



AHCC ROADMAP 2024

Strategic Priorities for the Future

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Our spiritual journey is taking us to inspiring places, some familiar and some new. To guide our journey over the next three years, AHCC clergy, staff and lay leadership have created a road map to guide us to make a big, bold, positive impact on the world as we strive to do justice, love mercy, and walk humbly as a compassionate church community with resources to share.

We look forward to traveling this journey with you!

The Journey

Nurture and Engage

Welcoming and nurturing an engaged, generous, thriving, inquiring, and diverse membership around the world.

Pursue Justice

Promoting, inspiring, and engaging with our neighbors in the work of justice and collaborative community development in our local area.

Expand Our Impact

Using all our resources – tangible and intangible, human and financial – to engage with and serve the world as a source and force of light, love, and justice.

Destination 2024

Nurture and Engage

AHCC is a growing, robust church community, committed and seeking to deepen our faith and our faith community

Pursue Justice

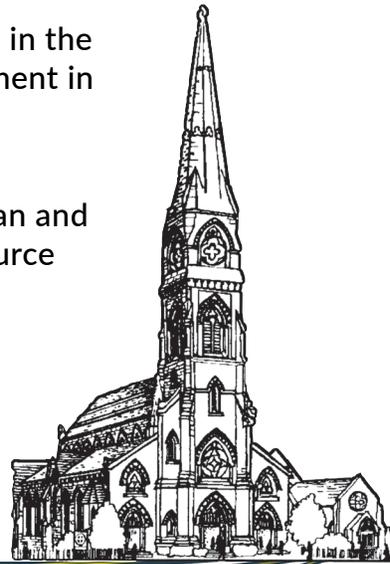
AHCC is a catalyst for justice in our community.

Expand Our Impact

AHCC is recognized nationally as a leader in positive, purposeful and proactive Christianity.

Key Tools

Technology
Internal Staffing/External Services
Financial Health & Growth
Congregation & Community Commitment



Frequently Asked Questions (and the answers)

Why are we doing this?

This is an exciting time at AHCC – the perfect time to chart a path to guide us in making the biggest impact possible. With a full complement of settled ministers, establishing a vision now that gives us a road map for where AHCC aims to go over the next 3 years will help stretch AHCC to reach its full potential and to energize and engage members in the mission of the church.

When do we start?

Now! We are jumping in immediately to inject new energy into longstanding directions such as membership growth, education, and engagement. Additionally, a task force has been formed to explore new ways AHCC can make significant contributions to our community, in the form of one or more projects, collaborations, and/or partnerships. We will continue to communicate about plans as they are developed.

Who is leading AHCC Roadmap 2024 and how can I get involved?

Everyone who is interested can play a role. Under the direction of the senior minister, the clergy team and staff are developing plans in each of the areas of strategic priority. The lay leadership, specifically the moderator, vice moderator and the Executive Committee, with the Diaconate and others, are working on planning and implementing the AHCC Roadmap 2024. If you are interested in a particular area, please talk to any of the ministers or anyone on the Executive Committee.

Does AHCC Roadmap 2024 chart a new direction for the church?

Yes and no. In many ways, AHCC Roadmap 2024 reaffirms long-standing priorities of the church to clarify and focus us in ways that will help guide us over the next three years. But some of AHCC Roadmap 2024 points us in new directions. For example, AHCC Roadmap 2024 highlights our ability and desire to play a role in important national and international conversations about Christianity. We know that our reach can be very broad, and that technology, as well as the power of our clergy's messages, can extend AHCC's voice into areas that were not previously possible.

Will this plan affect stewardship?

AHCC Roadmap 2024 and stewardship are both central to the work of the church. Belief in the church's mission is one of the most compelling reasons why members give. AHCC Roadmap 2024 provides a path for how AHCC will continue to bring our voices, values, and resources to bear to drive positive impact – both in our community and throughout the world. It is our hope that enthusiasm for our mission will inspire members to engage in stewardship to support these strategic priorities as generously as possible.

How does AHCC Roadmap 2024 relate to the church's role in the Greater Hartford Interfaith Action Alliance (GHIAA)?

AHCC Roadmap 2024 makes clear that seeking and promoting justice is a core priority for AHCC, and aligns with GHIAA's work on justice-related initiatives.



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