

**THE WOMEN'S GROUP OF THE MAMARONECK UNITED METHODIST
CHURCH
IS SPONSORING**

“COMFORT AND THE HOLIDAYS”

**WITH GUEST SPEAKER, REV. ANDREA RAYNOR
TUESDAY, DECEMBER 10TH - 7:00 P.M.
AT MAMARONECK UMC, 546 EAST BOSTON POST ROAD,
MAMARONECK, NY**

**JOIN US FOR ADVENT DEVOTIONAL TIME, INSPIRATIONAL MUSIC, AND A TALK
ON THE EMOTIONAL DYNAMICS OF GRIEF AT HOLIDAY TIME BY REV. RAYNOR
IN OUR LOVELY SANCTUARY FOLLOWED BY REFRESHMENTS AND INFORMAL
TABLE CONVERSATION WITH OTHER WOMEN. FIND COMFORT IN KNOWING
THAT YOU ARE NOT ALONE IN FINDING SOME PAST OR PRESENT GRIEF
SURFACING AT THIS TIME OF YEAR. THERE IS NO COST FOR THIS PROGRAM.
TO PRE-REGISTER, CONTACT THE CHURCH OFFICE AT (914) 698-4343. OR
SIMPLY COME!**



REV. ANDREA RAYNOR, A GRADUATE OF HARVARD DIVINITY SCHOOL, WAS ORDAINED AS A UNITED METHODIST MINISTER IN 1987 AND SERVED AS A HOSPICE CHAPLAIN AND SPIRITUAL COUNSELOR FOR OVER TWENTY YEARS. SHE HAS WORKED WITH THE HOMELESS IN NYC AND BOSTON, AND WAS A PASTOR TO CHURCHES IN NY, CT, AND MA. IN THE AFTERMATH OF SEPTEMBER 11TH, SHE SERVED AS A CHAPLAIN TO THE TEMPORARY MORGUE AT GROUND ZERO, OFFERING BLESSINGS OVER REMAINS AND SUPPORT TO THE MANY WORKERS THERE. HER BOOKS INCLUDE THE VOICE THAT CALLS YOU HOME: INSPIRATION FOR LIFE'S JOURNEYS; INCOGNITO: LOST AND FOUND AT HARVARD DIVINITY SCHOOL; A LIGHT ON THE CORNER: DISCOVERING THE SACRED IN THE EVERYDAY; THE ALPHABET OF GRIEF: WORDS TO HELP IN TIMES OF SORROW; AND A SHORT STORY ENTITLED, THE CHOICE. SHE HAS LECTURED THROUGHOUT THE COUNTRY AND HAS APPEARED AS A GUEST ON PUBLIC TELEVISION AND RADIO. SHE LIVES WITH HER FAMILY IN RYE, NEW YORK, WHERE SHE IS ALSO THE CHAPLAIN TO THE FIRE DEPARTMENT.