

**Unitarian Universalist Community Church**  
**Worship Service - Sunday, March 24, 2019**

***Today at UUCC***

**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.

**TODAY at UUCC**

**Maine Prison Advocacy Coalition presents:**

After 2<sup>nd</sup> Service, 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**, 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).

**New Mainer/ Teen Game night**, 3:00-5:00 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 3-5 pm. FMI: Monique McAuliffe at 242-6415.

**Ostara 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.

***Notices***

**UUCC Auction!**

April 5th

**Silent Auction: 4:30 - 6:30**

**Live Auction: 6:30 - 7:30**

**PIZZA available at 5:30**

**Read. learn. Share**



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

*An engaging tale that looks at the grimy underbelly of American*

*political power.* — Kirkus Review

FMI June Zellers at [jzellers@roadrunner.com](mailto:jzellers@roadrunner.com) or Kathy Kellison at [kell6787@gmail.com](mailto:kell6787@gmail.com).

The Social Activity: **Craft Circle** will meet on Wednesday March 27<sup>th</sup>, 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.

The Maine Unitarian Universalist State Advocacy Network (MUUSAN) is **now hiring** for an Administrative Coordinator.

MUUSAN links the state's Unitarian Universalist churches to amplify its voices for social justice in the public square. Governed by an all-volunteer Steering Committee of members from UU churches throughout Maine, MUUSAN relies on support from a part-time Administrative Coordinator.



The part-time Administrative Coordinator will be located at The Unitarian Universalist Community Church of Augusta, MUUSAN's fiscal agent. Visit our website at [MUUSAN.org](http://MUUSAN.org) for the job description and how to apply.

**Finger Desserts Needed TOMORROW March 25th**

The Maine Council of Churches luncheon is at noon. We are hosting and need help with providing finger desserts (cookies, bars, and brownies). There are 80 people expected. Please let Marilyn Dunn know you if you can help ([maine2007@hotmail.com](mailto:maine2007@hotmail.com)). We are accepting contributions today and tomorrow.

## This Week at UUCC

### Monday, March 25, 2019

Rental: Maine Council of Churches, 9 a.m. - 5 p.m., C-ALL  
~~Private Piano Lessons~~ <Cancelled>  
 Sangha - Mindful Meditation, 6:30-8:00 p.m., C-Sanct  
 Cleaning (Church and Drew House), 8:30-10:30 p.m.

### Tuesday, March 26, 2019

Al-Anon, Noon-1:00 p.m., C-Rbns  
 Decolonizing Faith Workshop, 3:00 – 6:00 p.m., C-FH

### Wednesday, March 27, 2019

#### **Seasoned Souls**, 10:30 a.m. – Noon, C-FH

Seasoned Souls is a group of older church members that meet as a study/support group to talk openly about topics related to the aging process. Seasoned Souls is open to any church member or friend over 65 years of age. We meet the 2nd and 4th Wednesday monthly 10:30 a.m. until noon in Fellowship Hall.

For more information please contact Diane (dmoongrove@gmail.com or 446-6162) or Stefanie (stefbarley@gmail.com or 629-8890)

#### **Social Activity: Craft Circle**, 2:00-4:00 p.m., C-FH

We welcome all crafters in yarn, paint, sewing, cardmaking, "anything" to join us as we gather to "do our own thing" and to chat as we create. The Craft Circle will once again host the December Holiday Fair. There will likely be "work sessions" announced soon for each monthly meeting to prepare for different tables (booths) at the fair. Come and do your own thing or help out with a fair work session. Each session is a great time to get to know each other and share our talents, too.

Questions? Contact Martha Naber at 887-1104 or Jean Sizelove at 623-5096.

Hope to see you there!

#### **Gentle Yoga**, 5:00 p.m., C-FH

Choir Rehearsal, 6:00-8:00 p.m., C-Sanct



### Thursday, March 28, 2019

#### **MUUSAN – UU Legislative Breakfast**,

7:30 a.m.- 9:30 a.m., Fellowship Hall

#### **Peer Run Affinity Group**, 1:30-3:00 p.m., C-Rbns

Peer Support Affinity Group for people who live with mood disorders (family members also welcome).

Discernment Team Meeting, 5:30 – 7:30 p.m., C-Rbns

### Friday, March 29, 2019

Cleaning (Church and Judd House), 8:30-10:30 p.m.

### Saturday, March 30, 2019

UUCCOO Rehearsal, 8:30-10:30 a.m., C-Sanct  
 Private Piano Lessons, 12:30 – 6:00 p.m., C-Sanct

### Sunday, March 31, 2019

Services at 9:15 & 11:00 a.m. "The House that Love Built"  
 Jani Clark

## Upcoming Events

**Fri. Apr. 5** UUCC Annual Auction, 4:30-7:30 p.m., C-All  
 <See INSERT >

**Fri. Apr.5+6** NNED Spring Assembly,  
 UU Church Concord, NH  
 "Nurturing Connections-The Power of WE"  
 <See bulletin board for details>

**Sun. Apr 7** Final Session of Making Peace with Money,  
 12:30 - 2:30 p.m., C-FH  
Peace Jam, 3:00-5:00 p.m., C-FH

**Tues. Apr 9** Pastoral Ministry Retreat, 4-8 pm, D-1stFl

**Wed., Apr 10** Seasoned Souls. 10:30 a.m. – Noon, C-FH

**Thurs., Apr 11** Board Meeting, 6:00-8:00 p.m., C-FH

**Fri. Apr 12-14** O.W.L. Training, UUCC

**Sun. Apr 14** Elder Lunch, Noon, C-FH  
Starting Point: Exploring your UU Journey,  
 1:00-3:00 p.m., C-Sanct

For the complete calendar of events,  
 visit the UUCC website: [www.augustauu.org](http://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](mailto:nancee1944@gmail.com) or 621-7727.



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