



# The Open Line

SOUTH NASSAU

UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST CONGREGATION

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**November 7, 2010 10:30 am Daylight Savings Ends** Rev. Catherine Torpey  
**Generosity and Its Discontents** Chalice Lighters Sunday  
On giving and begrudging

**Coffee:** Rita Tancredi & Robin Norris

**Ushers:** Nicki Barry & Andrew Spatt

**Lock-up:** Tom Weingarten **Welcome:**

**Social Action Table:** Hildegard Schubert

**Ways & Means:** Arlene Brown **Thrift Shop Table:**

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**November 14, 2010 10:30am** Rev. Catherine Torpey  
**Ritual and Meaning**  
In our modern electronic world, what rituals have meaning?

**Coffee: Volunteer Needed**

**Ushers:** Doris Brass & 2nd Sunday Usher Needed!

**Lock-up:** Brian Larkin **Welcome:**

**Social Action Table:** Hildegard Schubert

**Ways & Means:** Rita Tancredi **Thrift Shop Table:**

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**November 21, 2010 10:30am** Rev. Catherine Torpey & the Junior Youth  
**Guest At Your Table**  
A Thanksgiving tradition: our Junior Youth share stories of many lands from the UU Service Committee

**Coffee: Volunteer Needed**

**Ushers:** Robin Norris & Rita Tancredi

**Lock-up:** Peter Larsen **Welcome:**

**Social Action Table:** Hildegard Schubert

**Ways & Means:** Mary Canada **Thrift Shop Table:**

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**November 28, 2010 10:30am** Guest Preacher Carlos Martinez  
**If It Were Not Me, Who Other Could it Be?**  
Carlos is a candidate for UU ministry, studying at Union Theological Seminary and doing a Chaplain Residency at St. John's Episcopal Hospital

**Coffee: Volunteer Needed**

**Ushers:** Jayne Davison & Anne Fleming

**Lock-up:** Dana Reinecki **Welcome:**

**Social Action Table:** Hildegard Schubert

**Ways & Means:** Robin Norris **Thrift Shop Table:**

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# Muusings from the Minister

Dear friends –

This fall, we were approached by a couple of theological students about the possibility of having them do internships with us here at SNUUC. The fact that I will be on sabbatical during the second half of this year, combined with hesitancy to take more money from our congregation's savings right now, made the executive committee of the board decide that it wasn't good timing for us to take on any interns. However, I hope that in future years, SNUUC will have intern ministers.

Intern ministers are different from community ministers. A community minister is already a minister, not someone in formation. They are affiliated with a congregation, but do their ministry primarily in a context other than the parish. An intern is someone who is in the process of formation, and usually their goal is to one day be the minister of a congregation. It would be our responsibility to help the intern learn to be a minister. It would also be our responsibility to pay that person, though the stipend is well below what is paid to a called minister. The benefit to us, much like the benefit of having a community minister, is that we get to actively participate in supporting the broader work of Unitarian Universalism. We broaden the reach of liberal religion, while benefiting from the gifts that the individual can bring to us during their time at SNUUC. Every seminary student is required to do an internship; therefore as many congregations as possible are needed to offer them. I think we would find it fun and rewarding to become a teaching congregation, so I hope that we will consider adding that line to our budget in the not-too-distant future.

The education of ministers within Unitarian Universalism is in flux right now. You might know that we UU's have two seminaries, Starr King in Berkeley and Meadville Lombard (often referred to simply as "Meadville") in Chicago. Harvard Divinity School has a long association with Unitarianism, and throughout our history many of our ministers have been trained there, but there is no official relationship between Harvard and us. Meadville and Starr King have both faced financial challenges, and a few years ago discussed the possibility of merging. When those negotiations fell through, Meadville began looking to other seminaries with which it could partner, in order to use limited resources more efficiently. The most promising possible arrangement is with Andover Newton Theological School in Massachusetts – an irony, as ANTS was founded in 1807 specifically because conservative Christians were so upset that Harvard had become too Unitarian.

There are other changes afoot in UU theological education as well: the UUA has changed the way it is funding Meadville and Starr King, and Meadville is trying a new curriculum, emphasizing hands-on ministry throughout a student's three-year master's program.

Will all these changes result in ministers being better able to serve their congregations? That is certainly the hope. My hope is that we will be an active partner with other UU's in the formation of ministers in the future.

Yours in faith, hope and love, Catherine

# Community Minister's Corner

Sitting on the windowsill in my home office is now a tiny tree, diminutive and upright and strong, given to me by the SNUUC Board President Rosemary Olander-Beach, on behalf of the whole congregation. So I thank you all for it, most sincerely. It is a lovely tree, quite well suited to its purpose: to remind me of that fine linden tree regally rooted in the front lawn of the church. For the past four years, I have driven past that linden on my way in to services. The tree on my windowsill is a small fraction of its size, a bonsai Ming Aralia, but it captures in large part the spirit of the original. Those of you who were there on October 17th saw Rosemary and the Rev. Catherine Torpey present me with that bonsai to commemorate my last Sunday as the very first Community Minister formally affiliated with SNUUC. That service was a special one indeed, being not only a fond farewell, but also the third annual celebration of Community Ministries Sunday.

My hope is that you all continue to celebrate Community Ministries Sunday for many years to come, with me or without me, proud of what your congregation has done in support of Unitarian Universalist ministers serving the larger community of Metro New York and regions beyond. So often we have spoken of the Rev. Lon Ray Call's admonition for SNUUC to be a spiritual center with a widening civic circumference. That vision still thrives at SNUUC, even decades after the Rev. Call's departure. No doubt it will still thrive in the years after mine. I feel honored to be associated both with that shared vision and with you all individually.

In my last sermon, I spoke these parting words: "You yourselves are remarkable men and women whom I feel privileged to have encountered on my pilgrimage. I thank you for inviting me into your religious home. Even after I am gone far from Freeport, I know that I will continue to partake in your ministries, in much the same way that you all will continue, in some measure, to partake in mine. So I wish each of you many blessings on the journey and every travelling mercy. Wherever our paths might turn, I trust we will still have our sights set on the same bright horizon, that place where our highest human aspirations reach out and up to a spiritual dimension enlightening and encompassing us all. This I truly believe." I hope you believe it, too!

Rev. Kelly Murphy Mason

## OUR BOARDWALK

It's been a busy congregational year so far. We held our first fall "program council," or Congregational Council, meeting Sept. 22. It was a chance for committee chairs and representatives to get together with me and the Rev. Catherine Torpey to talk about the year ahead. Not only was it an opportunity to exchange information, it was a forum for ideas to percolate. One idea that came out of the meeting was the "Ministry Minute," a minute during worship when a committee chair or representative takes to the chancel to talk about their group's "ministry" as an informational, and even recruiting, tool. So far we've heard from the Board of Trustees, Interweave and the Nominating Committee. Another idea we came up with, as we exchanged our experiences and dreams about SNUUC, was this fitting slogan: "SNUUC, The Friendly Congregation." What do you think?

The board has been busy gearing up for the minister's sabbatical, which is taking place from January to May 2011. At the October board meeting, the Rev. Torpey arranged for a conference call with a member of the Bridgehampton congregation, whose minister recently completed a sabbatical. It was an informative session also attended by members of the minister's Committee on Ministry. We were able to explore practical concerns, for example deciding when an "emergency" requires contacting the minister, as well as hear how the minister's sabbatical gave the congregation's members the impetus to spread their own leadership wings.

Also in October we bid farewell to the Rev. Kelly Murphy-Mason, who had been SNUUC's community minister for the past four years. The congregation is grateful to her, for the thoughtful worship services, enlightening Open Line columns, her work with the Caring Congregation program -- and really for her allowing our congregation to perform the important work of supporting the larger UU community. Both the Rev. Murphy-Mason and her ministry will be missed.

And speaking of the larger UU community: Before I run out of space I should mention SNUUC's ongoing Association Appeal, our drive to fund our commitment to the UUA and our local district associations. The Board of Trustees is leading this appeal, asking members to extend their stewardship by \$85 beyond their pledges. If we raise this money from our own pockets, we won't have to take it from the congregation's hard-earned savings. Recently a longtime member told me that years ago it was the practice of members to write a separate check monthly or periodically to cover their association dues. If you can't write that \$85 check this fall, perhaps you can give four separate post-dated checks for \$21.50. Envelopes for this appeal have been available during October; envelopes that haven't been picked up by members will be mailed out soon. Although the deadline on the Association Appeal forms is Oct. 31, the congregation will happily accept members' contributions for the Association Appeal throughout the year.

With gratitude,  
Rosemary Olander-Beach, president, Board of Trustees

## *Growing Our Spaces and Our Spirits!* **Fall 2010 Chalice Lighters Call**

In the UU District of Metro NY, Chalice Lighters continues the centuries-old Unitarian practice of congregations supporting each other. The District Growth and Extension Committee administers the Chalice Lighters program to help UU congregations and ministries achieve their growth potential.

Twice each year, in the fall and in the spring, individuals in UU congregations are asked to contribute. Every dollar goes to the congregations or ministries selected by the District committee in a detailed grant application process. The committee selects programs that can best help make significant steps toward growth.

**This Fall's Chalice Lighter Sunday at SNUUC will be November 7.** This year there are three congregations participating as a group and Kelley Hausman of the Mt. Kisco UU congregation will represent the 3 congregations at our service. The money collected will go to the UU Fellowship of Northern Westchester in Mount Kisco NY for growth in programming and building space. The UU Congregation of Monmouth County in Lincroft NJ and the Unitarian Society in East Brunswick NJ are working together to develop a program in growing our generous spirits.

*Together we make a difference. Our grateful thanks, Alice and Carl Spatt, Chalice Lighters coordinators.* Checks may be made out to UUDMNY (Unitarian Universalist District of Metro New York). All contributions are tax deductible. Thank you for your contributions!

## Bio-Spiritual Focusing

Bio-Spiritual Focusing is a process for getting in touch with ourselves. It is a simple yet profound way to bring the body and the mind into alignment and to tap into the wisdom within us. Rev. Torpey has taught BSF at SNUUC once before and will offer it again this fall. Because of the nature of this class, you must commit to all sessions (there can be some flexibility if you know in advance that certain dates will be impossible), and you must have a chat with Rev. Torpey in advance of the start of the class.

This is an abbreviated introduction to the practice. Wednesdays, December 1, 8 and 15, 7-9pm.

# Among Ourselves

**We share the sad news that long time SNUUC Member John Shelton has died.** John joined SNUUC in 1964 and was an integral part of our Thrift Shop organization. There was a memorial service for John on October 14. Betty appreciates your caring thoughts. A card sent to her home would be best at this difficult time.

**Le Beaujolais Nouveau est arrivé is a Talent Auction event** offered by Bernie & Patsy Kaplan which celebrates the annual arrival of the newest French Beaujolais. The Weingartens purchased tickets and are unable to attend on November 20 at 7:30 at the Kaplans. The 2 tickets at \$40 each, speak to Tom or Andrea if you would like attend.

**Do you have a key for our building that you no longer use?** The keys to the outside doors are expensive, if you have one that you no longer use please return it to the office. Thanks!

**Transgender Day of Remembrance** will be held on November 21 this year at Temple Sinai 425 Roslyn Rd Roslyn NY. TDoR is a day to remember those who have been lost to violence this past year because they are gender variant. Help say "no" to violence and come support TDoR. See Ilene Corina or Kyle Schuessler for more information. Both are on the planning committee.

## Ways & Means

**The Ways & Means Committee is taking orders for Gift Cards for the holiday** (*SNUUC gets a percentage from the cost of each gift card!*). A long list of the cards that can be purchased is online at [www.snuuc.org](http://www.snuuc.org). Or you can visit the Ways & Means table in the foyer on Sunday to see the list and reserve your cards. *Place your order by October 31 to receive them at the end of November.*

**Our Holiday Fair is Sunday, December 5th!** We need vendors to exhibit and first preference will be given to SNUUC members, outside vendors are welcome too, if they are referred by a SNUUC member. We ask for a non refundable deposit of \$20 to hold your reservation. For more information or to reserve your space please see someone at the Ways & Means table today.

Were you unable to attend this year's Talent Auction? Are you looking for a fun event to attend with your SNUUC friends? **You're in luck, the Talent Auction 'leftovers' can be found at [www.snuuc.org](http://www.snuuc.org).** Click on Events from the News & Events link on the left side of the first page.

# Committees at Work

SNUUC Committees meet regularly and most encourage attendance at their meetings even if you are not a member of the committee. Check the committee chairperson list on the bulletin board in the hall and call if you would like to learn more about a committee.

**The Ways & Means Committee** is meeting on Sunday, November 7 at noon in the foyer.

**The RE Committee** is meeting on Sunday, November 7 at noon in the RE wing.

**Thrift Shop Committee** is meeting on Sunday, November 14 at noon in room 1.

**Membership Committee is not meeting this month.** *If you are interested in joining this fun and important committee, please speak with Rita Hines.*

**The Board has changed its meeting day to the third Monday of the month.** Their next meeting is Monday, November 15 at 7pm in the foyer.

## Our Thrift Shop

**SNUUC's thrift shop is in need of donations, particularly clothing and kitchen items;** pots, pans, dishes, glassware, silverware, etc. and small appliances in good working condition. Our Thrift Shop is located at 22 Merrick Road in Freeport (between Church St and So. Main St) 223-3974. If you are unable to make it over to the shop to drop your donation off, *speak with Deb Scharf or Lori Strumeyer and they will help.* Our Thrift Shop is *also a great place to volunteer some time.* Speak to someone at the Thrift Shop today to find out how you can help. Thank you!

## Friday Night Pot Lucks!

**Friday Night Pot Lucks!** Come to SNUUC each month for the Family and Friends Pot Luck! This is for everyone, from youngsters to the young at heart; children, singles, couples, parents and grandparents, bring your friends and neighbors who would like to know more about us! Come relax, chat, play games, watch a movie or jam together at least once a month at SNUUC. **Mark your calendars for the third Friday of the month (with a few variations).** **The next one will be Friday, November 19 in the RE wing from 6-10pm.** The theme for November will be Current Events. Bring an article you have read or news item you have heard to discuss. Then join in a game of charades! Bring a dish to share with 8 people. Helpers are always needed so please sign up! For more info and to offer to host a dinner please contact Ilene Corina or Lori Strumeyer.

# SNUUC Happenings

## Yoga

Fall is here! Time to gather your flexibility, strength, and balance in preparation for the holiday season and winter that will follow. **Come join us for Gentle Yoga with Spirit and center yourself as you encourage your own good health!** Our next yoga series are on Tuesdays, 5:30-6:30 pm, Oct 26- Nov. 30<sup>th</sup>(6-week series) or Thursdays, 4:30-5:30 pm Oct 28 - Dec. 2 (5 week series). Class fee for the Tuesday series is \$75 and for the Thursday series is \$62.50. Drop-In fee for either class if space is available is \$15 per class. Please e-mail Anne Fleming if you would like to sign up at [afleming528@gmail.com](mailto:afleming528@gmail.com).

## Drums

**Drumming** Thursdays from 6 – 8pm. Join us in the RE wing to learn African drumming. \$20 a session. There is usually a drum available if you can't bring your own.

## Pilates

**Monday Night Pilates** at SNUUC - 5-6pm or 8-9pm, only \$12 per class - no contracts to sign, no commitment, just come and stretch! Questions? Contact Bonny Levenson or Jeanne Menoutis.

## Choir

If you've been thinking about joining the choir, now is the time. Attend three choir rehearsals on Thursday evenings from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. to see if we can make beautiful music together. Call Ellen Zaehringer-Gach or Joe McAuley.

### CHANCEL FLOWERS

**Chancel Flowers were donated by Nancy and Garry Rothbaum** on October 24 in celebration of the 20 year anniversary of their first visit to SNUUC which was on United Nations Sunday in 1990. **As part of SNUUC's efforts to economize, the congregation voted to have flowers on the chancel only when they are donated.** Flowers on the chancel can be donated for any reason; in memory of a loved one, to honor or celebrate a special event or just because you like flowers on the chancel! Your commemoration will be listed in the Order of Service and the Open Line. Please sign up on the Chancel Flowers Calendar on the bulletin board in the foyer and donate \$25 to pay for the flowers. Speak to Lisa in the office for more details.

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\* **We need volunteers if we are to continue to have refreshments during our Sunday Coffee Hour. Only a few dates have been filled for November and beyond.** It does not have to be elaborate. The minimum asked is to bring 1/2 gallon of milk and come at 10am and make coffee. Ask a friend or member of a committee you are on to do it with you. Also watch for "pot luck" Sundays where you can bring one thing to share. Choose a date and speak with Mary Brower or Lisa in the office to schedule. You can also sign up on the sheet; it's on the coffee table on Sunday. Thanks!!  
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## Proposed Changes To the By-Laws

A hearing on three proposed by laws changes is to be held on November 14, at noon in the sanctuary.

Three changes to the Congregation's by-laws are proposed for a vote of the Congregation at the next bi-annual meeting. The proposed changes would create a new "Youth Liaison" position to the Board of Trustees, and eliminate the position of a voting, youth trustee. This change is being proposed, in part, to respond to legal concerns regarding binding votes by persons who are not of majority age, as contemplated by the current by-laws. Additionally, the Board has proposed a change that would permit e-mail to be used rather than regular mail for notices to be sent to members who have provided an e-mail address to the Congregational office. Thirdly, it is proposed that language be added to the by-laws with respect to the conduct of future budget votes, in order to make clear that the budget is to be approved or disapproved at the Congregational meeting as presented (with exceptions for errors and omissions).

The proposed amendments to the by-laws will be available at the Congregational office and the SNUUC website prior to the hearing. Following the hearing, the proposed amendments - as the same may be revised as a result of the Congregational hearing - will be made available in the Congregational office as well as on the SNUUC website, no later than November 21, 2010. Comments to the proposed by-law changes to be submitted in writing, should be directed to the SNUUC office, attention of the Board of Trustees. These changes will be voted on at the bi-annual meeting on January 23, 2011.

## South Ocean Art Gallery

**The National League of American Pen Women will display their art at our Art Gallery.** Enjoy the works of artists Eleanore O'Sullivan, Dina Fine, Diana Sanzone, Carolyn DeSoucey and Phyllis Rutigliano. **Join us at the opening reception on Friday, November 5, 7-9pm for art, light fare and music by Kristin Seyfried and Ian Cathcart.** See the flyer on the bulletin board in the hall for samples of the beautiful artwork.

## Meet the Senior Youth Advisors!

Together we will be working with the senior youth this year. If you have any questions or ideas, please see any one of us:

Hi, I'm **Bill Bryson-Brockmann** and I've been a member of SNUUC since 1995. I'm a Pediatric Psychologist at Winthrop-University Hospital and have lots of experience working with kids and teenagers including my twins who are now 21 years old! I have taught in RE on and off for many years from 3 year olds up to Senior Youth.

**Ilene Corina** has been the Sr. Youth Advisor for the past 2 years and a member of SNUUC since 1995 although has been coming since 1987. She has been involved with social action, been on the board and now co-chairs the RE Committee. Ilene has taken youth training with the Nassau County Youth Board and has taken the Compassionate Communication classes at SNUUC. Ilene has two sons, one in the Senior youth program and one teaching the younger children.

**Diane Hawkins** joined SNUUC with her husband Jim in 2002. She works on the Art Committee, which offers five showings of original art by Long Island residents. In the past, she has organized the youth to create a painting on SNUUC shed and, with all SNUUC kids, to create a giraffe made from recycled materials. She has taken the Compassionate Communication class at SNUUC twice, worked on social action issues and environmental issues at SNUUC.

**Lisa Itts states**, at an early age I knew my religion wasn't complete for me. I came from a very reformed Jewish background. What I've kept from my Jewish heritage is the culture, tradition, and respect for my wonderful Nana and mother who always made the high Jewish holidays a fun and food-filled event to remember. The rest is all Unitarian, and I'm grateful to have found such a wonderful community (about 10 years now). Currently, I teach guitar, piano and voice, and I've produced 3 of my own original music CDs. I am also going back to school for nursing. I live with and am the partner of Danny Gagliano and am "step mom" to his 3 boys...with a girl on the way!

**Bob McGough says**, I'm the father of a 23-year-old son and 17-year-old daughter, and married to Jeanne McGough. I grew up as a Presbyterian (liberal Protestant denomination), later joined the Episcopal Church, and left when the priest there didn't like my questions. I've been going to SNUUC for, hmm, maybe six years, I don't remember for sure. I have a black belt at a mixed martial arts school (which is kind of a contradiction to karate purists), where I was surprised to learn I enjoyed punching and being punched (within limits). I work as an editor at a financial news service, and was a reporter for years at various places. I enjoy old and modern poems.

## 2 Special Events in November!

**For the second year, SNUUC's own improvisational troupe**, Rev Cat and the ImprUUVments, startles, captivates and entertains you (and even themselves) with fast-paced, improvised frivolity. Saturday, November 6, 8pm at SNUUC. This show was a big hit last year, so don't be left out! Buy your ticket today! For the low, low price of \$18, you get an evening of gaiety and a few tasty nibbles. All proceeds after expenses go to SNUUC! Buy your ticket at SNUUC, or call Catherine to make your reservation by phone.



**Tony Award winner Sarah Jones will be at SNUUC! On Sunday, November 21 Sarah Jones will perform scenes from her award winning performance of *Bridge and Tunnel*.**

Sarah is a Tony Award winning playwright and performer and the

daughter of Leslie Farrington Griggs. Visit [www.sarahjonesonline.com](http://www.sarahjonesonline.com) to see all of the great performances and benefits she has been doing with Meryl Streep, Aretha Franklin, Glenn Close, Michele Obama and even Miss Piggy! **You can see Sarah Jones in person at SNUUC on Sunday November 21 at 3:00!** General admission is just \$40, priority seating is \$100 and for \$200 you can enjoy priority seating and dinner with Tony Award winner Sarah Jones! Speak with Jeanne Menoutis for more information and to reserve your tickets. [jemini263@aol.com](mailto:jemini263@aol.com)

Visit [http://www.ted.com/index.php/talks/sarah\\_jones\\_as\\_a\\_one\\_woman\\_global\\_village.html](http://www.ted.com/index.php/talks/sarah_jones_as_a_one_woman_global_village.html). In this hilariously lively performance, actress Sarah Jones channels an opinionated elderly Jewish woman, a fast-talking Dominican college student and more, giving us just a sample of her spectacular character range.

# SNUUC Calendar November 2010

Meeting places: S-Sanctuary F-Foyer RE-RE Wing M-Minister's Office

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<i>October 31</i>	<i>November 1</i> Pilates 5pm & 8pm F	2 Yoga 5:30-6:30 F	3	4 COM 5:00 M Unicrafters 1:00 F Yoga 4:30 F Drumming Wkshp 6pm RE Choir Practice 7:30 S Girl Scouts 7:00 F	5 Foyer Art Opening Reception 7-9 Improv show run-thru	6 NVC 9:45am F Improv Show F&S 8pm
<b>7 Daylight Savings Ends</b> Chalice Lighters Sunday RE Committee 12 RE Ways & Means 12 RE Improv 6pm RE	8 Pilates 5pm & 8pm F	9 Yoga 5:30-6:30 F Membership 7:30pm F	10	11 Unicrafters 1:00 F Yoga 4:30 F Drumming Wkshp 6pm RE Choir Practice 7:30 S	12	13 NVC 9:45am F
<b>14</b> By Laws Hearing 12 S Thrift Shop Committee 12 rm1 Improv 6:00pm RE	15 Pilates 5pm & 8pm F Board Meeting 7:00 F	16 UU Ministers Meeting 10am F Yoga 5:30-6:30 F	17 LaLech 9am RE	18 Unicrafters 1:00 F Yoga 4:30 F Drumming Wkshp 6pm RE Choir Practice 7:30 S	19 Family & Friends Monthly Pot Luck 6-9 RE	20 NVC 9:45am F
<b>21</b> Junior Youth GatYT Tony Award winner Sarah Jones Benefit Performance 3:00 S Dinner 6:00	22 Pilates 5pm & 8pm RE	23 Restorative Yoga 5:30- 6:30 F	24	25 Thanksgiving	26	27
28	29 Pilates 5pm & 8pm F	30 Yoga 5:30-6:30	<i>December 1</i>	2 Unicrafters 1:00 F Yoga 4:30 F Drumming Wkshp 6pm RE Choir Practice 7:30 S	3 Holiday Fair Set-up	4 NVC 9:45am F

South Ocean Art Gallery Opening Reception  
Friday November 5

Rev Cat and the ImprUUvments  
Saturday November 6

A hearing on three proposed by laws changes  
Sunday November 14,

**Tony Award winner Sarah Jones at SNUUC**  
**Sunday November 21**

**The mission of the South Nassau Unitarian Universalist Congregation** is to provide a sanctuary of beauty and harmony where: We search in freedom for meaning and truth; we draw inspiration from many religious and philosophical sources while acknowledging the Judeo-Christian heritage of Unitarian Universalism; we embrace diversity and welcome people of all ages, races, and orientations; we affirm that our children and youth are an integral and important part of our religious family; we strive toward a social awareness that leads to transformative action in our community and to living in balance with the environment. Ours is a nurturing congregation where children and adults find acceptance and fellowship, feel empowered and grow spiritually.



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