

Through the surveys and at the retreat, we began to imagine specific ways we might begin to live into our three priorities. Members are already working to bring some of these ideas to fruition. We will keep this list regularly updated as more ideas emerge and as we're able to bring more of these ideas to life.

Belong

- Grow and expand Nourish as a way of reaching out to new people and help them feel like a part of our community. Here are some ways we might do that:
 - Take out ads in Milton Times
 - Backpack stuffers at schools
 - Milton Access TV
 - Flyers at library/youth center
 - Stuffers for Centre school
 - Fuller Village
 - Council on Aging
 - Winter Valley
 - Other faith communities (mosque, temple, baptists)
- Work to better engage with our livestream audience and help them become an active part of our congregation.
 - Chat box
 - Get more info about our services chyron.
- Create a welcoming committee to greet visitors.
- Organize a care team that will regularly visit and send cards to members who are homebound and other seniors in our community.
- Engage the community by bringing our music program into the community or host smaller scale events that could draw a different audience.
- Form a coffee hour committee where people are only asked to bring one item.

Grow

- Help more people connect with either an existing small group or start relevant new ones.
- Engage our community to fill open committee positions.
- Continue to prioritize our stellar music program.
- Partner with other churches for youth choir programs, especially youth groups of different racial or ethnic backgrounds.
- Develop partnership with Courageous Conversations.
- Approach high school students outside our own membership to teach Sunday School.

- Start a learning garden and creation care camp this summer as a way of helping families relate our faith to care of God's creation as well as keeping kids engaged over the summer.
- Offer a Bible study again (theology on tap)
- Have a monthly community service with speakers about mental health, dementia, etc.
- Offer racial justice training and opportunities to build relationships and partner across racial lines so we have a foundation from which to respond to matters of racial injustice in the world and our local community.
- Attach special programs to Nourish (open mic, poetry, etc.)

Engage

- Possibly waive rental fees and make our space available to organizations serving our community through works of service and justice. – Suggestion: Offer spaces to the community for community programs (stay at home parents, work from home, etc)
- Partner with Interfaith Power and Light and Sustainable Milton.
- Help our members connect with organizations that align with their passions to serve the larger community.
- Intentionally form and grow our partnership with East Church and other organizations recognizing that we can do more together than we can alone.
- Expand Wildcat Den to use in the evenings (Freshmen Friday's, etc) with chaperoned community youth activities.
- Make full use of our youth room – publicize a schedule of events.
- Use town green and front lawn – every Friday when the weather is nice, FCC will provide drinks and trash cans, bring your own lunch, etc.
- Send Valentines and other care packages to college students
- Pulpit exchanges with other faith groups beyond unitarians.