Devotion, Week of February 2, 2025 Rev. Jeanne Simpson

I'm afraid to read the newspaper every morning. I never know what new horror has hit – plane crashes, government insanity, , Israeli/ Hamas broken promises, murder and mayhem. I pray each day for God to help us in this time of chaos, and to help me look for hope in the world around me. We've discussed that in Sunday School the last couple of weeks. In the midst of what seems to be threatening the stability of our world, where do we find hope?

We always find in prayer and in the promises of God. God loves us. God made us in God's image. God wants us to be well and joyful. We have to pray for that and wait at times for God to show us the way. I hope you will remember as each day's news seems to be plunging us into darkness that you carry the light of Christ within you, and it is up to us to show that light to others. This little light of mine – I'm gonna let it shine. It may be little, but it's holy. May this week find you some time of peace and hope and light.

Yours in Christ,

