**NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING – 2016**

The Annual Meeting of the First Congregational Church of Lebanon, NH, will be held in the Parish Hall on **Sunday, February 14, 2016**, immediately following the worship service, for the purpose of:

1. The election of all officers provided for under the Constitution and By-Laws of the church.

2. To hear the reports of all officers, committees, and organizations, as required under the Constitution and By-Laws of the church.

3. To consider and act upon any other matters relating to the general church welfare that may properly come before this meeting, including but not limited to the following:

A. The Diaconate and Church Council recommend that the church vote to offer an alternative witness locally, regionally, and nationally to the resolutions of the 30th General Synod of the United Church of Christ and the New Hampshire Conference of the United Church of Christ to “boycott and divest” from companies doing business in the West Bank, and to the process that led to these resolutions. Our witness calls for peace in the Middle East, pursued in ways that do not vilify Israelis and Jews at home or abroad, but instead promote and bring about real and lasting peace in the region.

Respectfully submitted,

Brian C. Clancy, Church Clerk

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January 22, 2016