

The Congregational Church of Hollis

Mission and Action



Meets on 2nd Tuesdays at 7 pm 3 year term

The Mission & Action Board administers the mission focus of the congregation by providing outreach and education in the area of social concern. The Board serves the Church community by providing financial and volunteer support to church, local and international organizations.

Responsibilities:

- Educate the congregation and acts as the voice of the Church in the areas of monetary support, contributions and volunteering to the community at large
- Solicit opportunities for giving and volunteers to serve the community
- Determine how the M&A budget is disbursed
- Coordinate the "Item of the Month" collection program to benefit local agencies
- Meet with school nurses to identify and provide support for local families in need
- Assure coverage and provide and distribute funds for Ash St. Shelter dinners
- Host Red Cross blood drives each year
- Manage the local fuel/oil gift certificate program
- Represent the Mission and Action Board on Church Council
- Support and assist with special church events (e.g., picnics, coffee hour, celebrations)

Time & Talent Opportunities for Church Volunteers:

- Prepare and deliver Ash St. Shelter dinners
- Make deliveries to local charities
- Volunteer for blood drives
- Volunteer for church group community service projects (e.g. Nashua Habitat for Humanity builds and Nashua Soup Kitchen & Shelter group volunteer activities)
- Assist with and participate in special church events and activities

From Feb 2018 Bylaws

Board of Mission and Action

- (a) The Board of Mission and Action shall consist of a minimum of eight adults each to serve term of three years and one youth member who shall be a high school student serving for one year. The Board shall elect its own chairperson or co-chairpersons and be empowered to appoint as many additional persons (church members and/or non-members) as needed.
- (b) The Board of Mission and Action shall be responsible for providing for outreach and education in the area of social concern. They shall recommend a missions budget to the Trustees each year and shall administer the mission focus of the congregation. They shall make a written report to the church at the annual meeting.
- (c) All business of the Board shall be conducted at scheduled meetings with a quorum of at least five members present.