



Chalice Chat

Sunday News from the Harvard Unitarian Universalist Church
April 2nd, 2017

SHARING OUR PLATE April Growing Places

Each week 50% of the plate cash contributions, plus checks made out to them, go to a designated charity. (The balance of the cash and checks made out to the church go to the church.) Growing Places Garden Project is a non-profit founded in Harvard which fights food insecurity in low-income households. GPGP donates gardens and provides support services to enable people to grow fresh vegetables and herbs for themselves and their loved ones. For more information, please call [978-598-3723](tel:978-598-3723) or visit <http://growingplaces.org/>

Please make checks out to GPGP.

Sunday April 2nd 9:55 a.m.

Senior High Youth Group

All Ages Service

Music: Senior High

Ushers: Imre Toth, Sarah Graffam

Greeters: Alice Rennie, Chuck McCormack

Coffee Hour will be in the Fellowship Building where Auction items will be displayed. Hosted by Kate Deyst, Marcia Croyle.

Note-Please drop off Auction items at the Fellowship Building before church

Sunday April 9th 9:55 a.m.

“A Tale of Three Nobodies”

Rev. J. Mark Worth

This year the Jewish festival of Passover begins on the evening of the Christian celebration of Palm Sunday. As these two important religious occasions coincide, we will honor both. Mark will tell the story of three “nobodies” who had a profound and lasting impact.

Music: Choir

Usher: Pat White

Faith Formation News

* The **HUUC Seder will be held on April 2 at 5 pm**. The 5th-8th grade youth are invited to assist Ruth Silman in making matzoh balls in the Fellowship Building kitchen at 10 am on April 2.

* Ted Johnson will be screening *The Color of Fear* and leading discussion afterwards, **April 7, 7 pm** in the HUUC sanctuary.

* The **final session of OWL is April 9**, 5-8 pm, at First Parish Stow/Acton. Parents are required to attend the 5 pm parents session and stay for the recognition ceremony.

* Families are invited to participate in the **Walk for Hunger in Boston on May 7**.

Those who cannot attend the walk may participate by preparing food and welcoming the walkers back to the church with a potluck that evening.

ANNOUNCEMENTS



Celebrating Our UU Values!!

**You should have your
2017 AUCTION CATALOG**

**Now it's time to make your
reservation,**

**book a sitter for the kids,
plan your pot luck offering,
volunteer to help with something and
most importantly, get ready to have
some FUN!!**

Saturday, April 8

The Annual UU Family Passover Seder will be held on Sunday, April 2, 2017 from 5:00pm-8:00pm in the Fellowship Building. -Ruth Silman – [617-755-1689](tel:617-755-1689) or rsilman@nixonpeabody.com.

Please join the Alliance on Tuesday night April 4th at the Fellowship Bldg. to see the documentary, "Pictures from a Hiroshima Schoolyard." After the film, Alice Rennie will talk about the emotional impact of visiting the Hiroshima peace park and museum on her trip to Japan last year. All are welcome to join the Alliance for a potluck dinner at 6:30 P.M., and the program will start at 7:30 P.M.

Bargains Now Taking SPRING & SUMMER Consignments Beginning Tuesday, April 4, we will be starting the spring season by taking in spring and summer clothing. Bring your items in to sell and look around for new items to purchase. The shop is open each Tuesday 10:00 am - 4:00 pm and the first and third Sundays 11:30-12:30. Bargains is located in the 'Belfry' of the Harvard Unitarian Universalist Church, on the Common in Harvard. Entrance is through the side door, near the front door of the Church. Proceeds from the Shop benefit the church and the community. Contact Dorothy Solbrig, [978-772-9245](tel:978-772-9245), for more information about Bargains in the Belfry.

Please pick up zip lock bags full of empty plastic Easter Eggs after the service in the sanctuary foyer and return them in the zip lock filled with peanut free candy on Easter Sunday, April 16th before the service.

The UUA New England Regional Assembly is on Friday evening, April 21 and all day Saturday, April 22 in Woburn. The candidates for the new UUA president will be at a forum Friday PM. The cost for attending the conference is \$125, but one can attend the candidate's forum Friday evening for free. I plan to attend the Candidates Forum Friday PM, let me know if you'd like to car pool.

–Pat westwaterp@gmail.com

Also, please attend the 1for3.org second annual Walk for Water 5K in support of Palestinian Refugees on April 22, 2017 from 9:00 AM - noon. Piali De and Pat Westwater-Jong are walking, and we hope others join them.

CHURCH CALENDAR

Sunday April 2

Loaves & Fishes Collection
10 a.m. *Senior High Youth Service*
11:00-12:00 Coffee Hour
11:20-11:50 Jr. Choir
12:00 Raising BLM Banner
12:00-1:00 Chimers rehearsal
5-8pm UU Family Passover Seder

Tuesday April 4

10-4 Bargains open
6:30 & 7:30 p.m. Alliance
7:00 p.m. Faith Formation team

Wednesday April 5

6:30 p.m. Caring Network
7-8 p.m. Meditation

Friday April 7

Noon on: Set up Auction
7pm Film & Discussion
The Color of Fear

Saturday April 8

5-10 p.m. Dinner & Auction

Sunday April 9

8:30 a.m. Choir
9:55 a.m. Worship Service
"A Tale of Three Nobodies"
Rev. J. Mark Worth
11:20-11:50 a.m. Jr. Choir
11:30-1:00 Senior High Youth
12:00-1:00 Chimers

Upcoming Concerts in our Sanctuary:

Celtic, April 27: The Tannahill Weavers 7:30. (\$17.50 tickets for HUUC) via this URL: <https://tinyurl.com/notlobtw>

Offer not good at the door. The Tannahill Weavers are one of Scotland's premier traditional bands. Their diverse repertoire spans the centuries with fire-driven instrumentals, topical songs, and original ballads and lullabies.

Ellis Paul, Saturday April 29th 7:00 concert. Tickets for sale in church office, or online at www.wachusettmusic.net. Ellis Paul is one of those gifted singer/songwriters. Though some may refer to him as a folksinger, he is more, for lack of a better word, a singular storyteller, a musician whose words reach out from inside and yet also express the feelings, thoughts and sensibilities that most people can relate to in one way or another.