

**WELCOME ~ OCT 29, 2023**

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!

**If you're visiting, we invite you to fill out a visitor's card** (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 church office during the week.

*The flowers this morning are given by Kathy Pickrell  
in memory of loved ones.*

**THIS SATURDAY - FALL CLEAN UP DAY**

Saturday, November 4th from 8:30 - 12:00 p.m. we'll be doing some outdoor things and getting ready for winter. If you could, please bring rakes, leaf blowers, and hedge trimmers.

**November Mission's Collection** - Our November collection will be **gift cards for the families served by Wellmore**. You may remember that we purchased gifts in the past, but Wellmore has been requesting gift cards recently. Cards for places like Wal-Mart and Target enable families to shop for desired Christmas items themselves. Remember, you can bring in gift cards or, even better, **purchase from Scrip** after church. All cards can be given to Geri Bunnell or Casey Levine.

**Brian's Angels Sandwich Making** - We will meet at **11:00 a.m. on Friday, November 17<sup>th</sup>** to make sandwiches for Brian's Angels. Please see sign up sheet on the kitchen door.

**Our Annual Sunday-before-Thanksgiving Potluck** - will take place after the service on **Nov. 19**. Sponsored each year by the Wider Church Fellowship Committee, this event brings our church family together to enjoy a Thanksgiving-style lunch. We will need a few people to bring roasted turkeys and, others to bring side dishes and desserts. **Please watch for sign up sheets on the kitchen door.**

**Stewardship** -Please remember to return your pledge cards and thank you to all who have already done so. You may find extra forms on the table near the kitchen.

**Pastoral Search Committee** - If you'd like to be considered for the search committee, or would like to suggest someone instead, there are several immediate ways to do so. Please send a private email to [cantoncenterpastorsearch@gmail.com](mailto:cantoncenterpastorsearch@gmail.com), call the church office, or use the confidential suggestion box on the table near the missions box.

**OUR MISSION STATEMENT**

*We gather as a welcoming community in worship, learning, service and fellowship to embody Christ's message of love, compassion and justice. Joining faith with action, both within and beyond our church, we strive to build a community that serves all.*

*An Open and Affirming Church*

**Interim Pastor:** Rev. Kurt Satherlie  
**Ministers:** Every Member  
**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

**Duty Trustee:** Sue Lampros & Bob Howson  
**Duty Deacons:** Phil Doyle & Cora Mutch  
**Greeters:** Hollace Bristol & Karen Needham  
**Camera:** Kristin Oswald

Sunday 29	Monday 30	Tuesday 31	Wednesday 1	Thursday 2	Friday 3	Saturday 4
<b>Worship</b> 10 am	<b>Sr. Choir</b> 4:30 pm & <b>Guest 5:15</b> ACA/AI-Anon 7	AA 7 pm	<b>Diaconate Meeting</b> 7:00 pm	Cub Scouts 6:30- 8 pm <b>Bell Choir</b> 5:30 pm		<b>Fall Clean Up</b> 8:30-12 pm  AA 11 pm