WELCOME

We're glad you've joined us for worship today. Please know that whoever you are, wherever you are on life's journey, you are welcome here!

<u>If you're visiting, we invite you to fill out a visitor's card</u> (found in the pews or on the back tables) and place it in an offering box, to help us better connect with you.

Looking for more information about the church? Please feel free to ask the pastor or contact the church office during the week.

An Open and Affirming Congregation

For those interested in joining the Church, January 8 & 29 - Our next process for receiving new members will be in January. The preparatory meeting for those interested will be held on Jan. 8, right after the service (with pastor and Deacons), and the Sunday for joining (during the regular service) is planned for Jan. 29. If interested, please let Rev. Brenda, or a Deacon, know of your plans to attend. Inquirers welcome, without obligation, at the meeting on Jan. 8.

<u>Hat & Glove Collection -</u> We will be continuing our long-standing tradition of collecting warm hats and gloves to decorate the Christmas tree in the sanctuary. Please bring items in a plastic bag to avoic sap on them. These will be donated to Canton Social Services and Gifts of Love.

<u>Brian's Angels -</u> On Jan. 20, we will meet from 10:00 to approximately 12:30 to make a hot meal. Sign-up sheets on the kitchen door. Thank you for helping with this important mission.

CONGREGATIONAL MEETING ~ SUNDAY, JANUARY 15, 2023

NOTICE OF A SPECIAL MEETING: of the First Congregational Church, Canton Center, Sunday, January 15, 2023 after the 10 am service, *OR* on subsequent Sundays until a Ouorum is obtained.

AGENDA

- 1. Approval of the proposed 2023 budget.
- 2. Any other business proper to come before said meeting.

Respectfully Submitted, Bev Sealand, Clerk

Pastor: The Rev. Dr. Brenda Pelc-Faszcza **Director of Music**: Mary Lou Keefe

Dir. of Faith Formation: Dr. Hollace Bristol **Asst. Dir. of Faith Formation:** Karen Needham

Sexton: Walt LeGeyt

Office Manager: Kristen DiMattia

Ministers: Every Member

Duty Deacons: Bev Sealand & Eric Herbek

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