

The Oldtown Message



Jan. 21, 2018

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, UCC
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NORTH ATTLEBOROUGH, MA 02760

Soup Luncheon

Our annual Soup Luncheon will be held on Saturday, February 10th. Seatings will be offered at 11:30 and 1:30. The price is \$8.00 per person. The supper ministry is looking for volunteers to make finger foods and desserts. If you can help out please let Deb Fennell or Marion England know.

Pastor Kelly Away

Pastor Kelly will be away in Grand Rapids, Michigan this coming week. If you have a pastoral need please contact Jim Fennell or Hope Cahill.

Coffee House

The next coffee house will be held on Friday, February 2nd. If you are available to help set-up or supervise please let Ed Clavette know.

Thank you!

Thank you to everyone who came out for Game Night. We are looking forward to hosting more of these fellowship activities throughout the year.

STEWARDSHIP CORNER



OFFERING LAST WEEK:

\$1,599.00 - \$233.62 more than budgeted

OFFERINGS TO DATE:

\$400.00 more than budgeted

FUND RAISING (end of Dec.):

\$1,400.00 less than budgeted

TOTAL BUDGETED INCOME (end of Dec.):

\$4,300.00 more than budgeted

TOTAL BUDGETED EXPENSES (end of Dec.):

\$1,200.00 less than budgeted

DID YOU KNOW?

Our annual meeting is a great opportunity to learn about the financial and "organizational" aspects of the church. All are welcome. Even if you're not a member, you can attend - you just are not eligible to cast a vote. Our church is at its most healthy when more people actively participate.

"Come to me, all you that are weary and carrying heavy burdens, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you, and learn from me; for I am gentle and humble in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. For my yoke is easy, and my burden is light."

~ Matthew 11:28-30 (NRSV)

JANUARY 21st - JANUARY 27th

Sunday: Sunday School 9am, Worship 10am

Monday:

Tuesday: No Office Hours

Wednesday:

Thursday: No Office Hours

Friday:

Saturday:



Visit from MA Conference UCC

On Tuesday, January 23rd the Massachusetts conference will be using Maxcy Hall from 1:00-2:30 to hold a focus group. There will be no office hours that day as Pastor Kelly will be away.



February 1st

Service of Comfort and Hope 6pm

February 2nd

Coffee House at 7pm in Maxcy Hall

February 4th

Souper Bowl of Caring

February 10th

Soup Luncheon 11:30 & 1:30 / \$8.00pp

February 13th

Pancake Supper & Bible Jeopardy

February 14th

Ash Wednesday Service 7pm

February 20th

Church Committee 7pm

IN NEED OF OUR PRAYERS

Joey, Brandon, Brian, Kristen, Susan, Kerri, Gordon, Cheryl, Summer, Summer's friend, Howie, Dani, Judy, Sharon, Edmond, Harry and Virginia, Marty and Sandy, Maryam, Lynne, Ruby, Roxanne, Don, Sue, Steve, Lydia, Leo, Marisol, Debra, Phil, Meena

Would you like to add someone to our prayer list?

Email Hope at hope.cahill@gmail.com or fill out a prayer card and drop it in the offering plate.