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With Love and Gratitude

Dear NACCC Friends,

It has been my joy and honor to serve as your Moderator for the last two years. After our meeting in Wichita, I will be leaving you in the capable hands of Rev. Art Ritter.

It is a very exciting time in the life of our National Association. So many new programs are emerging, all of them geared toward better service to you--our member churches. I pray that each and every church within the NACCC will feel the support that is coming their way from the NACCC leadership.

As we continue to move forward in faith, freedom, and fellowship, let us remember that we are a diverse group of churches. And though our worship styles, theologies, and

Performing Arts Program Receives Funding

Bob Smith, Congregational Foundation Board of Governors

The Newfield Community Church of Newfield, Maine was recently awarded the [John Richard Memorial Endowment for Fine and Performing Arts Grant](#). This endowment was established by John's family and provides grants of up to \$500 to NACCC member churches of 200 members or less that are planning Fine or Performing Arts events in their church. Newfield Community Church is enriching the life of their community by hosting a monthly concert. Significantly, the performing artists have agreed to donate their talents. The funds will be used to pay for the increased heating and cooling expenses required in the sanctuary in order to keep the space a comfortable place for the events for both musicians and attendees.



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Recent Calls and Ordinations

Congratulations



The following churches recently ordained or called ministers to their churches.

For I know the plans I have for you, declares the Lord, plans for welfare and not for evil, to give you a future and a hope.

Jeremiah 29:11

For more information on our pastoral search process, please contact Laura Wright at: lwright@nacc.org or (414) 856-1614

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Rev. Dr. Stephen Butler Murray, Senior Minister
First Congregational Church
Nantucket, MA
May 22, 2022