prophets,

**READER 1-** but test everything;

**READER 2-** hold fast to what is good;

**READER 1-** abstain from every form of evil.

**READER 2-** May the God of peace himself sanctify you entirely;

**READER 1-** and may your spirit and soul and body be kept sound and blameless at the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ.

**READER 2-** The one who calls you is faithful, and he will do this.

*Bell.* ***Reader*** *returns to seat during the silence.*

**Supper Service Reading**: **JANUARY 2015**

**(Recruit 2 Readers)**

***Reader(s)*** *come to lectern during the candlelighting, standing back from the lectern to wait through the silence.*

***Bell. Silence. Chime.***

***Reader(s)*** *step up the lectern and say:*

**READER 1: Hear a reading from…The Gospel of Mark**

John the baptizer appeared in the wilderness, proclaiming a baptism of repentance for the forgiveness of sins. And people from the whole Judean countryside and all the people of Jerusalem were going out to him, and were baptized by him in the river Jordan, confessing their sins. Now John was clothed with camel's hair, with a leather belt around his waist, and he ate locusts and wild honey. He proclaimed,

**READER 2:** "The one who is more powerful than I is coming after me; I am not worthy to stoop down and untie the thong of his sandals. I have baptized you with water; but he will baptize you with the Holy Spirit."

**READER 1:** In those days Jesus came from Nazareth of Galilee and was baptized by John in the Jordan. And just as he was coming up out of the water, he saw the heavens torn apart and the Spirit descending like a dove on him. And a voice came from heaven,

**READER 2:** "You are my Son, the Beloved; with you I am well pleased."

*Bell.* ***Reader*** *returns to seat during the silence.*

**Supper Service Reading**: **FEBRUARY 2015**

**(Recruit 2 Readers)**

***Reader(s)*** *come to lectern during the candlelighting, standing back from the lectern to wait through the silence.*

***Bell. Silence. Chime.***

***Reader(s)*** *step up the lectern and say:*

**READER 1: Hear a reading from…The Gospel of Mark**

**READER 2:** Jesus left the synagogue at Capernaum, and entered the house of Simon and Andrew, with James and John. Now Simon's mother-in-law was in bed with a fever, and they told him about her at once. He came and took her by the hand and lifted her up. Then the fever left her, and she began to serve them.

**READER 1:** That evening, at sundown, they brought to him all who were sick or possessed with demons. And the whole city was gathered around the door. And he cured many who were sick with various diseases, and cast out many demons

*Bell.* ***Reader*** *returns to seat during the silence.*