Unitarian Universalist Community Church Worship Service - Sunday, March 17, 2019

Today at UUCC



Sunday, March 17, 2019 Services at 9:15 & 11:00 a.m.

"Almost Home or Why We Travel"
Annie Nessen Voorhees
Newcomer Meet and Greet, after each service, J-Ms

TODAY at UUCC

Newcomer Meet and Greet, (after each service) Judd House (71 Winthrop St.)

Entry into a new community can be overwhelming. To that end we have created this once-a-month opportunity for new folks to meet other newcomers, members and friends for a casual coffee fellowship. Come and ask some questions and let us help you find one or more meaningful ways to connect with our community, programs, and the many wonderful people who keep us vital and relevant in an aching and joyful universe. This is a drop-in group!

Notices

Counting down **THREE WEEKS** until the Friday April 5th



Donations are welcome to support UUCC

Silent Auction: 4:30 - 6:30 Live Auction: 6:30 - 7:30 PIZZA available at 5:30

If you would like to make a donation or FMI: Janine Bonk at 724-2759 or j.bonk@tds.net

Seasonal newsletter articles are DUE TOMORROW Monday, March 18th.

Email submissions to:

newsletter@augustauu.org.

Social Activities

The film: "WALK WITH ME"



Thurs., March 21, 6:00-8:00 pm Unitarian Universalist Community Church, Augusta, Maine

"WALK WITH ME" is a meditative documentary about the monks, nuns and students of Zen teacher THICH NHAT HANH.

ALL ARE WELCOME

Suggested donation \$5.00
Sponsored by Peaceful Heart Sangha
FMI: contact Lynn Deeves, lynndeeves@roadrunner.com



Read, learn, Share

On Apr. 4th we will meet in the Drew House Parlor from 1:00 to 2:30 p.m. to discuss <u>The People's House</u> by David Pepper.

An engaging tale that looks at the grimy underbelly of American political power. — Kirkus Review

FMI June Zellers at <u>jzellers@roadrunner.com</u> or Kathy Kellison at kell6787@gmail.com.

The Social Activity: **Craft Circle** will meet on Wednesday March 27th, 2:00-4:00 p.m. in Fellowship Hall. Join us as we gather to "do our own thing" and to chat as we create. We may also do some Holiday Fair planning. FMI: Martha Naber at 887-1104 or Jean Sizelove at 623-5096.

This Week at UUCC

Monday, March 18, 2019 Newsletter articles are DUE.

Private Piano Lessons, 2:30 -6:00 p.m., C-Sanct Sm. Group Ministry Ellis McKeen (D. Maddi), 6-8 pm, D-Prlr Sangha - Mindful Meditation, 6:30-8:00 p.m., C-Sanct Cleaning (Church and Drew House), 8:30-10:30 p.m.

Tuesday, March 19, 2019

Al-Anon, Noon-1:00 p.m., C-Rbns

Wednesday, March 20, 2019

Communications Workgroup, <Chg to 3/21>
Small Group Ministry (H. Wing), 10:30 a.m. – Noon, C-Rbns

Gentle Yoga, 5:00-6:00 p.m., C-FH
Choir Rehearsal, 6:00-8:00 p.m., C-Sanct
Small Group Ministry (P. Lamb), 6:30-8:30 p.m., D-Prlr
Rental: Just Guys, 6:30-8:00 p.m., C-FH

Thursday, March 21, 2019

Sm. Group Ministry (Zidowecki), 10:00 a.m. – Noon, C-Rbns Communications Workgroup, Noon – 1:30 p.m., C-Comm

<u>Peer Run Affinity Group</u>, 1:30-3:00 p.m., C-Rbns Peer Support Affinity Group for people who live with mood disorders (family members also welcome).

Small Group Ministry (Faulkner), 5:30 – 7:30 p.m., C-Rbns

Social Activity Movie Event: "Come Walk with Me",

6:00 – 8:30 p.m., C-Sanct <See notices above>
Board Meeting, 6:00 – 8:00 p.m., C-FH <Resch from 3/14>
Kennebec Advocacy Team, 6:00-7:45 p.m., D-Prlr

Friday, March 22, 2019

Rental: Horizon Program Client Lunch, Noon-2:30 pm, C-FH **Drum Circle**, 6:00 – 8:00 p.m., C-Sanct Cleaning (Church and Judd House), 8:30 – 10:30 p.m.

Saturday, March 23, 2019

Quarterly Sangha Meeting, (9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m., C-Sanct AND in C-FH from 9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.)

Private Piano Lessons, 12:30 – 6:00 p.m., C-Sanct Hold: Snow Date for 3/16 Guest Artist Concert

Sunday, March 24, 2019

Services at 9:15 & 11:00 a.m.

"Lock Them Up" Rev. Carie Johnsen

We live in a society where "lock them up" is the reflexive response to those who challenge or threaten us—a society where people chanting "Lock Her Up" seems natural. This service will weave together professional, prisoner, ministerial and legislative (added) perspectives on incarceration.

Join us following the 11:00 a.m. service for a special presentation:

Maine Prison Advocacy Coalition

Afternoon Presentation 12:30 p.m. to 1:30 p.m. in Fellowship Hall

This presentation will focus on Mass Incarceration, Families and Fair Chance in Maine. Bring a brown bag lunch. We will provide coffee, tea, and something sweet.

Goddess/Earth Circles, 12:15-2:00 p.m., C-Nursery

New Maines/ Teen Game night, 4:00-6:00 p.m., Buker

Ortara Ritual, 4:00 – 5:00 p.m., C-FH

Next Sunday Mar 24th at UUCC

Goddess/Earth Circles, NOON – 2:00 p.m., C-Nursery From winter to spring: -- Meet Brigid and Ostara, goddesses of newness and fertility; -- Consider "absolutes and interludes" of cycles of the seasons, as represented by a cross; -- Engage with prophecy and prognostication as measures of control on events of our lives. (Also join the Ostara Ritual by the Coven and the Worship Committee at 4:00 p.m. today).

<u>New Mainer/ Teen Game night</u>, 4:00-6:00 p.m., Buker Teens from the Unitarian Universalist Church of Augusta invite kids new to Maine to join them for soccer, games, snacks and a chance to get to know each other. All are welcome. Bring a friend. Bring your family. Buker Community Center from 4-6 pm. FMI: Monique McAuliffe at 242-6415.

Ortara Ritual, 4:00 - 5:00 p.m., C-FH

Ostara celebrates the Spring Equinox, which represents the perfect balance between dark and light, and the promises of spring: longer days and, for many, planning a garden.

Upcoming Events

Wed. Mar. 27 <u>Seasoned Souls</u>, 10:30 a.m. – Noon, C-FH Social Activity: Craft Circle, 2-4 p.m., C-FH

Thurs. Mar. 28 MUUSAN UU Legislative Breakfast, 7:30 a.m., UUCC Fellowship Hall

For the complete calendar of events, visit the UUCC website: www.augustauu.org

UUCC Office Hours

OFFICE HOURS NEXT WEEK

Tues, Wed. and Thurs

9:00 a.m. - 4:00p.m.

Rev. Carie's Office Hours next week:

Tuesday 1–6:00 pm Wednesday 2–6:00 pm <other hours available by appointment>

Monday is Rev. Carie's Sabbath. On Monday, Rev. Carie does not attend to emails, phone calls or meetings. For pastoral emergencies please call her cell phone (508) 221-5295. She will return your call as soon as possible.

For **Caring Cooperative** support (meals, rides, errands) contact Nancee Campbell nancee1944@gmail.com or 621-7727.



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