**Unitarian Universalist Community Church**

**Worship Service - Sunday, June 18, 2017**

***Today at UUCC***

 **Service**, 10:00 a.m., “Healing, Light and Love”\*\* Rev. Carie Johnsen

 and Betsy Sweet

 **Equality Maine**, 3:00 p.m., Robbins Room

\*\*Betsy Sweet, healer, intuitive counselor, and life coach, will join Rev. Carie Johnsen to create a service of healing and wholeness. Bring your sorrow and grief, your disappointment and despair, chaos and confusion. With anticipation for quieter days and a bit of rest we lovingly prepare a service of meditation in song, silence, story and sound. A gift gratefully given and gratefully received.

***Notices***

**Condolences to the Little/Kmen family**

It is with sadness we share the news of the death of Christine Little’s father, Dr. Henry Allan Little on June 12th. Our thoughts and prayers go out to Christine, her husband Mark and daughters Sedona and Morgaine. We also offer prayers to Christine’s mother Joan Little. This summer marks 63 years of marriage. Condolences may be sent to the Little/Kmen family at 78 Rockwood Drive, South China, ME 04358.

**Wednesday Yoga at UUCC**

Everyone is welcome to Wednesday Yoga at the UUCC. No experience needed; just curiosity. People are welcome to drop in, come every once in a while, or become regular attendees. Classes are free and are taught by Janet Sawyer and Debbie Mattson on Wednesdays from 5 PM to 6 PM in the Fellowship Hall.

Yoga is a physical practice that makes us stronger and more flexible. And, it is more than a physical practice. Yoga postures are achieved by linking mind, body, and breath. Yoga postures begin with an awareness of breath (life force); an intention of movement (purposefulness); and acknowledgment of achievement with acceptance of limitations (grace). JOIN US!

**SOCIAL ACTIVITY -** Wednesday, June 21st

 @ 6:30 p.m. At Lithgow Library

**MAINE author Caitlin Shetterly** will discuss her book Modified: GMOs and the Threat to Our Food, Our Land, Our Future – a disquieting and meditative window into GMOs and how they are modifying not only the food we eat and our landscape, but our entire ecosystem. Shetterly’s work has been featured in The New York Times Magazine.

Caitlin also wrote FAULT LINES: Stories of Divorce, and Made For You and Me: Going West, Going Broke and Finding Home. Caitlin is William Shetterly's daughter, who came to UUCC a few years ago with his LARGE portraits and stories of AMERICANS WHO TELL THE TRUTH.

**Caitlin was originally planning to speak about her book: Made for You and Me. Please note the change in content of Caitlin’s presentation.**

**Work Crew Volunteers Needed for Saturday June 24th**

Four more volunteers are needed for the Saturday, June 24th workcrew at Hannah Faulkner's house.

People who are interested can email George LaPointe at georgelapointe@gmail.com or

call 557-4970

***This Week at UUCC*** *…*

**Monday, June 19, 2017**

 Newsletter articles DUE to newsletter@augustauu.org

 Private Piano Lessons, 11:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m., Sanct

 Membership Committee Mtg, 3:00 p.m., Comm Rm

 SGM Ellis McKeen (D. Maddi), 6:00 p.m., Comm Room

 Peaceful Heart Sangha, 6:30 p.m., Sanctuary

**Tuesday, June 20, 2017**

 Al-ANON, Noon, Robbins Room

 Council & Planning Meeting, 1:00 p.m., FH

**Wednesday, June 21, 2017**

 Gentle Yoga, 5:00 p.m., Fellowship Hall

 NAMI-Connection Recovery Support Group, 5:15 – 6:45 p.m., Drew House (Parlor)

**Social Activities: Author Caitlyn Shutterly**

Author Caitlyn Shetterly at the Lithgow Library at 6:30 p.m. <see notices for more information>.

 Rental – Just Guys, 6:30 p.m., Fellowship Hall

 SGM (P. Lamb), 6:30 p.m., Robbins Room

**Thursday, June 22, 2017** <No events or meetings >

**Friday, June 23, 2017**

 Drum Circle, 6:00 p.m., Sanctuary

**Saturday, June 24, 2017**

**Decolonizing Faith Worship** 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m., UUCC Fellowship Hall

In this daylong workshop entitled “Decolonization and the Role of Faith Communities” we will explore the role of churches in the colonization of this country and learn about the harmful impacts of colonization on indigenous peoples. Facilitators are Rev. Carie Johnsen and Rev. Maggie Edmondson. We will provide beverages and snacks, but participants are advised to bring a brown bag lunch. FMI or to signup: e-mail: penthea.burns@maine.edu \*\*\*See Bulletin Board in Fellowship Hall\*\*\*

Private Piano Lessons, 1:45 p.m. – 6:00 p.m., Sanctuary

**Sunday, June 25, 2017**

 **SINGLE Service**, 10:00 a.m., “Leave Space for Spirit”\*\* Ida Gammon

 **Goddess/Earth Circles**, 11:30 a.m., Fellowship Hall

 **Equality Maine**, 3:00 p.m., Robbins Room

\*\*If you missed Ida’s December service, here is your chance to experience Sunday at St. Mary’s African Methodist Episcopal Church in Gammonville, Arkansas.

**Goddess/Earth Circles**, 11:30 a.m., C-FH

Motherhood and family with focus on the stories of Ceres and Erserpina, and Hestia. This session will be led by Beth Olsen and Jean Sizelove, and provide opportunity for reflections on spirituality in family relationships.



***Upcoming Events***

**Thursday, June 29th** – A Celebration of Life for Alice Gifford will be held at the UUCC of Augusta at 2 pm

***UUCC Office Hours***

**UUCC Office Hours <hours for next week>**

Monday ----------------------------------<No office hours>

Tues., Wed. AND Thurs.--------------9:00 am to 4:00 pm

Friday -------------------------------------< No office hours >

**Rev. Carie’s Office Hours:**

Monday No office Hours (Writing Day)

Tuesday 3:00 pm – 6:00 pm

Wednesday 2:00 pm – 6:00 pm

Friday No Office Hours (Sabbath day)

 <other hours available by appointment>

**Pastoral Care** concerns: contact Rev. Carie Johnsen at 623-3663 or (508)221-5295 or email revcariejohnsen@gmail.com

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