



## “That’s such a beautiful building.... I’ve never been inside.”

This is what people say when they think of our meetinghouse, the historic church at 169 Main Street. Our aim is to continue to make that first part true but to make the second a relic of the past.

We will do this by restoring and reconfiguring our beloved worship space to make it of wider use and we aim to serve projects that reflect the full scope of all that goes on here in Lenox and beyond.

Other spaces available for group gatherings are the Town Hall assembly space, Duffin Theater at LMMHS, the gym or cafeteria at Morris School, the Community Center ballroom, and the reading room at the Library. None of these feature all, which ours will: total flexibility of space, open to all community-comers, a kitchen, nearby parking, low rental fees. Other places of meeting at scale are costly.

What sort of events might take place here? And if you come up with your own ideas, send them to [the church office](#), and we’ll add them to the list!

- Family reunions or other big family get-togethers (Thanksgiving dinners, baby or wedding showers, etc.)
- HS Prom
- Graduations & “Moving Up Days”
- PTO gatherings & fundraisers
- Site listed as available for events sponsored by the Lenox Cultural Council
- Site for non-profit galas (LitNet, etc.)
- Retreats for church groups, youth groups, from near & far (partner w/local inns in the offseason?)
- Afterschool programs or tutoring
- Site for adult ed opportunities (language classes etc.)
- Light fitness classes (Yoga, Pilates, etc.)
- Music or dance classes for non-profit groups (Cantarella and the like)
- Community dances
- Farmer’s Markets
- Craft Fairs
- Antique, estate, tag, and rummage sales
- Meeting sites for youth sports boards (YLBA and the like)
- Meeting site for non-profit board or committee meetings
- Educational fairs or school club gatherings
- Art shows
- Music concerts
- Staged Readings
- Rehearsal space for community choral groups
- Community viewing space for televised spectacles (Super Bowl, Academy Awards, etc.)
- Indoor pickleball and/or ping-pong (again, storage would be an issue)