

Friday Flyer – February 9, 2024
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From the UU Church of Saco and Biddeford

- **Worship This Week** – *The Lie of Whiteness and Other Lies We Tell Ourselves*
- *Rev. Lori Whittemore*
- **Worship at 10:00 AM – February 11th**

- **Church Activities This Week:**

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| ○ Sunday, Feb 11 @ 10:00 AM | - Worship |
| ○ Sunday, Feb 11 @ 11:15 AM | - MoFA (Ministry on Faith in Action) |
| ○ Sunday, Feb 11 @ 11:30 AM | - Writers Group |
| ○ Tuesday, Feb 13 @ 4:30 PM | - Membership Committee |
| ○ Wednesday, Feb 14 @ 5:30 PM | - Trustees |
| ○ Thursday, Feb 8 @ 7:00 PM | - SBGM – Game Night |
| ○ Friday, Feb 16 @ 9:00 AM | - Coffee & Carbs (off site) |

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

- **Writers Group – February 11**

Join us in the RE Room for an hour of creativity. Unlock your inner Hemingway!

- **Coffee & Carbs**

Take a break from your week and join us at Saco Bay Variety, 215 Beach Street, Saco on Friday mornings 9am. We gather to sip our favorite beverages for an hour or so and enjoy each other's company. All are welcome! Contact person is Pat Snyder but no notice is necessary. Just come!

- **Ordination and Installation – April 7**

Sign up sheet to assist with Rev. Whittemore's Ordination and Installation on April 7 is on the bulletin board across from the kitchen door.

- **Do 1 Thing February: Ministry of Faith in Action (MoFA)**

Each month, MoFA "assigns" one action that is manageable and beneficial to all. As the next step in the Green Sanctuary 2030 process, MoFA is gathering information about the issues in our communities that most concern our congregation. Please complete this quick poll: **GS2030 Poll #1**. If you would prefer a paper copy, please contact randat@gwi.net or pick one up at church on Sunday

- **Small Group Ministry Interest Survey**

If you're interested in or curious about Small Group Ministry, please click the link to complete a [brief interest survey](#). (Read more in the email you will have received earlier this week.) If you would prefer a paper copy, please contact randat@gwi.net or pick one up at church on Sunday.

- **Share the Plate – February – Foundation Fund**

We are beginning to develop a plan to replace the supports under the main entrance. The beams have been deteriorating for many years due to an error in constructing the platform outside the main doors. We are waiting for a written report from the structural engineers which will outline the problem and suggest resolutions. During the service Jane Perkins will explain this issue further. At present two members recognized the need to start a fund for this work. They donated \$500 to kick off this fund. (Our last estimate, done several years ago, was \$46,000). This month half the plate will be kept at the UUCSB for this work.

- **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%.