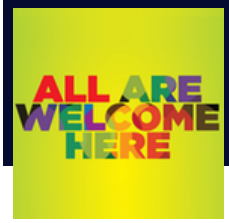
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SUNDAY SERVICE

What Makes You UU?

Sunday, November 1, 10:00am
at Wilson Chapel

Give Away The Plate



Saratoga Immigration Coalition

NOVEMBER'S THEME

Covenant





Wilson Chapel on Skidmore's campus: our temporary home

Saturday October 31, turn those clocks back before bedtime!



Help Choose 2027's Give Away The Plate Recipients! Click here or scan the QR code pictured to give three suggestions of charities for UUSaratoga to monetarily support in 2027. The charities must be 501(c)3 and directly benefit people.



What Makes You UU?

Sunday Nov 1, 2026 10am

It is easy to say you're a UU but what does being a UU mean?

CLICK TO ATTEND VIA ZOOM

CLICK HERE FOR REV. V'S REVERIES ON OUR WEBSITE!





What's Happening In Religious Education?
Contact Rev. Viola
minister@uusaratoga.org



What is? Unitarian Universalism

Unitarian Universalism is a covenantal, not creedal faith. That means that, although we may believe differently, we come together to search, grow, serve, and minister. Francis David said it best, "We need not think alike to love alike."

Both Unitarianism and Universalism sprang from liberal Christianity, Unitarianism speaks to the nature of God as One: Holy, Transcendent, Immanent, Whole, Mystery. Universalism speaks to the nature of our relationships- with the Divine, with ourselves, with each other and with the planet we call home.

~Michelle Buhite

Event News
Click here for the Events Calendar

October 31, Saturday
Turn clocks back an hour before you go to bed

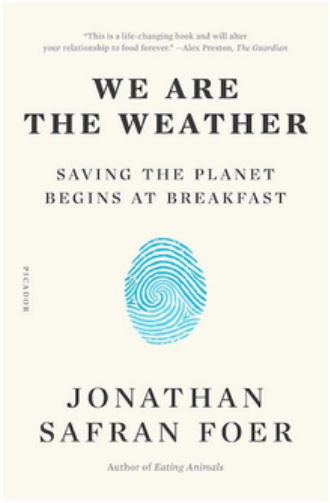
November 1, Sunday 10am
Worship Service at Wilson Chapel

November 3, Tuesday noon
Ladies Luncheon

November 4, Wednesday
Anniversary of the Incorporation of Unitarian Universalist Congregation of Saratoga Springs, 1997

November 5, Thursday 9am
Men's Breakfast

November 8, Sunday 10am
Worship Service at Wilson Chapel



BOOK GROUP

The next meeting is Nov. 16, 6pm,. For information, please contact Barbara Egerman at begerman3@gmail.com, or Carolyn Lansberry at carlan55@gmail.com.



LADIES' LUNCHEON

Hello everyone!
I hope you are all ready to cast your votes, and be ready to come together to sit and support each other during our luncheon on November 3rd.

We will meet at the Embassy Suites Hotel, in their restaurant the Diamond Club at 1:00pm to accommodate the people who attend the Encore Program in the fall. It is always a lively time together, and we hope that you can join us especially on this day.



The Give Away The Plate Recipient for November
Saratoga Immigration Coalition
Saratoga Immigration Coalition, an organization which offers support, education and advocacy to foster communities that are welcoming to all immigrants. It is a volunteer network partnering with service providers, faith communities, civic organizations and concerned individuals to support immigrants residing in Saratoga, Warren and Washington counties.



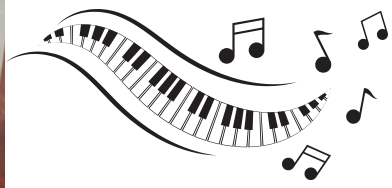
Transgender Day of Remembrance Sunday November 22, 3-5pm at Skidmore College

Saratoga PRIDE holds our annual Transgender Day Of Remembrance this year on November 22 from 3-5 at Skidmore campus. It is held in the Wykoff center which is in Case Center (the Student Union) on the 2nd floor.

PIANO FOR SALE!

Mahogany Steinway Model M, 67 years old but lovingly maintained by professional musicians. Includes padded cover, dolly truck, and climate system. Asking $19,000 or best offer. Contact John Collins or email uusaratoga@gmail.com





Social Justice

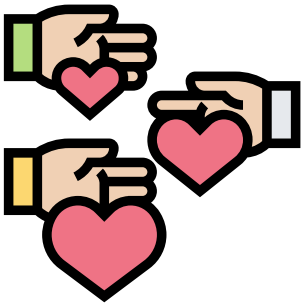
Social Justice Team news and events- Please check our UUSaratoga website for more info.

Our Wayside Pulpit

The Wayside Pulpit provides messages of inspiration to reflect the diverse and life-affirming beliefs of our congregation. Click here for the archive.
Click here for the archive



FUNDRAISING TEAM NEWS BY BEV LAWSON



I Just a reminder to sign up to help with the following crafts:
Saturday 10/31 from 2 to 4 and Thursday 11/5 from 3 to 5 we will make flowers with Juliana.
Thursday November 12 from 2 to 4 we will work on a variety of items using milkweed pods, sea shells, sea glass, pine cones, etc.
All workshops are in Bev Lawson's basement.
Wednesday 11/18 we will gather greens from Sandy Blakelock's property. The work crew includes Sandy, Jim Mihuta, Jenn Pratt, Jason Pink, Eric and Bev Lawson. Dates for making the wreaths will be determined shortly.
There will be a sign up sheet in the back of the Chapel this Sunday for those who wish to order a wreath. You will need to sign your name and indicate whether you want a medium wreath, a large wreath or a swag. We will only get enough greens to make wreaths for those who sign up.
Wreath making is relatively simple; and we have a couple pros who do most of the decorating---TariLee Muth and Jenn Pratt. So consider joining us to make the wreaths. Many hands---you know---
If you are attending services on zoom and want a wreath, email or call Bev and let her know.

All Congregation Email by Art Holmberg

Final Sale of 624 N. Broadway completed yesterday-major milestone!

Dear Congregants, Friends and Seekers,

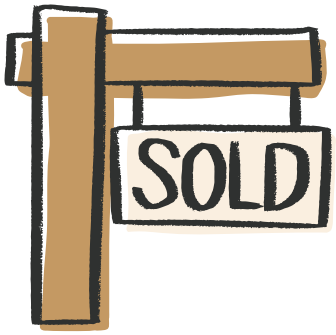
We are pleased to announce that the sale of 624 N. Broadway, our former home, has been completed. On Tuesday afternoon, the legal transaction was made with the buyer. We received cash payment of $1,177,660.25 that was deposited directly into our Adirondack Trust Company account.

Special thanks to the Moving Out Team for all their hard work in getting the building ready for the sale. The buyer was really impressed with the condition.

Our New Home construction at 404 Louden Road is well underway. I hope you will be able to come to our Sunday, November 22 congregation site tour after Services.

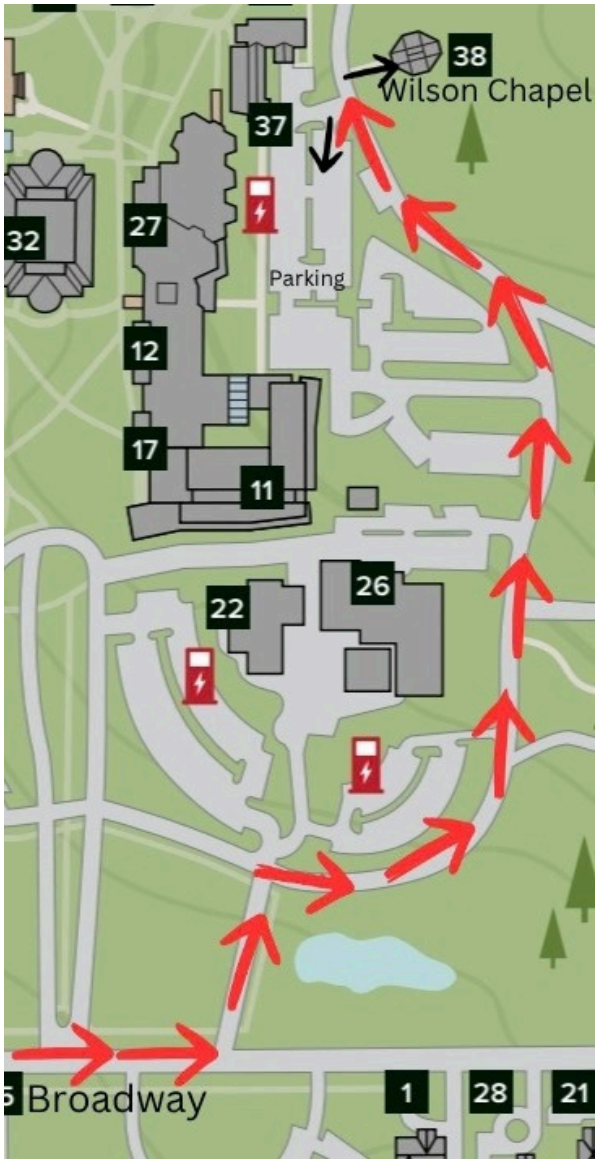
Peace and Joy,

Art Holmberg for the Board





Map to Wilson Chapel



Have You Thought About How To Donate Securities to UU Saratoga?? It's easy!

Transferring appreciated securities with long-term capital gains directly to UUCSS is a tax-efficient way to give. When you donate securities directly, you may avoid paying capital gains tax and may also qualify for a federal income tax deduction based on the full fair market value of the donated assets. For more information and instructions on donating securities, including stocks and mutual funds, please email uusaratoga@gmailcom





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https://gofund.me/15b1f07ad

All it takes is a couple of clicks to send our Go Fund Me Link to everyone you know! The more it's shared the more donations we'll have toward our new home. Copy and paste the link in an email or text and share, share, share. Encourage those you send it to to also share it with everyone they know.

The Archive

Did you miss a service, or was there a sermon you particularly liked? Click here for them.

Many of our services have been uploaded to our YouTube Channel.





REV. VIOLA ABBITT

Contach her by making an appointment for a call or virtual meeting. Click here to schedule a meeting .

Talk To Us

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Tuesday through Friday

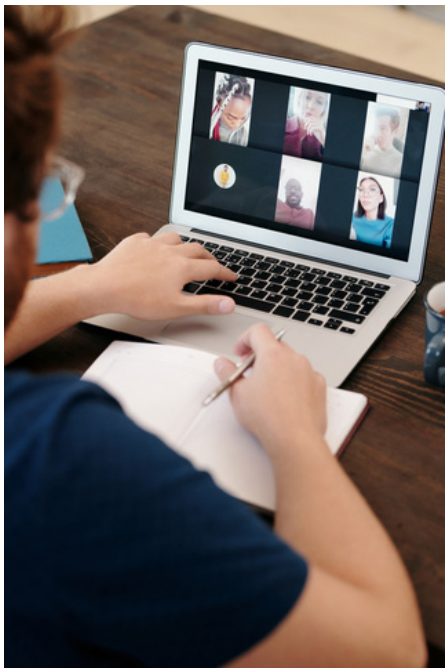
9:00am to 3:00pm

The office typically closes early on Fridays around noon depending on the work!



Contact Rev. Vee at

518-290-7007
rev.viola.uumin@gmail.com
PO Box 2304
Malta NY 12020
Wednesdays, Thursdays and virtually Fridays



UU Saratoga is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting.

Topic: Sunday Worship Service
Time: 10:00am
Every week on Sun

Join Zoom Meeting
https://zoom.us/j/91704074305?pwd=7z4cyYlVOU3JfPLRS2gCoP1o0Tzqc8.1

Meeting ID: 917 0407 4305
Passcode: 466653

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More Info About UUSaratoga

Joys & Sorrows

If you have a personal joy or sorrow in your personal life that you would like to make known to your fellow congregants, we encourage you to click on the link below to email the Care Team in a sentence or two what you would like us to read aloud during our Sunday worship. (Late entries may have to be included in the following week.) To share a Joy or Sorrow, please email the Care Team at careteam@uusaratoga.org

Message from the Membership & Hospitality Team

In an effort to make visitors to UUSaratoga feel more welcome, the Membership & Hospitality Team asks everyone to be aware of newcomers and people you may not know who are sitting near you on Sunday morning or standing alone at coffee hour. Greet them warmly. Ask if they have any questions, thank them for coming, and tell them you hope to see them again.
Welcoming is a spiritual practice and a way of sharing the message of our UU faith.

To become a member of the Congregation

If you would like to sign the book and become a member, please let Audrey Belt (beltaudrey@gmail.com) know and she will bring the Membership Book to a UU service for you to sign. Qualifications for membership per the UUCSS Bylaws: Anyone 18 years and older can sign the book. Signing the book indicates that you subscribe to the purposes of the Congregation and agree to participate in and support the Congregation's programs and activities, and to support the Congregation with an annual recorded financial contribution.

TO SIGN UP FOR *JOURNEY WELL*, OUR WEEKLY NEWSLETTER, PLEASE USE THE FORM ON THE HOME PAGE OF OUR WEBSITE (lower right)

TO ATTEND SUNDAY SERVICES ONLINE, CLICK HERE

TO VIEW PAST SERVICES ON OUR YOUTUBE CHANNEL CLICK HERE