

Green Sanctuary Meeting Sept. 13, 2021

—Janet, Ginger, Debbie participating via email exchange

1. Supply Status—All supplies will be monitored on a bi-weekly (or more frequent) basis, since in person Sunday services have resumed. Responsibilities—Deb—monitor and purchase PT and TP, monitor and launder towels. Janet—monitor and launder towels, kitchen recycling oversight. Ginger—monitor hand soap in bathrooms, kitchen and UPH. Check box in minister's office for any paper to be recycled.

2. Recycling Update

- Metal—Deb confirmed Oct. 2 with Bridgewater Recycling. —Blurb ran in Sept. Bridging and Deb will place in weekly and on FB, starting this week, as well as have announced at service on Sundays. Volunteers needed.
- Deb will contact Bridgewater Recycling with reminder week of Sept. 26.
- Kitchen recycling—sexton sorts recycling at present and is satisfied with this system. Janet will have signs posted by end of Sept. (including trash can labels).
- CDs—NH facility has closed. Janet researching alternatives for sorted CDs and cases—no update.

Possible future resource—**More than Words**- <https://mtwyouth.org>, a local non-profit.

- VHS tapes--no update from source Deb had met. Ginger contacted organizer of recent electronic recycling in Whitman re: recycling CDs, DVDs and VCRs and is awaiting response. Green Disk accepts VHS tapes CDs for a fee.

<https://www.greendisk.com/gdsite/default.aspx>.

--MA DEP <https://www.mass.gov/info-details/how-where-to-recycle#electronic-devices-https://recyclesearch.com/profile/ma>

3. GSC 2020 Update

Committee has decided to forgo the Food Pantry partnership; public library started a somewhat similar program several months ago. No project required by GSC 2020 at present—continue current initiatives.

4. Fridge Replacement – Janet will visit Ray's Appliance next week. She checked out refrigerators at Home Depot--most too big and overpriced.

5. Green Commitment—

Deb sent updated statement to PC—it has been included in updated draft Building Use Agreement, was published in Sept. *Bridging*, and is prominent on website. Laminated copies ready to hang in UPH, and kitchen. Copies for bathrooms, vestibule and hallways are ready to be framed.

6. 2022 Service(s)

-- April 17 on Worship calendar.

--Plan to select date for next summer, when schedule becomes available.

7. New member recruitment ideas

--floated a few names. Blurb appeared in Sept. Bridging. Will announce on some Sundays.

8. Bridging Tip Schedule –by Sept. 20-Janet; by Oct. 20-Ginger; by Nov. 20-Deb

Green Tipper provides Bridging with monthly meeting date, to be placed in monthly calendar.

There has been issue with meeting date appearing in Bridging as requested—please clarify with Administrator that the date will be published in Calendar section of Bridging and in Google calendar.

New Google calendar <http://bit.ly/fb bridgewater Gcal>