

Unitarian Universalist Community Church
Worship Service - Sunday, September 1, 2019

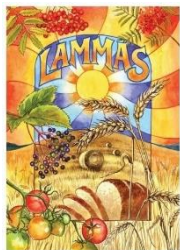
Today at UUC

SINGLE 10:00 a.m. Service "Looking Deeply into
Galadriel's Pool – intently listening to the voice within"

Peter Mendall, Sr.

*What did Socrates mean by declaring, 'The unexamined life
is not worth living'?

Notices



On Saturday September 7th we
will meet for the **lammas Ritual**,
celebrating the blessing of the
first harvest. This ritual will be
hosted by Evergreen Grove.

Join us at 4 pm in Fellowship Hall.
All are welcome to attend.

**On September 8th
we will return to
TWO worship services at
9:15 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.**

We invite you to bring a vial of water collected over
the summer. The experiences and reflections of the
summer are celebrated in the Water Ceremony. It
is a time of renewal and reconnecting. We hope
you can join us for this multi-generational
Ingathering service. Rev. Carie will be at the pulpit
and our Choir will sing us into the new church year.

Condolences to the families of Steven Dunn,
husband to Sandra Leinonen-Dunn and Sybil Baker,
mother of Hilary Neckles. More information can be
found on the bulletin board in Fellowship Hall.

**A Traditional Reiki I/Shoden Level Certification
Course is set to begin on 9/14.**
See Bulletin Board for all the details.



NEW GROUP at UUC
Death Talk – Augusta is an
informal monthly gathering
which provides a safe,
supportive, non-judgmental
environment for people to
gather to discuss death and

dying. Church members and friends, as well as
members of the wider community are welcome.
Death Talk gatherings, which are appropriate for
folks age 16 to 100+, occur around the world under
various names. They are agenda-free
conversations.

Our first sessions are September 19, October 17,
and November 21 from 4:00 pm to 5:30 pm with
subsequent sessions every third Thursday of the
month. No RSVP is necessary. You are welcome to
come whenever you wish. Sessions are held at
UUC, Drew House, 6 Summer Street. FMI:
deathtalkaugustame@gmail.com

RE and Social Activities

**Fall Kayaking / Canoeing from Sidney
Boat Landing to Augusta Boat
Landing
(with the tide, of course)**

Monique and I would like to organize an "all age"
Fall kayaking, canoeing float down the Kennebec
River. We would start at the Sidney Boat landing,
stop on the island that is half way down the river to
have lunch, then continue on to Augusta.

It would certainly take some organizing of getting
kayaks/canoes up to Sidney, then retrieval of them.
UUC organized this trip long ago and it was great
fun for kids and adults alike.

We are asking for feedback as to who would be
interested. FMI pls contact Cheryl Clukey
cherylclukey5@yahoo.com or Monique McAuliffe
or RECoordinator@augustauu.org.

This Week

Monday, September 2, 2019

<Labor Day>

Small Grp Ministry Ellis McKeen (D.Maddi), 6-8 p.m., D-Prlr

Peaceful Heart Sangha – Mindful Meditation,

6:30-8:00 p.m., C-Sanct

Join this mindfulness meditation group for sitting and walking meditation, readings and sharing in the sanctuary.

FMI: email Peacefulheartsangha@gmail.com.

Tuesday, September 3, 2019

Private Rehearsal, 9:00 a.m. – Noon, C-Sanct

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

Gamblers Anonymous, Noon – 1:00 p.m., D-Olsn

O.W.L. Planning Meeting, 6:00 – 8:00 p.m., C-Comm

Cleaning (Church and Drew House), 8:30 p.m.

Wednesday, September 4, 2019

Small Group Ministry (H. Wing), 10:30 a.m. – Noon, C-Rbns

Gentle Yoga, 5:00-6:00 p.m., C-FH

Everyone is welcome to Wednesday Yoga at the UCC. No experience needed; just curiosity. Classes are free and are taught by Debbie Mattson on Wednesdays from 5 PM to 6 PM in the Fellowship Hall. We have everything needed for Wednesday Yoga. All are welcome.



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

Small Group Ministry (P. Lamb), 6:30 – 8:00 p.m., D-Prlr

Rental: Just Guys, 6:30 – 8:00 p.m., C-FH

Just Guys is a local social/support group for gay, bisexual or questioning men that rents our Fellowship Hall on the 1st and 3rd Wednesdays of each month from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. They enjoy movies, discussions, social awareness, guest speakers, and game nights. FMI: www.justguys.info. If you would like to receive the newsletter from Just Guys, please send an email to welcomed@justguys.info.

Thursday, September 5, 2019

Small Grp Ministry (Zidowecki), 10:00 a.m. – Noon, C-Rbns

Staff Meeting, Noon – 2:00 p.m., J-Ms

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).

Finance Committee Meeting, 5:00 – 6:30 p.m., D-Olsn

Friday, September 6, 2019

Piano Tuning, 9:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m., C-Sanct

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

Saturday, September September 7, 2019

Quarterly Sangha Meeting, 9 a.m.- 2 p.m., C-FH / C-Sanct

Private Piano Lessons, 12:15 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Iamas Ritual, 4:00 – 5:00 p.m. C-FH

<See NOTICES Above>

Sunday, September 8, 2019

We return to TWO worship services

at 9:15 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.

Join us for:

“Ingathering – Saturated: Make Room for More!”

Rev. Carie Johnsen



Upcoming Events

Wed. Sept. 11 **Seasoned Souls,** 10:30 am–Noon, C-FH

Thurs. Sept. 12th Board Meeting, 6:00 – 8:00 p.m., C-FH

Sat. Sept. 14th MUUSAN, 9:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m., Church

Tues. Sept. 17 through Sept. <Church Administrator on VACATION>

There will be limited coverage in the office.

SAVE THE DATE

This year's **Leadership Retreat is on Saturday, September 28th, 9:00-3:00.** The retreat will feature our friends from the New England regional UUA who will present the workshop: Practices in Spiritual Leadership. All are invited. More information will be in this week's E-Blast. Contact Kathy Ann Shaw, Board ViceChair kathyannshaw@roadrunner.com.

For more, visit the UCC website: www.augustauu.org

UCC Office Hours

OFFICE HOURS NEXT WEEK

Tues, Wed. and Thurs 9:00 a.m. – 4:00p.m.

Rev. Carie's office hours. Reverend Carie's office hours will be determined soon. Look to the upcoming Weekly E-blast.

Caring Cooperative support includes rides, meals, errands, get well and condolence cards as well as companion visits. Contact: Marcianne Rautenberg at 441-1218 or by email: marciannerautenberg@gmail.com



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