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Welcome to Simple Gifts

By the Rev. J. Randolph Alexander, Jr.

I am pleased to introduce *Simple Gifts*, Immanuel's new periodic email message to inspire the spirit. The vestry and I are hopeful that you will read it and share your favorites with friends, family, and neighbors. *Simple Gifts* will draw on a number of our extended "family" from Immanuel and VTS as contributing writers. I know you will treasure their meditations. I am grateful to Danette (Dani) Kauffman for having the idea for this new outreach and organizing this new publication. It is, of course, beginning during the pandemic, and we hope it will last long afterwards.

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Your comments are always a welcome blessing. May *Simple Gifts* offer new ideas to support and sustain us on our pilgrim journey.