

Sandwich Road Menu

For the week of November 14, 2021



This Sunday at 10 AM, we will have a hybrid service—both in-person at the East End Meeting House (7 Hatchville Road, a few blocks from UU Falmouth), and via YouTube live streaming. Those meeting in-person will be chosen by lottery from a list of people who have indicated they would like to meet in-person.

Those wanting to watch from home can click this link <https://youtu.be/47DPWi6gWZ4> and join the service remotely.

So many people have put such an enormous effort into making this work for everyone. We ask for your patience and flexibility while we go down yet another unfamiliar road.

SUNDAY SERVICE NOVEMBER 14, 2021 – *A Conversation With Our Foremothers*, The Rev. Joe Cherry. One of the great stories in the history of our Unitarian Universalist religion is the strong role that women have played in the direction of our faith. There have also been periods where women's voices were not supported and even suppressed. Join us this Sunday as we share the stories of several remarkable women whom we should be proud to call our ancestors.

To get some perspective on the history of women in our faith, click here:

<https://www.uuuf.org/resources/Documents/Historical/History-I-UUWF-PredecessorOrgs.pdf>

SOCIAL & ENVIRONMENTAL ACTION EXPO – On November 13 from 11 AM–1:00 PM at the Meeting House you can purchase **grocery cards**, choose from a variety of **baked goods**, and buy **Fair Trade chocolate and coffee**—all in one place! Due to COVID, grocery card sales have been down this year. Through the sale of chocolate, coffee and baked goods, SEAC is hoping to raise additional funds for the local charities we support. To learn more about these charities, go to <https://uuffm.org/justice-environmental-justice-climate-justice-food-security/local-giving/>.



GUEST AT YOUR TABLE – The Social & Environmental Action Committee is bringing back a UU Falmouth family tradition—*Guest At Your Table*. This UU Service Committee annual intergenerational program raises support for and awareness about key human rights issues. The program is an opportunity to celebrate grassroots partnership, support human rights, and learn about just four of these individuals – the “guests” in Guest At Your Table. Boxes will be available for pickup at the Action Expo (see article above) on November 13 from 11 AM-1:00 PM. Donations will also be welcome.



For more information go to: <https://www.uusc.org/wp-content/uploads/2021/09/Introductions-to-Partner-Videos-GAYT-2021-22.pdf>. Contact Julia Withers or Pam Morrone via admin@uuffm.org with any questions.

UPDATE FROM THE CAPITAL CAMPAIGN COMMITTEE – The campaign is in full swing with amazing results. In a short period of time we have received pledges from 16 donors "to the tune of" \$136k. We'd be delighted to receive at least one donation of \$20k that would significantly help as we move toward our goal. Everyone that we've talked with has been so receptive. Please welcome our volunteers when they call on you!

BROWN BAG BOOK BUNCH will be doing something a little different this month. On **Wednesday, November 17 at noon on Zoom, we will have a “book share.”** Everyone is invited to recommend titles and short descriptions of a book they've enjoyed. Besides being interesting and informative, it may inspire ideas for holiday gifts. We will be taking a break in December and return to our regular format (of one person presenting a book—no need for others to read it beforehand) in January.

WHY GENDER MATTERS: GENDER AS A SOCIAL CONSTRUCT - A Talk By Rex LeBeau, Wednesday, November 17 at 7:00 PM via Zoom. Rex is a non-binary LGBTQ+ activist in Newport, Rhode Island; the former leader of UU Channing Memorial Interweave group; and a cartoonist and copy editor for *Options Magazine*, Rhode Island's monthly LGBTQ publication.

Please join us to learn more about this vital issue. To get the Zoom link, please register at lu.ma/wspdtbx. ~UU Falmouth Welcoming Congregation and Whole Life Learning Committees.

ECO-ANXIETY SERIES – Third Thursdays: November 18, December 16 and January 20 at 7:00 PM via Zoom. Most of us worry about how the natural world is changing around us: the climate emergency, endangered species, the pandemic, and the changing landscape of Cape Cod and around the globe. This three-part series is about sharing our common feelings of eco-anxiety and how to cope with them and support others in these changing times.

Registration is limited to fifteen participants for all three monthly, confidential sessions. For more information, or to register, please contact Lew Stern at sternconsulting@comcast.net.

SUNDAY SERVICE NOVEMBER 21, 2021 *The Complicated Story of Thanksgiving* -The Rev. Joe Cherry. This year marks the 400th Anniversary of the “First Thanksgiving” at the Plymouth Plantation. Many facts and facets of the event remain a mystery and the story is ours to wrestle with this week.

SNACKS NEEDED FOR HABITAT FOR HUMANITY – On Tuesday, November 23 at 10:00 AM, we will be providing snacks for the Habitat for Humanity building project in Waquoit (Willett Way off Barrows Road). Please sign up to help with this endeavor: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/5080449a5a62caaff2-habitat>.



COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE 15TH ALTERNATIVE GIFT MARKET CAPE COD IS ONLINE AGAIN THIS YEAR. You have until the end of the day on Sunday, November 21 to shop! To learn about the AGM, visit the AGM website at <https://alternativegiftmarketcapecod.org>



MEETING HOUSE CALENDAR

(Red = Congregation-wide Events Open to All. MH = Takes place at the Meeting House)

SUNDAY, November 14

- 10:00 AM Sunday Service in person at the East End Meeting House AND Online**
- 1:00 PM Capital Campaign Training Session
- 4:00 PM Fellowship Group #5

MONDAY, November 15

- 1:30 PM COVID Task Force
- 6:30 PM Choir Rehearsal

TUESDAY, November 16

- 8:00 AM Breakfast Group**
- 1:00 PM Mah Jongg**
- 4:00 PM Fellowship Tea via Zoom**
- 4:00 PM Social Action
- 5:00 PM Capital Campaign Committee
- 7:15 PM Fellowship Group #2

WEDNESDAY, November 17

- 9:00 AM Membership Committee
- 9:30 AM Writing Time
- 11:00 AM Staff Meeting
- 12:00 PM Brown Bag Book Bunch via Zoom**
- 3:00 PM Partners in Grief Support
- 7:00 PM Why Gender Matters Talk via Zoom**

THURSDAY, November 18

- 8:00 AM Men's Breakfast via Zoom**
- 10:00 AM Capital Campaign Training
- 12:00 PM Fellowship Lunch via Zoom**
- 7:00 PM Governing Board
- 7:00 PM Eco-Anxiety Series via Zoom**

FRIDAY, November 19

- 11:00 AM Development Committee
- 11:00 AM Aids Support Group Van - MH