

**Looking Back: Songs and Readings from 100 years ago**  
**The Plainfield Congregational Church**  
**356 West Main Street**

**Friday, Feb. 6 7 – 9 pm (snow date Saturday, Feb. 7)**

**Musicians: Laurie Israel, David Perkins, William Sheppard,  
June Persing**

**Readers: Alice Schertle and Susan Pearson**

**An exploration of the music, poetry, and memories of the early 20th century. Included are spirituals of Afro-American soldiers, songs of lost youth and lost love, worker songs, Appalachian and British folksongs. Songs that were sung by the famous Irish tenor, John McCormack will be performed, as well as popular songs of the era, “Danny Boy” and “The Lost Chord”.**

**Readings of poetry and contemporaneous accounts of events of the time period will be interspersed with the music.**

**Contributions appreciated as a benefit for the Historical Shaw-Hudson House.**