



Chalice Chat

Sunday News from the Harvard Unitarian Universalist Church
March 5th, 2017

SHARING OUR PLATE March 5th:
UUSC, Unitarian Universalist Service Committee. The UUSC advances human rights and social justice in the United States and around the world, partnering with those who confront unjust power structures and mobilizing to challenge oppressive policies. **Please make checks out to “UUSC”.**

March 12th, 19th and 26th --

Southern Poverty law Center (SPLC)
The SPLC is dedicated to fighting hate and bigotry and to seeking justice for the most vulnerable members of our society. Using litigation, education, and other forms of advocacy, the SPLC works toward the day when the ideals of equal justice and equal opportunity will be a reality.

Sunday, March 5th, 9:55 a.m.

Turning Guilt into Action

Katherine Friedman

Guilt is a powerful emotion that many of us feel on a daily basis. Kate Friedman of the Unitarian Universalist Service Committee will share her experiences with guilt and the myriad of ways it has shaped her into the person she is today- a social justice advocate working for UUSC to protect human rights across the globe.

Music: Choir

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How Buddhism Saves Jesus

Rev. J. Mark Worth

We don't talk much about salvation. Universalists say don't need to be saved from hell because a loving God wouldn't damn us in the first place. Mark says he sees parallels between the teachings of both the Buddha and Jesus that “saves” Christianity for him, that helps him appreciate Jesus more, and helps him be a better Christian-Buddhist-Humanist.

Music: John Chapman, jazz piano

Faith Formation News

* Our Butterfly Garden, Rock Garden and Cosmix kids will be creating auction items on March 5 and March 19. Please make sure your child attends so s/he can participate!

* There will be no OWL session this evening.

* Faith Formation at Harvard Unitarian Universalist Church is pleased to invite and welcome Boston Black Lives Matter speaker, Martin Henson, on March 12. He'll be speaking to the kids and youth from 10:00 – 10:30 am, and to adults from 11:30 am – 12:30 pm, after worship. Childcare will be provided for the adult session. All are invited to attend, and the event is open to community members as well. Please invite friends, family members, and co-workers to learn more about this important movement struggling for racial equality. For more information, please contact Daniel Payne at dff@uuharvard.org.

ANNOUNCEMENTS



MSC Notes: The MSC committee continues with the intensive interview process for our shortlist of outstanding candidates. This involves hours of time together discussing a range of church needs, aspirations, and issues, learning more about each candidate, and tours of our facilities, our town, and the surrounding area. As always, thank you for all of your self-reflection alone and in community, as we work to be open to exciting new possibilities and opportunities!

-your Ministerial Search Committee



Celebrating Our UU Values!!

**Donation forms are due next week!!
Forms are available at the Idea
Board in the back of the Church - or
do it on line**

**Our editors are itching to get started
on the catalog
Be creative, think out of the box and
have fun**

**And make your reservation for
Saturday, April 8**

**Join us Tuesday, March 7th, at 6:30 for
the Women's Alliance pot-luck dinner
and guest presenter Linda Cundiff,
COO of Health Care without Walls.**
HCWW is a non-profit organization
dedicated to providing free and
compassionate medical care, education and
advocacy to nearly 2,500 homeless women
and their children in eight shelters, safe
houses, and transitional family housing
sites throughout the Greater Boston Area.

**The Unitarians and Universalists in
America: Come and learn more about
our history** in an adult education class led
by Rev. Mark Worth after church (11:30 to
1:00 p.m.) on these new dates:
Sunday March 19 William Ellery Channing
and Ralph Waldo Emerson.
Sunday March 26 Thoreau, Emerson, and
The Transcendentalists.

Want to attend but need childcare?
Please email Mark or Daniel at
minister@uuharvard.org or
dff@uuharvard.org.

**To help greet, usher, or provide
hospitality on any Sunday**, sign up at the
Connections Table, or online
<http://uuharvard.org/connection/volunteers/>

If you use Facebook, look up Harvard
Unitarian Universalist Church. **And our
website is** <http://uuharvard.org/>

CHURCH CALENDAR

- Sun. Mar. 5
 - 10:00 a.m. Worship Service
Turning Guilt into Action
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 - 11:00-12:00 Bargains open
- Tue. Mar. 7
 - 10-4 Bargains in the Belfry open
 - 6:30 & 7:30 Potluck & Program
Alliance: Linda Cundiff
COO, Health Care Without Walls
 - 7:00 p.m. Faith Formation Team
- Wed. Mar. 8
 - 6:30 p.m. Caring Network
 - 7-8 p.m. Meditation
- Thu. Mar. 9
 - 7:00 p.m. Board meeting
- Sat. Mar. 11
 - 7:00 p.m. Concert:
Billy Walsh Band
- Sun. Mar. 12
 - 10:00 a.m. Worship Service
How Buddhism Saves Jesus
Rev. J. Mark Worth
 - 11:20-11:50 Jr. Choir
 - 11:30-12:30 Black Lives Matter
Speaker: Martin Henson
 - 12:00-1:00 Chimers rehearsal

**Billy Walsh Concert Saturday, March
11th at 7p.m.** www.wachusettmusic.net
BILLY WALSH is a singer-songwriter
with an almost endless memory for the
familiar and obscure in the Irish and
American Music Repertoire. His voice
ranges from a full-bodied baritone to a true,
clear tenor. Several of his original songs
have won awards in The Billboard Song
Contest and The American Song Festival.

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