

## Friday Flyer – June 2, 2023

### News You Can UUse

From the UU Church of Saco and Biddeford

- **Worship This Week** – *Love Is Love*
- *Rev. Lori Whittemore & Chris O'Connor*
- **Worship at 10:00 AM – May 28<sup>th</sup>**

- **Church Activities This Week:**

- Sunday, June 4 @ 10:00 AM - Worship
- Wednesday, June 7 @ 5:30 PM - Finance Committee
- Wednesday, June 7 @ 6:00 PM - *Harbour Sinngers*
- Thursday, June 8 @ 7:00 PM - SBGM – Zoom

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

### **Office Hours**

Minister, Rev. Lori Whittemore  
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Mon-Wed-Fri – 8-11 AM

**Caring Needs** – Please contact church office.

### **Upcoming Events and Activities**

- **Thoughts from Rev. Lori**

Happy June!

The theme for the month of June is delight, and of course it is Pride month. I am delighted to have as our guest speaker, Chris O'Connor from the Equality Community Center, to share about that work. Marriage equality and human rights are cornerstones of our identity. With all the synchronicities of this Sunday service, you will absolutely not want to miss it! I share you with you a prayer from our Episcopal sisters and brothers:

Weaver of Justice, let us be your hands and feet! May we follow the Spirits lead and work for justice and equity for our LGBTQIA+, brown, and black siblings. In prayer we say Black Lives Matter, that our LGBTQIA+ siblings are made in your image, and we are committed to your ministry of reconciliation.

In Your Mercy | Hear Our Prayer

Please,

Read this in your head and out loud

Meditate on what word or phrase sticks out to you

Pray ask what this passage has to say to you in this time and this place

Contemplate Take this prayer with you today and this week, up to Sunday and beyond

I look forward to worshipping with you on Sunday!

Peace and Blessings

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- **Yard Sale – June 24-25**

Save the dates!!! We are planning a really, really big Yard Sale/Bake Sale/ Art Sale this year. Jean Horton will be organizing our Bake Sale and Anne D. will need lots of help with the Yard Sale and Art Sale. Sign-up sheets will go up next week. Avoid the rush and gather your goods and energy. More information to follow!!!

- **Share the Plate – June – Equality Community Center**

The ECC is a collaborative workplace for LGBTQ+ and allied social justice seeking non-profit organizations, including EqualityMaine, MaineTransNet, Pride Portland, PFLAG, Khmer Maine, Cross Cultural Community Services, Democracy Maine, Sexual Assault Response Services, Through These Doors, Prevention Action Change and the Kindling Collective. Located at 15 Casco Street in downtown Portland, the Center provides a safer and more inclusive gather-ing space with social and educational programming for all, working to support the most marginalized in our communities.

- **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%.