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WEEKLY UPDATE 01/26/2017

UPCOMING UUCSW SERVICES

SUNDAY JANUARY 29th WORSHIP SERVICE: 10:30 AM

Waking Up to the Power of Unitarian Universalism, Rev. Bev Waring, preaching



Last weekend had a profound impact on my understanding of the power we have as Unitarian Universalists in the current social and political climate. Between the inauguration and the hundreds of marches around the world, I really woke up and felt the need for this faith at this time. Join me (Rev Bev) as we explore together how we might use our theology and our faith communities to wake up and stay awake during these times that feel frightening and threatening to much that we value and hold dear.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION UPDATE

Religious education classes will meet this weekend. Families will begin the service together in the Sanctuary, and students will leave for their classes following the Time for All Ages.



Sing-a-Long and Pizza Party after worship service *this Sunday!*

Come one, come all! Join us for pizza and songs led by Luanne Crosby *this Sunday* after services. Bring your kids, parents, friends and neighbors. Voluntary donations requested to benefit the Meal Packing project on Saturday Feb 4th. ***Our fundraising goal is \$500!*** Help us meet our goal to benefit this worthy cause.



Thank you to all who bought “Souper Bowl Sunday” vegetarian bean soup kits from the RE students during coffee hour last Sunday! The students made the soup kits during their class time, and they raised \$85 last week for the Interfaith Meal Packaging Event. We have a few more soup kits left, and so please visit our table at coffee hour *this Sunday* if you’re interested in purchasing one. *Thanks!*

UUCSW HAPPENINGS

NOTE FROM OUR COLLECTOR

On Sunday, I will have your 2016 tax forms available at the church (including a list of payments received) for your pick-up. Forms not picked up after 2 weeks will be mailed. -Thank you, Susie Wells



STOP & SHOP GIFT CARDS



REMINDER: Pick up your Stop & Shop gift cards from Ken Young before or after services.

For every dollar purchased, the church receives 5%.

If you do not personally shop at Stop & Shop you can still join in this easy fund-raiser as it is very much appreciated when these cards are added to the monthly offering (1st Sunday of the month) that benefits the Minister's Discretionary Fund.

UUs AT LUNCH - Wednesday, February 8th



We are staying close to home now that it's wintertime. We will meet at 11:30 AM on Wednesday, February 8th at the **Chateau** on Route 9 westbound here in Westboro. All are welcome, and we hope many will join us for a pleasant mid-winter break. Please contact Mary Tribe (508) 329-1646, or e-mail:

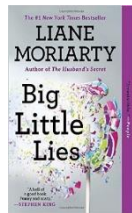
marytribe5@gmail.com by Saturday, February 4th to let us know whether or not you will be able to join us, so we can make our reservations. *Thank you!*

UU BOOK GROUP - Friday, February 10th

Big Little Lies by Liane Moriarty

Please join us. The group is open to all. We usually meet in member's homes and enjoy small groups of seven to ten people. We enjoy some light refreshments, lively discussion, and wonderful company. You are welcome to attend. If you are planning to attend for the first time, please email:

juditheacake@gmail.com.



SAVE THE DATE – HABITAT FOR HUMANITY BUILD - MARCH 4th



Join us for a day (or half day) of service on Saturday, March 4th.

This project will be in Northborough and will involve helping Habitat For Humanity convert two buildings into multi-unit, affordable homes.

E-mail Ed Walsh at walshnboro@gmail.com to express interest or for more information. Youth 16 or over, with parental consent, are welcome.

GREETERS/ USHERS

If you cannot support your date and no one can switch with you, please contact John Metzger at jkmetzger2@gmail.com.



DATE	Front Door (Head Greeters)	Side Door (Ruggles Street)
1/29	Erin and Ed Boudreaux	Lisa Martin

UPCOMING EVENTS & MEETINGS

Saturday, January 28th, 7:00 PM – Circle Supper
Sunday, January 29th, 11:45 AM – Family Sing-along & Pizza Party
Monday, January 30th, 7:00 PM – Adult “OWL”
Tuesday, January 31st, 10:00 AM – Mindfulness Class
Wednesday, February 1st, 6:30 PM – Board Meeting
Saturday, February 4th, 7:00 PM – Circle Supper
Sunday, February 5th, 12:00 PM – Youth Group Meeting
Monday, February 6th, 7:00 PM – Adult “OWL”
Tuesday, February 7th, 10:00 AM – Mindfulness Class
Wednesday, February 8th, 11:30 AM – UUs at Lunch
Friday, February 10th, 7:00 PM – UU Book Group
Sunday, February 12th, 12:00 PM – Social Justice Meeting

GETTING INVOLVED!

- Volunteer for the Meal Packaging Event on February 4th!
- Volunteer for Habitat for Humanity on March 4th!