## Marina Rawls – February Website

I was unable to attend the Faith Lift event that Rev. Kimi Brown spoke at on Feb 3 due to a previously scheduled engagement. I would like to share a portion of the devotion I had prepared for that day:

The prophet, Micah, is dealing with both racism and social classism, which are both offensive to God. Micah speaks out on behalf of two types of people: those who are in poverty and those who are in the margins of society. Micah responds by calling the people of God (and us today) to walk humbly with God, do justice and love mercy.

The TWK Conference UWF, Charter for Racial Justice will be hosting a panel discussion using the book "So You Want to Talk About Race" as a guide, at John Wesley UMC, located at 901 Benton Avenue, Nashville, TN 37204. The time is 10:00am -12:00pm on Saturday, Mar 23, 2024, perhaps several from our district could represent and carpool to this event.

Holy God, upon the mountain you revealed our Messiah, who by his death and resurrection would fulfill both the law and the prophets. By his transfiguration enlighten our path that we may dare to suffer with him in the service of humanity and so share in the everlasting glory of him who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, One God, forever. Amen ~L.H.Stookey

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