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Epiphany 2021 Radiant Hope

So may we know the hope that is not just for someday but for this dayhere, now, in this moment that opens to us: hope not made of wishes but of substance, hope made of sinew and muscle and bone, hope that has breath and a beating heart, hope that will not keep quiet and be polite, hope that knows how to holler when it is called for, hope that knows how to sing when there seems little cause. hope that raises us from the deadnot someday but this day, every day, again and again and again.

> Jan Richardson, *The Cure for Sorrow*. P 163 Find other resources by Jan Richardson at https://www.janrichardson.com, Used by permission

_____Reflection Question _____

What are you hoping for?

January 3 EPIPHANY OBSERVED

Isaiah 60:1-6 Psalm 72:1-7, 10-14 Ephesians 3:1-12 Matthew 2:1-12

January 10 Baptism of Jesus

Genesis 1:1-5 Psalm 29 Acts 19:1-7 Mark 1:4-11

January 17

1 Samuel 3:1-20 Psalm 139:1-6, 13-18 1 Corinthians 6:12-20 John 1:43-51

January 24

Jonah 3:1-5, 10 Psalm 62:5-12 1 Corinthians 7:29-31 Mark 1:14-20

January 31

Deuteronomy 18:15-20 Psalm 111 1 Corinthians 8:1-13 Mark 1:21-28

February 7

Isaiah 40:21-31 Psalm 147:1-11, 20c 1 Corinthians 9:16-23 Mark 1:29-39

February 14

Transfiguration Sunday 2 Kings 2:1-12

Psalm 50:1-6 2 Corinthians 4:3-6 Mark 9:2-9

February 17 Ash Wednesday

Joel 2:1-2, 12-17 Psalm 51:1-17 2 Corinthians 5:20b-6:10 Matthew 6:1-6, 16-21

February 21 LENT

Genesis 9:8-17 Psalm 25:1-10 1 Peter 3:18-22 Mark 1:9-15

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