

Sandwich Road Menu

For the week of April 21, 2024



The Theme for April is *Interdependence*



SUNDAY SERVICE April 21, 2024 at 10 AM. “*Reflections of a Wampanoag Elder,*” led by Kitty Hendricks-Miller; service associates Judy Lynch and Robin Melavalin. Come celebrate **Earth Day Sunday** with us! Kitty Hendricks-Miller, the Indian Education Director for the Mashpee Wampanoag Tribe, will play the cedar flute, lead us in prayer, plus share stories, songs, and insights into Wampanoag history, traditional arts, and ways of life.

Share the Plate on April 21 will be collected for Farming Falmouth.

COFFEE HOUR on April 21 will be provided by the Social & Environmental Action Committee.

UUs WORKING TOGETHER TO GET OUT THE VOTE! The Social & Environmental Action Committee will be hosting a brief **Get Out the Vote information session directly following the Earth Day Sunday service on April 21.** This congregation-wide project in support of the 5th UU Principle aims to enhance representation of groups that are often marginalized, while also building community within our Fellowship as we work together. Come learn how you can be a part of it!



DATE WITH DEATH CLUB - “Extinction Fears: Processing Eco-Grief,” Wednesday, April 24 at 6:30 PM via Zoom. Due to the climate crisis, we face not only our own mortality, but questions about our collective existence. Developed by Joanna Macy, we’ll bravely explore this emotional terrain.



You are welcome to join us whether or not you have participated in any previous sessions. All sessions are free and open to all! **Find the link** in the “Zoom Logins for the Week” email from admin@uuffm.org. **Be prepared to participate by leaving your Zoom computer camera on** and sharing in a few very short small group discussions. Also, please **bring a notebook** so you can write down your reflections.

IF YOU DONATED GOODS, EVENTS, OR SERVICES TO THE AUCTION LAST WEEK, you should have received a notice on Sunday with the names of your winning bidder(s). The notice should have come from “UUFF-Unitarian Universalist Fellowship of Falmouth” with the email address noreply@auctria.com. Please check your spam and junk folder if you didn't see this in your email. Contact Ellen Todd at ellen@jackson-todd.com if you can't find it anywhere. Thank you!

SUNDAY SERVICE April 28, 2024 at 10 AM. “*The Ancient Art of Hospitality: working Toward a Welcoming World,*” led by Rev. Janet Newton; service associate Rosa Whiting. Parker Palmer writes that “The word ‘public’...contains a vision of our oneness, our unity, our interdependence upon one another....To acknowledge that one is a member of the public is to recognize that we are members of one another.” As Unitarian Universalists, how might we use this recognition to guide us? What obligations and responsibilities do we have toward one another that transcend disagreements or divisiveness? How might we use the power of interdependence to stand up to those who seek to increase tension by capitalizing on our differences?

PERNAMBUCO CONCERT, Sunday, April 28 at 3 PM at the Meeting House. The Pernambuco Chamber Ensemble returns to UU Falmouth for their spring concert, *A-Minor Romance, A Spring Celebration*. The program will feature works of Bach, Mozart, Farrenc, and the premiere of cellist Judith Glixon's arrangement of Schubert's *Arpeggione Sonata for Piano, Viola and Cello*. (continued)

Admission is free. A suggested contribution of \$20 is requested, a portion of which will be donated to IPCI-USA (International Pernambuco Conservation Initiative) through the International Alliance of Violin and Bow Makers for Endangered Species at <https://www.alliance-international.org/>.



MEMBERS & FRIENDS ORIGINAL ARTWORK EXHIBIT! Starting in May, we will be displaying our own artwork at the Meeting House. **Please bring your ready-to-hang art to the Meeting House between Sunday, April 28 and Thursday, May 2.** Please contact John Jackson if you have 3D art to display. This is in connection with the May 5 Sunday service, "Aaart!" Watch for more information in the coming weeks.

THE CARING COMMITTEE has a wonderful team of people who ensure that our members and friends are provided with refreshments after memorial services. **We could always use more hands to make light work of this task.** If you would like to join us in this rewarding work, please contact Ellen Todd at ellen@jackson-todd.com to be added to our contact list.

KITCHEN TRAINING SESSIONS - In the spirit of spring cleaning time, there will be very **brief kitchen training sessions from 9:30-9:45 AM every Sunday in May with weekly door prizes for participants.** Come to the Meeting House a little earlier on the Sunday that you are assigned snacks. The schedule for people whose names begin with these letters is the same as your snack assignment date:

May 5th: A-E; May 12th: F-K; May 19th: L-Q; May 26th: R-Z

LIBRARY NEWS: April is national poetry month so please stop by and visit our Library. The poetry section has been expanded and there are many new choices. If you have a few classics you would like to donate, please drop them off. Pick up a favorite and open it to a random page. Sometimes synchronicity will give you a special message. ~ Joan Vaughn

Red = Congregation-wide events open to all.

For the location of events not on Zoom, please see the appropriate articles above.

SUNDAY, April 21

EARTH DAY

10:00 AM Sunday Service-In Person and Zoom
11:15 AM Coffee Hour/Grocery cards
11:30 AM Get Out the Vote

MONDAY, April 22

3:00 PM Lay Ministry Team
 6:30 PM Choir Rehearsal

TUESDAY, April 23

8:00 AM Breakfast Group-Moonakis Café in East Falmouth

1:00 PM Mah Jongg
 1:30 PM Fellowship Group #1
3:30 PM Chiming Ensemble
4:00 PM Fellowship Tea-Zoom

WEDNESDAY, April 24

9:30 AM Writing Time
6:30 PM Date with Death Club-Zoom

THURSDAY, April 25

8:00 AM Men's Breakfast-Zoom
 3:30 PM Fellowship Group #3

SATURDAY, April 27

9:30 AM Starting Point Program