

Friday Flyer – April 14, 2023

News You Can UUse

From the UU Church of Saco and Biddeford

- **Worship This Week** – *Resisting Resistance?*
- *Rev. Niki Norman*
- **Worship at 10:00 AM– April 16th** –

- **Church Activities This Week:**

- Sunday, April 16 @ 10:00 AM - Worship
- Wednesday, April 19 @ 6:00 PM - *Harbour Singers*
- Thursday, April 20 @ 5:15 PM - SBGM – NOA?SAGE (off site)
- Thursday, April 13 @ 7:00 PM - Lenten Vespers

Unless indicated otherwise, these activities welcome all members and friends.

Office Hours

Minister, Rev. Lori Whittemore
Administrator, Brian Dustin

By Appointment (email: revlori.uucsb@gmail.com)
Mon-Wed-Fri –8-11 AM

Caring Needs – Please contact church office.

Upcoming Events and Activities



- **Special Music this Sunday**

Special Music this week - Melody Wood: “My mother instilled in me a love of music at an early age. My siblings and I all had piano lessons and played an instrument. Today I play flute and harp. Harp is what feeds my soul the most. It is my musical right connection with the universe. I am grateful for the support and acceptance I get from the members of my UU church in Sanford; particularly with my music.”

- **Pledge Update**

We are nearly through our pledge drive with our goal of \$71,000.00. Our total to date is \$60,097. If you have not sent in or dropped off your pledge yet, please do so. Our deadline for closing the pledge drive has passed. If we have not heard from you, we will give you a call. We cannot finalize our budget until we have all of our pledges in. Thank you very much for your generous pledges.

Wendy Coleman, Treasurer

- **Vespers – Our 8th Principle**

A small group of hearty souls has met the last five Thursdays for some really meaningful exploration of our first five principles. We're moving on to the proposed eighth principle "journeying toward spiritual wholeness by working to build a diverse multicultural Beloved Community by our actions that accountably dismantle racism and other oppressions in ourselves and our institutions." The coffee pot will be on!

- **Welcome Back to Souper Sunday – April 23**

On April 23rd we welcome back another Souper Sunday. This is always a fun time to enjoy conversation & homemade soups, breads and desserts after a Sunday service. We hope to have information about Green Sanctuary 2030 to share with you as well. Mark your calendars now for Sunday, April 23rd, and bring your appetite and maybe something to share. As the date approaches, there will be sign-up sheets for set up, soups, bread, desserts, and clean up. It would be appreciated if everyone could contribute in some way or another. We thank you and look forward to seeing you at this event!

The Faith in Action Team (Donna B., Diane E., Sonja G., Laurie S., and Randa T.)

- **Share the Plate – April – York County Community Action Corp.**

YCCAC provides a range of resources and programs to support households and individuals throughout the county, providing a unique combination of health and social services. At YCCAC, we are driven by the belief that when our communities are strong, all of its members have opportunities to thrive— and, in turn, that when an individual achieves personal success and independence, our communities grow healthier, stronger and more vibrant.

- **Coffee Hosts, Ushers & Flowers Needed**

We need Ushers and flower donations every Sunday. Coffee hosts are also needed to make coffee, bring snacks, and clean up. Please sign up on the schedule on the bulletin board by the restrooms. Thanks.

- **Live Stream on YouTube**

We are now live streaming our services on YouTube every Sunday at 10:00am

Feeling under the weather? Can't get to church?

Want to join the service from the comfort of your own home?

Join us live at 10:00am every Sunday on our YouTube channel.

Unitarian Universalist Church of Saco-Biddeford.

(YouTube link on our web page)

- **Covid-19 Guidelines**

- Masks are OPTIONAL inside.
- Hand sanitizer stations
- Social hour in the parish hall

- **Hannaford Cards**

Ellie L. will be selling Hannaford Gift Cards in the Parish Hall on Sundays after church. If you buy your groceries with a Hannaford card, the church receives 5%.