

**Unitarian Universalist Community Church**  
Worship Service - Sunday, September 15, 2019

**Today at UUC**

**Services at 9:15 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.**

"Imperfect Paths" Rev. Carie Johnsen

**Notices**

**The Church Administrator is on VACATION this week.**

**Catherine Palmer will be in the office for the normally scheduled office hours.**

Tues, Wed. and Thurs. from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.  
Thank you Catherine!

**RE and Social Activities**

**Fall Kayaking / Canoeing**  
*(with the tide, of course)*

There is still time to let Monique or Cheryl know if you are interested in a Fall "all age" kayaking, canoeing float down the Kennebec River (start in Sidney – lunch on the island half way down and continue on to Augusta). We did this trip long ago and it was great fun for kids and adults alike.

If you have an interest in joining us even if you don't have a canoe or a kayak, contact Cheryl Clukey [cherylclukey5@yahoo.com](mailto:cherylclukey5@yahoo.com) or Monique McAuliffe or [RECoordinator@augustauu.org](mailto:RECoordinator@augustauu.org).



**NEW GROUP at UUC**  
**Death Talk – Augusta**

**Begins this THURSDAY, Sept 19<sup>th</sup>**  
**UUC Drew House**

Join us in this safe, supportive, non-judgmental environment for an agenda free discussion about death and dying. We will meet the 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday monthly. Church members, friends and community members are welcome to join us (Appropriate for ages 16-100+)

No RSVP is necessary. You are welcome to come whenever you wish.

FMI: [deathtalkaugustame@gmail.com](mailto:deathtalkaugustame@gmail.com)



**Be sure to read today's INSERT**  
**Containing**  
**GREAT BUDGET NEWS!!**

**Join us for the next Jewelry Making Workshop**

**Wednesday Sept. 25**

from 1:00 pm to 3:30 PM

In Fellowship Hall

Our Sept. 11 workshop was well attended and we had great FUN making jewelry items for sale at the Holiday Fair. Martha Naber's sister, Rachel Beckford, taught us techniques using bead supplies to make jewelry for Mary Shifman's "All That Glitters" table at the fair.

Join the FUN at our next Jewelry making workshop on September 25<sup>th</sup>.

Bring supplies you may have with you! Questions? Email Martha Naber at [naber@gwi.net](mailto:naber@gwi.net) or call 887-1104.

**SAVE THE DATE:**

Saturday, September 28<sup>th</sup>

9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m – **Leadership Retreat**

Have you registered for the "Claiming Spiritual Workshop"? There is still time! See all the details on the bulletin board in Fellowship Hall.

**\*\* AND THEN \*\***

at 4:00 p.m -- **UUC Guest Artist Concert**



Internationally acclaimed Chinese-American pianist, Dr. Gulimina Mahamuti, will share a solo recital of piano transcriptions of J.S. Bach-Egon Petri, D. Scarlatti-Enrique Granados, and Schubert-Liszt, and feature music by Maine composer, Lucas Richman, maestro of the Bangor Symphony Orchestra, with his *Reflections* for solo piano.

\$10.00 suggested donation, to be shared between the guest musician and the church.

## *This Week*

### Monday, September 16, 2019

Private Piano Lessons, 12:45 – 6:00 p.m., C-Sanct  
Sm. Grp Ministry E. McKeen (D.Maddi), 6:00–8 p.m., D-Prlr

#### **Peaceful Heart Sangha – Mindful Meditation,**

6:30-8:00 p.m., C-Sanct

Join this mindfulness meditation group for sitting and walking meditation, readings and sharing in the sanctuary.

FMI: email [Peacefulheartsangha@gmail.com](mailto:Peacefulheartsangha@gmail.com).

### Tuesday, September 17, 2019

Private Rehearsal, 9:00 a.m. – Noon, C-Sanct  
Al-Anon, Noon-1:00 p.m., C-Rbns  
Cleaning (Church and Drew House), 8:30 p.m.

### Wednesday, September 18, 2019

~~Communications Work Group~~, Rescheduled to 9/24  
Small Group Ministry (H. Wing), 10:30 a.m. – Noon, C-Rbns  
Gambler's Anonymous, Noon – 1:00 p.m., D-Olsn

#### **Gentle Yoga**, 5:00-6:00 p.m., C-FH

Everyone is welcome to Wednesday Yoga at the UUCU. No experience needed; just curiosity. Classes are free and are taught by Debbie Mattson on Wednesdays from 5 PM to 6 PM in the Fellowship Hall. We have everything needed for Wednesday Yoga. All are welcome.

YOGA

Choir Rehearsal, 6:00 – 8:00 p.m., C-Sanct  
SGM: Augusta Justice Ministry Cohort, 6 – 8:00 p.m., D-Prlr  
Small Group Ministry (P. Lamb), 6:30 – 8:30 p.m.,  
D-Prlr <Location Changed to C-Rbns>

#### **Rental: Just Guys**, 6:30 – 8:00 p.m., C-FH

Just Guys is a local social/support group for gay, bisexual or questioning men that rents our Fellowship Hall on the 1st and 3rd Wednesdays of each month. The group meets from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. to enjoy movies, discussions, social awareness, guest speakers, and game nights. MI: [www.justguys.info](http://www.justguys.info). If you would like to receive the newsletter from Just Guys, please send an email to [welcome@justguys.info](mailto:welcome@justguys.info).

### Thursday, September 19, 2019

Small Group Ministry (Zidowecki), 10 a.m. – Noon, C-Rbns

#### **Peer Run Affinity Group**, 1:30-3:00 p.m., C-Rbns

Peer Support Affinity Group for people who live with mood disorders (family members also welcome).

Death Talk Augusta, 4:00 – 5:30 p.m., D-1<sup>st</sup> Floor

<See NOTICES above>

### Friday, September 20, 2019

Cleaning (Church and Judd House), 8:30 – 10:30 p.m.

### Saturday, September 21, 2019

UUCOO Rehearsal, 8:30 – 10:30 p.m., C-Sanct  
Private Piano Lessons, 12:15 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

### Sunday, September 22, 2019

#### Services at 9:15 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.

"From the Old, We Travel to the New"  
Rev. Carie Johnsen



#### Goddess/Earth Circles, 12:15 – 2:00 p.m., C-FH

**Fall/Autumn Equinox** (also called Mabon) celebrates the second harvest. The time of day and night are balanced and will soon tip toward darkness. Theme: Labyrinth of Our Lives. We will be using a triple labyrinth to engage with the Maiden, Mother/Nurturer, and Elder/Crone of our lives, in preparation for the Wisdom Celebration.

## *Upcoming Events*

Wed. Sept. 25 Seasoned Souls, 10:30 am–Noon, C-FH  
Holiday Fair: Jewelry Making Workshop,  
1:00 – 3:30 p.m., C-FH

Thurs. Sept. 26 Discernment Team Meeting,  
5:30 – 7:30 p.m., C-Rbns

Fri. Sept. 27 Drum Circle, 6:00 – 8:00 p.m., C-Sanct

**SAVE THE DATE:** This year's **Leadership Retreat is on Saturday, September 28th, 9:00-3:00** followed by our **1<sup>st</sup> Guest Artist Concert at 4 p.m.** featuring internationally acclaimed Chinese-American pianist Gulimina Mahamuti

For more, visit the UUCU website: [www.augustauu.org](http://www.augustauu.org)

## *UUCU Office Hours*

#### **OFFICE HOURS NEXT WEEK**

Tues, Wed. and Thurs 9:00 a.m. – 4:00p.m.

#### **Rev. Carie's NEW office hours.**

Mon, Wed and Thurs - 2:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m

And other hours by appointment

**Caring Cooperative** support includes rides, meals, errands, get well and condolence cards as well as companion visits.

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