



WELCOME ~ JANUARY 26, 2025

We are glad you've joined us for worship today. If you are visiting with us today may you discover a friendly church, a safe haven where you will be loved and accepted; where you will be challenged to reflect on your beliefs, acknowledge your doubts, ask questions, and grow in your faith. May The First Congregational Church, Canton Center help you find God's compassion, healing, reconciliation, justice and joy in our worship service and where you are given the opportunity to put your faith into action through effective outreach ministries. We hope to get to know you as a new friend and invite you to fill out a visitor card. No matter who you are, or where you are in your journey, you are welcome here.

The flowers this morning are given by Judy and Norman Robinson in loving memory of Clarence Messenger and Nancy Robinson.

We welcome this morning, our substitute organist, Susan Mollica.

Meal Train for Mary Lou

The Deacons & Choir members have put together a MEAL TRAIN for Mary Lou for every other day.

We are looking for volunteers who would like to cook and deliver these meals around 4 pm.

Please visit the link below if you would like to sign up and for more details, or talk to a Diaconate or Choir member. Thank you. <https://www.mealtrain.com/trains/56wggz>

Chili Cook Off

Mark your calendars for the Chili Cook-Off on Saturday, February 15th.

More details to follow.

Sunday	26	Monday	27	Tuesday	28	Wednesday	29	Thursday	30	Friday	31	Saturday	1
Worship 10 am		Al-Anon 7 pm		AA 7:00 pm		ACA7 pm						AA 11:00 pm	

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



Prayers for:

Martha & Paul Stansel's brother-in-law Jim, who is now at home on hospice, and for his family, especially Martha's sister Mary Ruth.

Girls/women of the world for their safety, welfare, health and lives through their reproductive rights and in the continued struggle against violence against women.
(Marianne Burbank)

Joy for the ceasefire between Gaza & Israel and prayers for the same for Ukraine and that it will maintain its freedom and democracy and that our country's democracy will continue going forward.
(Marianne Burbank)

Interim Minister: Rev. Kurt Satherlie

Director of Music: Mary Lou Keefe

Asst. of Faith Formation: Karen Needham

Deacons: Beth Lingenheld & Paul Stansel

Trustees: Scott Neumann

Ministers: Every Member

Dir. of Faith Formation: Dr. Hollace Bristol

Sexton: Walt LeGeyt

Office Manager: Kristen DiMattia

Coffee Hour Host: Rebecca Glinsman