January 27, 2019

The Week Ahead

Sunday, January 27

9:15am 2019 Ethnic Cultural Heritage Celebration planning -

- meeting (F) (9:1510:15am

9:15am UUFN Bistro (OB) 9:15-10:15am

10:30am Worship & Religious Education

11:45am Social Justice Committee Mtg (OB) 11:45-12:45am

Monday, January 28

7:00pm 4th Monday Chalice Circle (OB) 7-9pm

7:00pm Yoga with Dona Zingaro (W) 7-8pm

Wednesday, January 30

9:00am Panera Coffee Group

6:30pm Zen Meditation (TP) 6:30-8:15p

Saturday, February 2

5:30pm Chili Challenge (M) 5:30-7:30pm

Sunday, February 3

9:15am UUFN Bistro (OB) 9:15-10:15am

10:30am Worship & Religious Education

12:00pm RE Committee Meeting

Next Week: February 3, 2019 –

Imbolc Celebration Presented by: Nancy Plummer

Imbolc is the cross-quarter (halfway mark from the Winter Solstice and the Spring Equinox) in the Celtic Wheel. Imbolc celebrates the "first spring," Imbolc literally means in the belly or first milk. It is St Brighid's day & Candlemas, among other worldwide festivals, celebrated at this time.

Come celebrate this special time with Source knowledge, fire and water rituals, and plenty of Celtic music, by the very talented Celtic Harpist, Mary Kay Mann.

Sunday fellowship begins at 10:30am

The MINISTER is AVAILABLE when needed:

Please feel free to contact me at <u>minister@uufn.org</u> or leave a message for me at UUFN. With caring regard, **Rev. Paula Maiorano**

Share the Plate Recipient for January—Project New Start

Project New Start is a re-entry program for Delaware men and women transitioning out of state and federal prisons. Participants spend 10 weeks together learning cognitive behavioral change, parenting, financial literacy, conflict resolution and technology training. Working in partnership with a wide variety of local organizations, the program has proven highly effective: more than 90% of New Start graduates are placed in jobs and their rate of recidivism (return to prison) is less than 30%, a stark contrast to Delaware's average recidivism rate of 76%. For more information visit www.project-new-start.org

TOMORROW:

Open Chalice Circle - Monday - January 28th, 7-9pm.

The theme is *Possibility*. Please send RSVPs by 5pm, Sun. 1/25 to <u>chalicecircles@uufn.org</u>. If you come without having done an RSVP, please be sure to be on time.

2019 Chili Cook-off Announcement - February 2nd the Landscape Committee will sponsor the 10th Annual UUFN Chili Cook-Off, with awards for CHILI, CORNBREAD and DESSERT! Look for more event details and SIGN UP at the Chili Cook-Off table during coffee hour. Contact Steve Bush at Chilibush@comcast.net or email landscape@uufn.org to enter your chili, cornbread or dessert.

DONATIONS NEEDED!

Regifted items from the holiday.

Books of any kind (new looking)

Wine, Whiskey, Chocolate, anything that would make a nice gift is needed for the Chili Cook-off raffle.

It does not have to be related to Chili or Landscape. It can stand on its own. Please contact Nancy Plummer: plummern04@gmail.com

UU101 -February 9, 2019, 9:00am - 1:00pm - MacKinnon Hall -

UU101 is an orientation to UUFN, its programs, and to our Unitarian Universalist roots/theology/principles. All are welcome. Come for Coffee at 9am, program starts 9:30am. Light lunch will be provided. Contact Diana Guinnup: membership@uufn.org or 302-328-8111.

Childcare MUST be arranged in advance thru **Andrea Harding:** andrea4620@hotmail.com

What's the Board doing? How do I get (or stay) informed? Here's how. Join us!!! Board meetings are held the 2nd Wednesdays of each month at 7pm. The next meeting is: Save These Dates!!!

Next Date: February 10 - noon - Lay Leaders Meeting

April 7 – 9:15am – Lay Leaders meeting May 5 – noon – Annual Meeting

'Spirituality through Foot Massage' - Feb 12th Gather at 6:30, program starts at 7 pm 'Spirituality through Foot Massage' "Outer ecology begins with inner ecology" – Ecofeminist Vandana Shiva. Come prepared to relax deeply, (with clean feet) ready to massage each other's feet. Please bring a pillow and a towel. Lotions and oils available, or you can bring your own.

Save the Date: February 16th for a Restorative Practices Workshop 9:30-2:00 - a way to live our Principles and Covenant of Right Relations. Kecia McMillian will lead the first of a series of training workshops for Restorative Practices as a way to live our Principles and Covenant of Right Relations. For more information please contact: Kecia McMillian by email <a href="Mexicoatri

Battery and Light Bulb Recycle - We are continuing the campaign to recycle batteries and light bulbs. These efforts keep corrosive and toxic materials out of the landfill where they would be a hazard to our natural resources, wild life, and future generations. We can recycle those old materials for you or show you how to do it yourself; which in turn provides ingredients to make new products. – *Thank you from your friends in UUFN's Green Sanctuary!*

Need to submit an article? If you need to announce anything in the Order of Service, The Weekly UUpdate, The Monthly Connections, or the UUFN Website just go to http://UUFN.org/willa and fill out the form! There's even a space to load up an image!

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