

Sandwich Road Menu

Sunday, April 15, 2018



10:00 AM SERVICE: “Resurrecting the Humanist Heart” Rev. David Kohlmeier

While “Theism” is a religion centered on a God, “Humanism” is centered on us. For many decades Humanism was the dominant way of thinking in Unitarian Universalism, but some Humanists feel that is changing and they wonder if they still belong. This morning we’ll look at the vital role of Humanism in our faith today, and the place of Humanism, as well as Atheism and Agnosticism, in our faith’s future.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION - Classes will be held.

THE UUFF "HARRY AND UU" CLASS will be collecting specific items requested by the Friends of Falmouth Dogs, and People for Cats. There is a list of needed items outside the Faith Formation office.

COFFEE HOUR - Provided by the “3rd Sunday” group (members & friends whose names begin with L-R).

SERMON DISCUSSION - 11:15 AM in the East Wing. Discuss the sermon and it’s relevance to our lives.

PHOTO DIRECTORY PICTURES - Pictures will be taken at the back of the sanctuary after the service for the new photo directory every Sunday in April.

EVENTS THIS WEEK

“SING FOR GOOD” Saturday, April 14, 7:30-9:00 PM, First Parish Brewster, 1969 Main Street, Brewster. The UUFF choir will again join other choirs to “Sing for Good.” The choirs will perform separately and together, and the audience will be invited to sing along with some hymns and songs. A freewill donation for the Family Pantry of Cape Cod will be collected. Come support our choir and enjoy a fun evening of choral music.



BUDDHISM, ENVIRONMENTAL GARDENS & POETRY, Sunday, April 15 at 2:00 PM at the Meetinghouse.

The documentary film, *Even Though the World is Burning*, explores poet laureate W.S. Merwin’s Buddhism, his poetry and his extensive gardens. The film will be introduced by Dan Joslyn, of our congregation, who is the leader of the local Zen Buddhist Sangha that gathers at the Meetinghouse each week. There will be a panel discussion after the film. For more information, contact Jack Easterling, 508-495-0787.

IT'S TIME TO CELEBRATE EARTH DAY WEEKEND by joining us at UUFF between the hours of **10 AM and 2 PM on Saturday, April 21, 2018** to help cleanup the damage and debris caused by a rough Cape Cod winter. We need every able-bodied member to help. There will be plenty for all ages to do--sticks to pick up, limbs to trim, dirt to move, and wood chips to spread. The “heavy lifting” has been done by our arborist Tim Greene. Now it is up to us to finish the job! YES WE CAN! Earth-friendly drinks will be available. Bring your favorite garden rake, trimmer, shovel or lopper. Don't forget gloves, hats and sunscreen.



Remember, only stalwart volunteer labor can save us the cost of professional help, so please do your part. Thank you. Phil Zimmerman, grounds coordinator.

UPCOMING EVENTS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS



SUNDAY SERVICE, April 22, at 10:00 AM: “Earth Day – Protecting the Progress We’ve Made”

Climate change is the major environmental challenge of our time. But today we will talk about our air, our water, and our land. We have made tremendous progress since the first Earth Day. Now, our environmental protection regulations are under attack and the EPA is shackled by its leaders. What can and should we do, as individuals and as a Fellowship, to ensure that the progress that has been made in improving our environment is not undone? We have powerful tools: political pressure, a thriving infrastructure of environmental advocacy groups, and citizen’s enforcement of federal environmental laws. How do we use these tools on the Cape, in our state, and nationally?

AUCTION UPDATE: Don't miss the annual goods and services auction on **Saturday, April 28! Doors open at 5:00 PM**, tickets are \$20 per person and can be purchased Sunday mornings through April 22. Contact John Jackson at john@jackson-Todd.com or 978-877-7631 with any questions.



LOBBY ART - Our lobby artist for April is Joanie Thompson. The pieces represent a retrospective of her Master of Fine Arts thesis work. To create each piece, she makes a small abstract collage, then drawings of the collage, then a large painting from the drawing. Thank you Joanie for sharing these beautiful works.

FAITH FACTS – Every issue of *UU World* print magazine includes a pullout, full-color section of timely, fun, and faith-building activities and stories to share at home. Faith begins in the family.

LOCAL FLORAL DONATIONS SOUGHT FOR MAY 12 INSTALLATION SERVICE.



The planning committee for the May 12 installation service is hoping that the decorations for the sanctuary and reception tables can be composed of local, seasonal florals—meaning blooms and foliage from members' and friends' shrubs, trees, and gardens! If you wish to contribute, please let Barbara Clements know at 508-388-7237. Please don't email her as her computer is not working!

ISO VIDEOGRAPHER NEEDED FOR REV. DAVID'S INSTALLATION. The team putting together Reverend David's installation as our Settled Minister is searching for someone willing to videotape the event. **The installation is Saturday, May 12 at 1:00 PM.** If you are available, please contact Peggy Sabin at mtbsabin@comcast.net.

COMMUNITY EVENTS

CELEBRATE EARTH DAY WITH DAWNA HAMMERS. All are welcome to attend a concert on Saturday, April 21, 7:00-9:00 PM, at the First Congregational Church, 68 Main St, Falmouth. Environmental photography by Kevi Friel will be featured. **FREE Admission**, donations gratefully accepted.

“ART AND SCIENCE ~ MORE THAN MEETS THE EYE.” Come listen to and see the works of some of Cape Cod's scientists who are also practicing artists. **Bob Reece, M.D. and Jessica Mark Welch, Ph.D. will be headlined speakers.** They will share the ways these two disparate entities have overlapped and enriched their lives as well as our human understanding of the world around us. In addition to the evening presentation, there is an exhibition featuring artistic works with a science connection. The event is at the Cultural Center of Cape Cod, 307 Old Main Street, South Yarmouth, on **Wednesday, May 2, 2018 at 6:00 PM.** Wine and light refreshments will be served. The public is cordially invited. The event is free, but donations are accepted.

Sandwich Road Menu brings you the latest news and highlights of upcoming events for the Unitarian Universalist Fellowship of Falmouth, Massachusetts. It is emailed each Friday and folded into the Order of Service on Sunday. Send submissions for all UUFF publications, including the Sandwich Road Menu, to announce@uuffm.org. The deadline for submissions to the Sandwich Road Menu is **noon on Tuesday.**

MEETINGHOUSE CALENDAR

SUNDAY, April 15

9:00 AM Choir Rehearsal
 10:00 AM Service/RE
 11:15 AM Sermon Discussion
 11:15 AM Youth Choir Rehearsal
 11:15 AM Faith Formation
 11:30 AM Auction Committee
 2:00 PM Adult Ed Program

MONDAY, April 16

7:00 PM Choir Rehearsal

TUESDAY, April 17

1:00 PM Mah Jongg
 1:30 PM Fellowship Group #1
 4:00 PM Social Action
 7:00 PM Soto Zen Sangha

WEDNESDAY, April 18

12:00 PM Brown Bag Book Bunch
 5:00 PM Lay Ministry Team

THURSDAY, April 19

8:00 AM Men's Breakfast
 9:45 AM B&G Committee
 5:30 PM Women's AA
 7:00 PM Governing Board
 7:00 PM Music Committee

FRIDAY, April 20

6:00 PM Parent Social Group

SATURDAY, April 21

6:00 AM Zen Retreat