

## Newcomers Are Always Welcome!

Whether you are a visitor, new member, or longtime member, the church community invites you to become involved in our groups.

By participating in any group activities and actions, you help strengthen our congregation and the mission of the church both inside its walls and in the broader community.

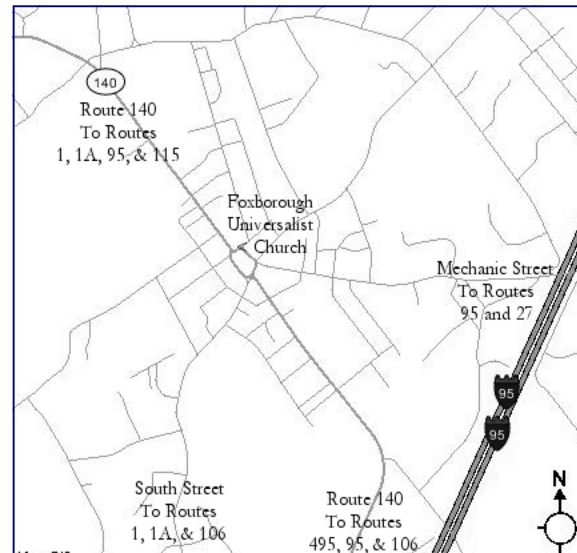
In addition to our standing committees involved with church governance (Finance Committee, Property Committee, Worship Committee, Religious Education Committee, Membership Committee, Public Relations Committee, Nominating Committee, and Auditing Committee), we currently have the following committees and groups you can join:

### Committees And Groups

- Choir
- Sunshine Committee
- Social Action Committee
- Green Sanctuary Committee
- Women's Group
- Safe Congregation Team
- Committee On Ministry
- Men's Group
- Welcoming Congregation Committee

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# Get Involved In Our Groups



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## Choir

Members of the choir meet before church to practice. New members are always welcome to join. Come and sing with the choir and refresh your spirit! (Musician: Krisanthi Pappas)

## Sunshine Committee

This circle of friends help others in the church family community when they are in need. For example, if someone is sick, we could make meals for them, pick up a few groceries, or just visit; it depends on the situation. Everybody wants to jump in and help and coordinating our efforts works best. If you know of any member or friends of the church in need of Sunshine, please pass the information on to the committee.

(Coordinator Lisette Neale)

## Social Action Committee

Noting that we are always role models for our children, the Social Action Committee is particularly interested in projects that include our children and teach them that we value helping others. In December 2006, the committee began "First Thursdays Peace Vigils", which are held from 6:00 - 7:00 p.m. on the first Thursday of every month. Everyone from the larger community is invited to participate - please show up during the hour and stay as long or as short as your schedule allows. To see some of our actions and issues we're working on, please visit [social.uufoxborough.org](http://social.uufoxborough.org).

(Coordinator: Katie Lawson)

## Green Sanctuary Committee

The Foxborough Universalist Church's Green Sanctuary Committee is dedicated to helping the church, its members, and the community at large live lightly on the earth. Please visit [green.uufoxborough.org](http://green.uufoxborough.org) for more information, (Coordinator: LeeAnn Dobro)



## Women's Group

The Women's Group usually meets at 7:00 p.m. the first Monday of every month. Like the Men's Group, the Women's Group will go in the direction its members take it. Each month will be a different topic and the group may meet at different locations. New members are welcome. (Coordinator: Nancy Wall)

## Safe Congregation Team

The Safe Congregation Team works with the Religious Education Committee and Minister to insure a safe space is maintained at the church. (Coordinator: Lisa Benoit)

## Committee On Ministry

The primary function of the Committee On Ministry is to work with the congregation on supporting, envisioning, and safeguarding our church's ministry. Over the years the committee will try to be proactive and work with the congregation to create a vision for our future, addressing concerns such as, is everyone in our church being taken care of? The focus includes, but is not limited to the service, which includes sermons and music, RE, and the integrated work of our minister and congregation.

(Coordinator: Leah Wahrhaftig-Jeri)

## Men's Group

The Foxborough Universalist Church Men's Group meetings are usually held at 7:30 p.m. the first Wednesday of every month to socialize and plan community service and church events. The group welcomes new members.

(Coordinator: Rick Benoit)

## Welcoming Congregation Committee

The Welcoming Congregation Committee helps our church create a more intentional relationship to gay, lesbian, bisexual, and transgender issues. Instead of merely being hospitable towards LGBT people, the congregation is dedicated to advocating for their needs and creating an environment that is hospitable for them and their families.

(Coordinator: Katie Lawson)

## Yours!

Didn't see a group you're interested in? Form a group and invite others to participate!