

**FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH**  
**United Church of Christ**  
**March 12, 2023**

**The Season of Lent: Seeking**

*“We All Come Seeking: Will You Give Me a Drink?”*

*Those who are able may stand where marked (\*).*

Prelude

Welcome, Announcements & Opening Prayer

\*Hymn “God, Whose Giving Knows No Ending” *insert*

Gathering

Choir Anthem “Hymn of Abundance” *Butler*

Scripture Reading Exodus 17:1-7

Sermon “Will You Give Me a Drink?”

\*Hymn #639 “Dear Lord and Father of Mankind”

We Lift Up Our Joys and Concerns

The Lord’s Prayer (trespasses)

Stewardship Moment

\*Doxology (#815)  
Prayer of Thanksgiving

\*Hymn #340 “Turn Your Eyes upon Jesus”

\*Benediction

\*Postlude

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*Thank you for joining us for worship today!*  
*It is our sincere hope that all who gather in this place will know and experience*  
*the love, forgiveness, hope, and new life available through Jesus Christ.*

*Our Mission Statement:*

*As followers of Jesus Christ, our Lord and Savior, we are called to provide a*  
*loving invitation and welcome to all, to inspire and uplift through the worship*  
*of God, to reach out to heal and enrich lives through the Holy Spirit, and to*  
*nurture people at various stages of their spiritual growth.*

**Calendar**

Monday – Saturday, March 13-18: Pastor away

Monday, March 13: Shining Lights Board Meeting – Zoom

Tuesday, March 14: Missions Meeting 1 PM – Classroom

Wednesday, March 15: Choir Rehearsal 6 PM – Ladies Parlor

Thursday, March 16: Lenten Study 6 PM – Classroom

## March Prayer Requests

Karen & Vic Carbonneau  
Virginia Hyatt  
Karin Brown  
Madison Ferland  
Jim Blanchard  
Family of Phyllis Miller  
Alice & Frank Tillotson  
Family of Rob Poulsen

Barbara Holland  
Roberta Lavoie  
Alison & Ron Bolt  
Carter Gustafson  
Family of Richard Wilson  
Family of Herb Whipple  
Reg LaFlam

Linda and Bob Warden  
Heather Walker  
Richard Hunt  
Jon Blodgett  
Scott Ling  
Wilma Weddington  
John Campbell

*After 4 weeks names will be removed unless requested to continue.*

*Please contact Elaine Pollak, Caring Tree chair, at (802) 633-3669 or laneylou@gmail.com*

### CHURCH STAFF

Organist & Music Director: Dorothy Morton  
Administrative Assistant: Pam Nute  
Sexton: Reg LaFlam

### OFFICERS

Moderator: Alice Muh  
Vice-Moderator: Dan Kiefer  
Treasurer: Joyce Krill  
Assistant Treasurer: Rachel Clark

### COMMITTEES

**Christian Education:** Kim Smith, Chair  
**Deacons:** Mary Menzies, Chair  
**Finance:** Phil Krill, Chair  
**Mission:** Linda Warden, Chair  
**Music:** Tina Peabody, Chair  
**Personnel Relations:** Tina Peabody, Chair  
**Property Management:** Laurie Boswell, Chair  
**Stewardship:** Mary Menzies  
**Trustee of Trust Funds:** Dan Kiefer  
**Steeple Minute:** Pam Nute

### Shining Lights Learning Center:

Director: Ms. Melissa Kam      Board President: Suzanne Schott

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