



Midcoast Unitarian Universalist Fellowship

Worship Invitation June 19, 2022

WELCOME **NEW MEMBERS**

June 19: New Members Ceremony and Father's Day

MUUF hasn't held a New Members ceremony since 2019. Join us as we celebrate the 11 people who have joined us since then! We'll remind ourselves what covenant is all about. Mike Dearborn will share a reflection for Father's Day. Led by Bettina Lehovec, Jayne Gordon, and Penny Ziarnik.

Following the service, we will have a little hike and picnic to continue the fellowship. No need to bring anything except your own packed sandwiches to carry with you; I'll have drinks, desserts, and fruit waiting for you on my back deck. For those of you who can't walk, there will be limited parking by my condo.

From Jayne Gordon

LIVE AT SKIDOMPHA LIBRARY AT 10:30 AM

MASKS REQUIRED (Note: N95 masks are most effective)

If you are not fully vaccinated, feeling ill or are unable to attend, please join us via zoom.

join us at **10:30 am** using the zoom link below:

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/93286813206>

Meeting ID: 932 8681 3206

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Upcoming Services

June 26: Why Pronouns Matter- Join Tiffany Vencile and Rosie Davis in exploring why using the correct pronouns are important and how to use them yourself. In this service we will also include celebrating Pride month with hymns and readings!

OutMaine is the recipient for share the plate this month. Rosie, Glen and Mason will match anything raised up to \$150

Please note: there will be **no MUUF worship service** on Sunday, July 3, 2022. You are cordially invited to view, via YouTube, the Sunday Morning Worship from the 2022 UUA General Assembly. A link to the service will be provided for you in this newsletter on July 2.

From Our President

Thank You!

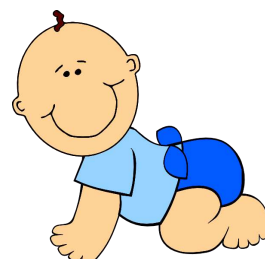
At our Special Meeting this past Sunday, June 12, 2022, the members of our Fellowship voted overwhelmingly to approve a revised set of bylaws. I want to offer my heartfelt gratitude to all of you who provided our Bylaws Team with input and feedback over the past nine months as they did their work, and to all of you who turned out in-person and online to vote to adopt the revision. Thank you!

I also want to again thank all of my colleagues on the Bylaws Team who worked so diligently and thoughtfully on this important job since we started in September: Patti Anderson, David Bilski, Rob Brown, Diane Morrison, Dick Ober. It was a real pleasure to work and bond with you.

Gratefully, Zig

It's Diaper Drive time again!!!

The tote will be on the porch at Damariscotta Dental for the month of June. The larger sized diapers and menstrual supplies are needed. Let's support the health of our local families!!!



RE Family Gathering Photos



**RE Family Gathering
Featuring Worship &
Ukrainian Egg Decorating**



**Thank you
Deb & Caitlin
Lomas for
sharing this
gift!**



**We will offer
this again
next year for
all ages.**

Zoom Host Volunteers wanted!

The Worship Associates need a few volunteers to be Zoom Hosts, sitting by the computer during services, letting Fellowship folks at home or on the road join us, and relaying their Joys and Sorrows or their comments, when comments are asked for. No experience is necessary. We'll teach you what you need to know. Please contact Penny Ziarnik if you're interested in helping in this way: pziarnik@hotmail.com.

Do you have a Mac laptop that you no longer use?

Would you let the Worship Associates have or borrow it? To date, Worship Associates are each using their own laptops for Zoom Hosting. We'd like to have a dedicated Mac laptop to be used just for MUUF Zoom Hosting, so the machine we use can be consistent from service to service. It would be kept locked in our storage room between services, along with our special camera and the piano. If you have a Mac laptop that you'd be willing to either donate or lend to the Fellowship, please contact Penny Ziarnik at pziarnik@hotmail.com.



The Ecumenical Food Pantry is looking for a co-manager to replace Linda Sandefur as of Sept. 1st. The person volunteering should be able to do some lifting, and be able to do what needs to be done as things arise. It requires an hour or so Monday morning, and Tuesdays from 8 to noon or so, plus other periodic activities. Please ask that anyone interested in volunteering for this important position should contact:

Ellen Dickens, eedickens@gmail.com (207) 563-1311

or

Linda Sandefur, lgsandefur@me.com (207) 529-6965.

Thank you for helping us!

Diane Morrison

MUUF Representative,
EFP Board of Trustees



Social Justice

Lincoln County Unity and Community Celebration June 25

A Lincoln County celebration of pride, unity, resilience, and belonging will be held **Saturday, June 25, starting at 11 a.m.** The event begins with a gathering at the park in Newcastle (next to the Second Congregational Church). After remarks by Leslie Livingston of Healthy Kids and Dona Lane of Healthy Lincoln County, participants will walk to Rising Tide Community Market. At Rising Tide there will be light refreshments, speakers, an open mic, and music by the Horseshoe Crabs. The organizers are holding this event to commemorate Pride month and to encourage community togetherness. Members and friends of MUUF are invited to participate. We will be carrying our MUUF banner and Pride flags.



Anti-racism Vigil: The weekly Monday vigil's are from **5:00 pm-5:30 pm** at the Newcastle Veterans Memorial Park. Check [PUAR's](#) Facebook page for updates.

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