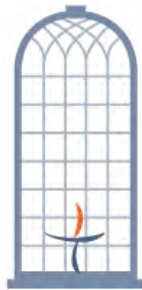


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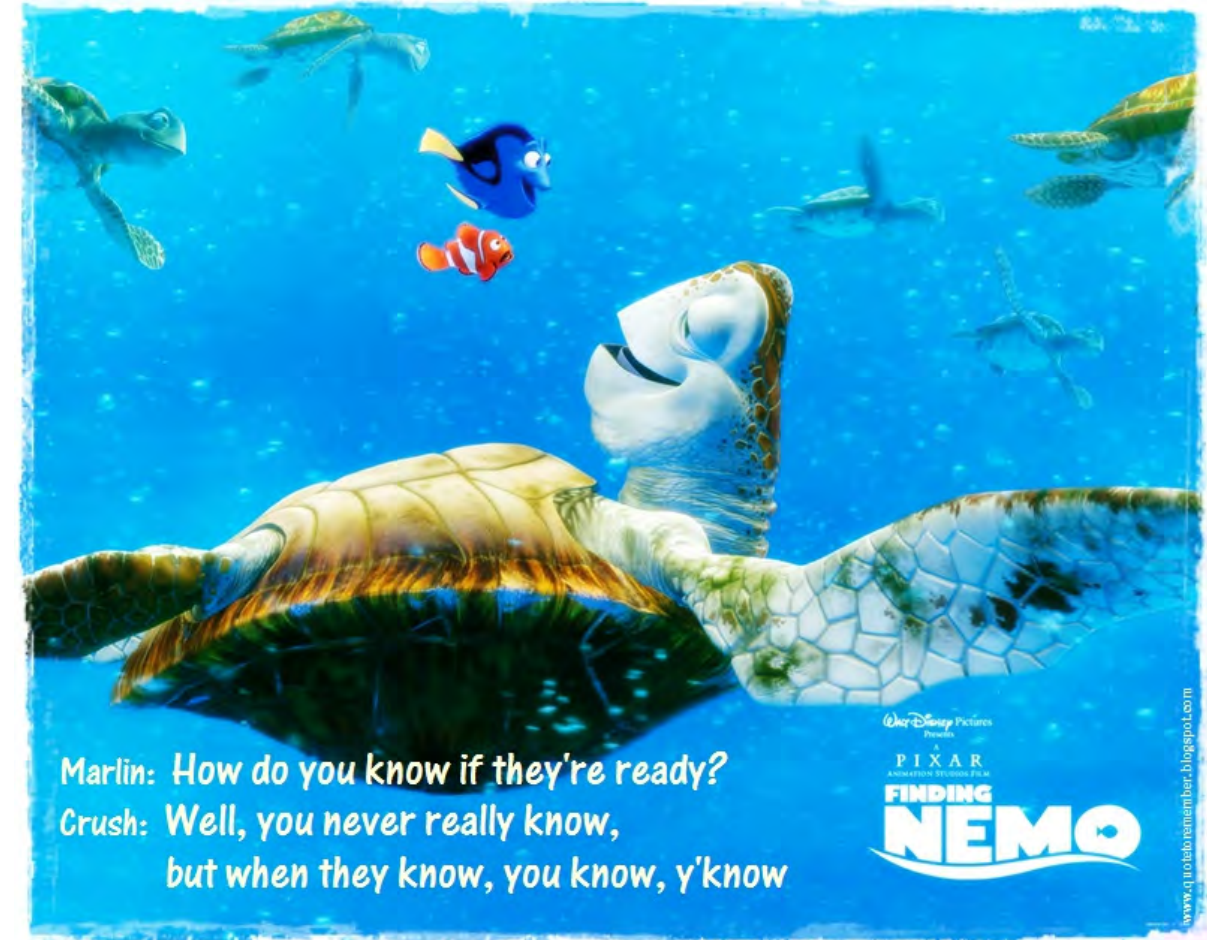
About our Outreach recipient: the Community Hospice House, which is operated by Home Health and Hospice Care. Home Health & Hospice Care is a large non-profit Visiting Nurse Association and hospice serving 25 communities in southern NH. It has its roots in the North End of Nashua, when in 1883, a group of young women began bringing food and medicine to the families of mill workers. Today the agency provides traditional home care, skilled nursing, rehabilitation therapies, Advanced Illness Management, Palliative Care, Behavioral Health and Bereavement Support groups. The Hospice Team cares for patients in their homes, in nursing homes and in the Community Hospice House. The ten suite Community Hospice House opened its doors in December of 2000 after a very successful Capital Campaign led by church member Jack Law. For more information, see <http://hhhc.org/hospice>.

Supporting our Church: Our mission, our programs, our historic facilities and our liberal religious values are dependent upon contributions from members and friends. Please use the green envelopes. If you would like to make a sustaining pledge to support our work, please ask to be directed to a member of the Stewardship Committee.



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ORDER OF SERVICE
May 31, 2015

GATHERING THE COMMUNITY

Prelude *Jed Holland*

Ringling the Bell *Kate O'Shea*
Welcoming and Greeting *Board of Trustees*

CENTERING

Lighting the Chalice *Burns Fisher*
Worship Associate

Musical Offering: "I'm a Believer" from "Shrek" *Childrens Choir*
by Neil Diamond

Evolving Covenant, UU Church of Nashua *Rev. Dr. Janet Newman*
Our church is a unique community where we
aspire to personal and spiritual growth, and to
learning new ways of being in relation to one
another.

Mindful of your inherent worth and dignity,
I do covenant to:
Bring my best self to this place
Listen intently
Speak honestly and thoughtfully
Trust in your good intentions and recognize that
my actions and words have an impact regardless
of my intentions

And when I fall out of covenant, I will ask for help
and be open to loving guidance to restore my
relationship with you.

**Please rise in body or in spirit*

SHARING IN COMMUNITY

Time for All Ages: Presentation of the "Religion and Me" *Rev. Janet*
award to Sam Pancoast

Singing the children and volunteers to class *No. 414*
"As We Leave This Friendly Place"

Offering for Outreach: The Community Hospice House *Rev. Janet*

Candles of Joys and Sorrows *Burns Fisher*
Response: "From You I Receive" *No. 402*

Reflections in words, silence and music
"Spirit of Life" *No. 123*

GOING DEEPER

Introduction to "Generational Reflections" *Rev. Dr. Janet*

Homilies: People in their Teens *Jackson Hinkle,*
Tom Woolsey
Maggie Woolsey

**Hymn: "Sing Out Praises for the Journey"* *No. 295*

RETURNING TO SERVICE IN LIFE

Recognizing Newcomers and Guests *Rev. Janet*

**Hymn: "We are the Earth, Upright and Proud"* *No. 303*

Extinguishing the Chalice *Burns Fisher*

**Song for Parting: "Peace and Joy"* *Hymnal: Inside Back*
Cover

Postlude *Jed Holland*

This week at UUCN
Beginning May 31, 2015

Annual Meeting will be held on Thursday, June 4 at 7:00 p.m. in the Sanctuary.

Today: Children's Choir Rehearsal: 11:30 a.m. in the Chapel

Today: Budget Review: 11:40 a.m. in the Auditorium

Today: Lifespan Religious Education Lunch & Learn: 12:00 p.m. in the Youth Room

Today: Senior High Youth Group: 6:00 p.m. in the Youth Room

*****This Week at UUCN*****

Monday, June 1 **Spiritual Development:** 5:30 p.m. in the Dining Room

Non Violent Communication: 7:00 p.m. in the Chapel

Tuesday, June 2 **Non Violent Communication:** 1:30 p.m. in the Fellowship Room

Emma Sousa Covenant Group: 7:00 p.m. in room 8

Property Committee: 7:15 p.m. in room 7

Wednesday, June 3 **Buddhist Meditation:** 7:00 p.m. in the Auditorium

Choir Rehearsal: 7:30 p.m. in the Chapel

Thursday, June 4 **Annual Meeting:** 7:00 p.m. in the Sanctuary

Young Adults: 7:00 p.m. in the Youth Room

Friday, June 5 **ROPEs Sleepover:** 5:00 p.m. in the Parish House

*****Next Week at UUCN*****

Sunday, June 7 **Religious Education Committee:** 8:30 a.m. in room 7

Childcare: 8:30 a.m. in room 9

Choir Rehearsal: 9:00 a.m. in the Sanctuary

Introduction to Unitarian Universalism: 11:40 a.m. in the Fellowship Room

Social Justice Team: 11:40 a.m. in the Youth Room

Pat Ladew's Book Club: 1:00 p.m. in the Youth Room

Senior High Youth Group: 6:00 p.m. in the Youth Room

Monday, June 8 **Board of Trustees:** 7:00 p.m. in the Youth Room

Non Violent Communications: 7:00 p.m. in the Chapel

Worship Associates: 7:00 p.m. in room 7

Tuesday, June 9 **Non Violent Communications:** 1:30 p.m. in the Fellowship Room

Wednesday, June 10 **Buddhist Meditation:** 7:00 p.m. in the Auditorium

Thursday, June 11 **Pastoral Care Team:** 7:00 p.m. in room 7

Saturday, June 13: **UU Young Adults:** 5:00 p.m. in the Parish House

Board of Trustees will review the 2015/16 fiscal year budget for the church today at 11:40 a.m. in the Auditorium. All are welcome to come for the preview. The budget will be presented at the Annual Meeting on Thursday, June 4, 7:00 p.m.

Lifespan Religious Education - Practice Non Violent Communication- Mondays 7:00- 8:30 p.m. in the Chapel and Tuesdays from 1:30 - 2:30pm, come and practice your Nonviolent Communication skills. **We will not be meeting on Memorial Day, May 25.** This is a drop-in session where we will consider a few case studies and also consider personal opportunities for practicing our Nonviolent Communication skills. It is recommended to have read the book, *Nonviolent Communication: A Language of Life* by Marshall Rosenberg. Contact Ginger Hedges or Lori Lerude for more info. The plan is for this group to meet **every** Tues from 1:30-2:30 pm until the end of the church year in June. No prior NVC experience is needed.

Lifespan Religious Education (LRE) Lunch & Learn: Mark your calendar for Sunday, May 31 at 12:00-1:30pm. We'll have three presentations on different RE models and programs and then time for discussion. Please bring your own lunch and join us in the Youth Room. Please email Sherri at office-admin@uunashua.org by May 25 to request childcare.

Spiritual Development Committee: This group is responsible for organizing opportunities for members of the congregation to learn more about and deepen their faith in Unitarian Universalism (otherwise called, Adult Religious Education). If you'd like to learn more, and just maybe CONSIDER joining our group, come to our end of the year Pot Luck meeting next Monday (June 1) at 5:30 in the Dining Room. RSVP Jerry Ross jeraldpross@gmail.com. (p.s.You don't have to be an expert in UUism or adult education: just curious)

Spirit Mask Workshop: June 20, 9:00-5:00p.m. Registration \$35.00 here at the UU Church in the Dining Room. Mask making is a journey that will bring us beneath the masks we wear in our daily lives. It is a journey toward soul discovery, toward recognizing the spirit within ourselves and in each other. Mask making deepens our unfolding of greater self-understanding and growth. More information and registration form available at the Opportunity Table.

Volunteers Needed to make coffee before or during Sunday Summer Services beginning June 21 and going through September 6. A sign up sheet is available at the Opportunity Table.

Volunteers Needed to tend and water the bucket garden in the cemetery behind the kitchen over the summer. The goal of the garden is to provide fresh veggies and flowers to folks in need and perhaps to offer at our community dinners. We are looking for volunteers to help this summer with various tasks including:

1. Set up
2. Watering
3. Weeding (not too much of that)
4. Sampling
5. General Maintenance around the buckets (not too much of that)
6. Produce/Flower harvesting and delivery
7. End of season break down

Anyone interested can contact Jamie Hinkle (jhinkle1106@gmail.com) or Kim Steele (ksteele704@gmail.com) for more details.

Be sure you are subscribed to our weekly nUUws letter. If you are not receiving it, speak with or email Sherri at uucnoffice@gmail.com and ask to be subscribed.