



Unitarian Universalist Congregational Society of Westborough

64 West Main Street
Westborough, MA 01581

phone: [508-366-2635](tel:508-366-2635)

Email: uucswestboro@verizon.net

Website: www.uucsw.org

Facebook: [Unitarian Universalist Westborough](https://www.facebook.com/UnitarianUniversalistWestborough)

Twitter: [UU Westborough \(MA\)@UUWestborough](https://twitter.com/UUWestborough)

WEEKLY UPDATE

03/15/2018

THIS SUNDAY AT UUCSW

MARCH 18, 10:30 AM, Rev Bev Waring Preaching *Spiritual Practice; Listening and Speaking*



There are two types of Quaker Meetings; commonly referred to as programmed and un-programmed. A programmed meeting involves readings and music but generally not spoken words - at least not at the length of a typical sermon. An un-programmed meeting generally has no planned spoken words. What these two types of meetings have in common are periods of silence in order to allow time for that 'still, small voice' inside to be heard. Join us this Sunday as we explore what a programmed Quaker Meeting can bring to our spiritual experience.

THIS WEEK IN RELIGIOUS EDUCATION MARCH 18, 2018



Students will begin in the **Sanctuary** this week and then will go to a **group RE class**. Thank you to all who have already contributed to the RE students' book drive! They will **continue collecting gently used and new children's books throughout this month** to donate to Reach Out and Read.

Parents, please **save the date!** The Youth Group will be hosting a **Movie Night** for kids from 5-8pm on **Saturday, April 28th!** These events are always lots of fun for kids of all ages!



UUCSW HAPPENINGS

MARCH FOR OUR LIVES MARCH 24 LAST CHANCE TO SIGN UP



The organizers of this bus need to confirm by this Friday March 16th that they have enough interest to fill a bus that will go from the Unitarian Universalist Congregational Society of Westborough (UUCSW) at 64 West Main Street, Westborough to the March For Our Lives #NeverAgain in Boston.

Saturday March 24: Leave UUCSW at 10:30 AM and return at 6:30 PM

A \$25 donation towards the cost of the bus is requested but do not let the cost stop you and your family from joining us. Click on the link below (or copy it into your browser), fill out the form and speak to the organizers for more information.

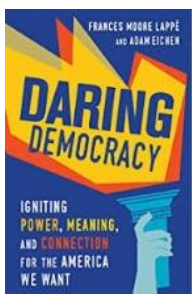
<https://tinyurl.com/MarchForLives>

For more information or if you have questions contact:

Cassie Levin at cartist531@gmail.com or Devon Rutter at dev.rutter@gmail.com

NOTE: UUCSW is the location for a bus to depart from - this is not a UUCSW or Youth Group sponsored trip. Youth and children attending are the responsibility of parents.

THIS FRIDAY MARCH 16 at 7 PM: UUA COMMON READ



When: Friday March 16 7 PM

Where: UUCSW Chapel

What: Discussion and formulation of action steps based on the Common Read Book, *Daring Democracy: Igniting Power, Meaning, and Connection for the America We Want* by Frances Moore Lappe and Adam Eichen

Even if you have not finished (or started) this book you are welcome to participate in this important conversation. For questions or to RSVP email Rev Bev at RevBevW@Gmail.com

THIS SATURDAY MARCH 17 CANDLEPIN BOWLING & PIZZA



2:30 PM - 4:15 PM There are still spaces available for this fun, multigenerational activity (and UUCSW fundraiser).

Join Rev. Bev and Jenna Kyes (Director of Religious Education) for candlepin bowling and pizza at Sawyer's in Northborough.

Parents may opt for some "me" time while the kids are bowling, or stick around and join the fun! Price per guest: \$15 for first child, \$10 for each additional person. Let Rev Bev know you are coming (RevBevW@gmail.com) and bring a check made out to UUCSW.

UUCSW HAPPENINGS (continued)

THIS SUNDAY MARCH 18 at 4 PM Guided Tour of Orchard House



Interested in attending? Contact Judith Nicholson, judithteacake@gmail.com for more information.

GREETERS/ USHERS

The Membership Engagement Team (MET) appreciates your willingness to greet. To acknowledge your ability to greet on the assigned date, please see the signup poster board in the Chapel and remove the sticky-note with your name and write your name in the slot.

If you cannot greet on your assigned date and you are unable to find someone to switch with you, please contact Melissa Meehan at melcmeehan@gmail.com.

<u>DATE</u>	<u>Front Door (Head Greeters)</u>	<u>Side Door (Ruggles Street)</u>
3/18	Lisa Shumway	Phyllis Jaffee
3/25	MET member	Pam and Brian Bridges

SPEAKERS IN THE CHAPEL



Did you know you could listen to the service from the Chapel? If your baby or toddler is a little fussy and you would be more comfortable out of the sanctuary we have a speaker set up in the Chapel just for you. Speak to Rev Bev, Jenna Kyes or a greeter for more information.

STOP & SHOP GIFT CARDS – BUY YOURS THIS SUNDAY



REMINDER: Pick up your Stop & Shop gift cards from Ken Young before or after services. **For every dollar purchased, the church receives 5%.** Whether you personally shop at Stop & Shop or like to contribute gift cards to the monthly offering to benefit the Minister's Discretionary fund this is an easy way to fundraise for UUCSW.

SAVE THE DATES AND GET MORE INFORMATION

SATURDAY APRIL 7, 2018 - HABITAT FOR HUMANITY



Habitat
for Humanity®

For more information contact Ed Walsh at walshnboro@gmail.com

SATURDAY APRIL 28 – PARENTS NIGHT OUT/MOVIE NIGHT

Brought to you by the UUCSW Youth Group - Watch this space for more information!

AREA AND REGIONAL HAPPENINGS

ON FACEBOOK? “LIKE” Unitarian Universalist Westborough & UUs of the Boroughs and Blackstone Valley

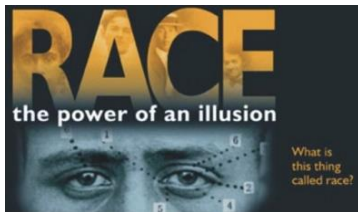


Like our page and the one of the newly formed collaborative cluster of five area Unitarian Universalist Congregations and do not miss out on any of the exciting opportunities being offered.

See what our friends in Northborough, Marlborough-Hudson, Grafton-Upton and Hopedale are doing. Join efforts with local UUs and invite them to join us too.

A COMMUNITY LEARNING SERIES – Next Date March 21!

RACE: THE POWER OF AN ILLUSION



Where: Good Shepherd Lutheran Church
183 West Main Street, Westborough, MA

When: Wednesday February 28th - April 4th
Each Wednesday 6:30 to 7:30 PM

What: Film series and discussion on Race



UPCOMING EVENTS & MEETINGS AT A GLANCE

Friday March 16, 7:00 PM – **UU Common Read** - Chapel

Saturday March 17 2:30 PM - **Bowling and Pizza** at Sawyers in Northborough

Sunday March 18 10:30 AM – **Worship** With Rev Bev – *Balancing Speaking and Listening*

Sunday March 18 4 PM - **Guided Tour of Orchard House** in Concord

Monday March 19, 6:30 PM – **UU Knit Night** at UUCSW in the Chapel

Wednesday March 21, 6:30 PM – **Race: The Power of Illusion** at Good Shepherd Lutheran

Saturday March 24, 12 PM – **March For Our Lives** – Rally Against Gun Violence