

**FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, UCC**  
*South Haven, MI*

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The **2022 Annual Meeting** of First Congregational Church, UCC, South Haven for the purpose of accepting Staff, Board and Committee reports, election of officers, approving proposed 2023 budget, and voting on a proposed amendment to the by-laws, as submitted by the Church Council, will be held in the church sanctuary on Sunday, Nov. 13 at 11:30 am.

**Sunday, October 30th**

**Worship at 10:30 a.m. in the Sanctuary**

Scriptures focus this week is Isaiah 1:10-18, Luke 19:1-10. Sermon title: Isaiah, Martin Luther and Zacchaeus. Ann Habicht will be helping lead us in song while Adam Peterson will be providing the special music.

After worship please join us in Fellowship Hall for Conversation & Coffee.

*The service will be in person and streamed on Facebook. We hope you can join us in person or online.*



**Second Meeting with Lombard Peace Center November 2nd**

In this three-hour session, members of FCC will be given the opportunity to work together in small groups on creative solutions for the current challenges facing FCC. This session would be based on key areas already identified from the previous Restorative Conversation LMPC facilitated in August.

Our focus would be addressing these key areas moving forward.

- A) Who are we and who do we want to become?
- B) How does the place we live in shape who we are and what we do?
- C) What are we looking for in a new pastor?
- D) How do we improve our lines of communication with each other?
- E) How do we come to a better understanding of what it means to be an ONA congregation?

**This meeting will be held November 2, 6—9 p.m. in Fellowship Hall.** All are invited whether they attended first session or not.

Register through office so we know how many to plan for.

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## HAPPENING THIS WEEK

### **Tuesday:**

Diaconate, 7 p.m. (Lounge)

### **Wednesday:**

Women's Breakfast, 9 a.m.

Men's Breakfast, 9 a.m. (FH)

Lombard session, 6 p.m. (FH)

### **Thursday:**

Men's Coffee, 9 a.m., (FH)

Prayer Group, 2:30 (Lounge)

**NEXT SUNDAY:** Worship—10:30 a.m.

**FOOD PANTRY M/W/F** 10—Noon

**Church Office hours:** Monday - Friday: 9:30—1:30

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**First Aid/ Defibrillator training will be offered this fall depending on our Congregation's interest**

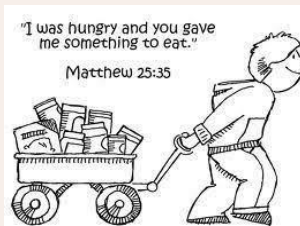
Training will be conducted on a week night in a four hour session by a certified trainer from SHAES.

Class sized is limited to 16 people, so if there is enough interest we will have more than one session.

The cost of \$14 will be covered by the Church, for Congregation members only.

If you are interested please sign the "sign up" sheets in the Narthex, or contact Dan Thompson at [dangolfer@aol.com](mailto:dangolfer@aol.com)

Questions? Contact Dan at his email.



**Food Pantry collection**

Items that the pantry is in need of:

- Tuna Fish
- Canned fruits
- Canned vegetables
- Peanut butter
- Canned soups

A box will be in the Narthex for you to place your donations, OR, drop them off to the office during the week.



**Scan to make a donation to the church.**

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