



Roxbury Congregational Church

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We Are a Community Seeking To Share God's Love!

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"...let your light shine before others" Matthew 5:16

"Is a lamp brought in to be put under a bushel basket, or under the bed, and not on the lamp stand?" Mark 4:21

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Dear Friends and Members of the Roxbury Congregational Church:

How surprisingly far-reaching is the glow of that lamp when it shines forth from the lamp stand, and how much greater its effect when joined by that of others! Will you join your light with mine?

Please prayerfully consider what you can do. We wonder how our own little light can make that much of a difference. How can we manage to keep pledging, or even manage an increase, when it is sometimes difficult just to make ends meet? The answer is amazingly simple, and it works! Just take it off the top, and God will see to the rest.

The light and love go forth to the world, where it is so needed, and we, in turn, discover the meaning of stewardship: serving the Lord with our goods (money, time, talents, and "stuff"). Our little lights are magnified to spread God's love from this church community to the world. Our church participates in mission to our town and to the wider world, provides pastoral care and comfort whenever needed, carries out our many ministries, pays for our pastor, our music ministry, our office staff, the operation and maintenance of our church building.

Enclosed you will find a pledge form. Please place it in the offering plate on Stewardship Sunday November 11, mail it to the church office, or contact one of us.

This little light of mine, I'm gonna let it shine!

Yours in loving service,

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No Matter Who You Are, Or Where You Are On Life's Journey, You Are Welcome Here!