

NEW BEGINNING NEWS



NEW BEGINNINGS SUPPORT GROUP, INC.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
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INFORMATION

NB IS OPEN 6 TO 9 PM

Orientation	6 - 6:30 (One time event)
Support Groups	6:30 - 7:30
INFO +	7:30 - 7:50
Social Time	7:50 - 8:15
Program	8:15 - 9 (sometimes 8:30)

THE PURPOSE IS TO BENEFIT THE COMMUNITY BY PROVIDING A SUPPORT GROUP FOR ADULTS TO FIND PURPOSE AND WHOLENESS IN ALL DIMENSIONS OF THEIR LIVES AFTER EXPERIENCING A LOSS.



OCTOBER 2026

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Hi New Beginning Members

Happy October

When you read this I will be thinking of you while I am on a ship to Australia.

I will miss everyone but will be back in about six weeks.

We are in the Fall season now and the weather is colder and the leaves are turning such beautiful colors. I hope everyone takes time to enjoy this season.

On October 2nd, we celebrate World Smile Day. A wonderful reminder of how something as simple as a smile or an act of kindness can make a difference in someone's day.

Let's continue to make New Beginnings a welcoming place where everyone feels a sense of friendship and community.

On October 12th, we recognize Columbus Day and Indigenous Peoples' Day. This day provides an opportunity to reflect on our history while also recognizing and honoring the cultures, Traditions, and contributions of indigenous peoples.

Wishing you a wonderful October filled with good health, friendship, kindness, and plenty of reasons to smile.

SINCERELY,

Leslie Pearce, President

COUNCIL MEETING

THE NEXT COUNCIL MEETING WILL BE HELD ON
TUESDAY OCTOBER 20, 2026
6 PM

At First Congregational Church 519 Washington St. Whitman
All N.B. members are invited to attend.

COUNCIL MEMBERS

EXECUTIVE BOARD

President	Leslie Pearce
VP	Steve Griffin
Treasurer	Jeff Tracy
Clerk	Rosanne Payne
Past President	Leslie Pearce
Director	Gail Bowers

COMMITTEE CHAIRPERSONS

Membership	Elaine Hu
Facilitator Co.	Ann Mackey
Fund/Social	Gail Bowers
Web/Publicity	Steve Griffin
Programs	Chris Kimball
Hospitality	Cindy Landreville

MEMBERS - AT- LARGE

* Arlene Volpe
* Kim Sturge
* Silas (Tom) Adams

ARE YOU INTERESTED IN JOINING THE COUNCIL - VOLUNTEERING.

IF SO, PLEASE SEE ANY COUNCIL MEMBER.

OCTOBER PROGRAMS

OCTOBER 5 Let's Talk Relationships

OCTOBER 12 Potluck-Please use an insulated bag to keep food hot/cold.

OCTOBER 19 Fire Department re: defibrillators

OCTOBER 26 Costume Party (Prize for the best costume.)

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OCTOBER SOCIAL CALENDAR

It is important that if your plans change and you cannot attend an event you signed up for, that you notify the event host so she/he can plan accordingly.

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WED. OCTOBER 7

Dinner & Singo with Rosanne & Jeff at D'Ann's 340 Center Ave Abington \$
5:30 PM for Dinner and 6:30 PM for Singo Please sign up.

— Walking Events Please see Tom Adams or Ann Mackey.

Please sign up or email Gail -newbeginnings2016gb@gmail.com for all reservations.

Both should include your name, telephone #, and the event you want to attend.

The Social Committee is looking for members to host events.

And a special Thanks to all that do.



SAVE THE DATE SUNDAY, JANUARY 3, 2027 4 PM FOR THE HOLIDAY PARTY.
THIS PARTY WILL BE FREE TO ALL MEMBER WHO HAVE PAID THE 2027
BY DECEMBER 28TH. THE PARTY WILL BE HELD AT ABINGTON ALE HOUSE.
THE FEE FOR GUESTS WILL BE \$40.00.

THE QUEEN OF HEARTS

The Queen of Hearts is a raffle that will be played every Monday night.
\$1.00 for a raffle ticket gives you a chance you win half the pot.
There will be a board with 54 sealed envelopes attached, inside the
envelopes will be a playing card from a deck of cards.
One raffle ticket will be drawn every week and that winning raffle ticket
will get a chance to open one of those sealed envelopes.
If you open the envelope that contains the Queen of Hearts,
Congratulations, you will be the big winner.

QUEEN OF HEARTS INFO

1. You do not have to be a member to play, however, you do have to be participating in support groups, business meetings or programs.
 2. You do not have to be present to win.
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FYI

The Donation Basket is used for coffee, tea, water and snacks on Monday Night. We would appreciate everyone helping and Thanks to all that do.

The Basket is not used on potluck nights.



THE THANKSGIVING DINNER HAS BEEN CANCELLED DUE TO THE
CLOSING OF STOCKHOLDERS

