

Unitarian Universalist Church  
Greater Ellsworth Downeast Area  
First Unitarian Society Newsletter

Sunday services  
10:30 A.M.  
Church telephone  
667-4393

Minister: Dr. Harry C. Meserve  
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Southwest Harbor  
244-7124

February services:

February 2 Dr. Meserve  
February 9 Dr. Meserve

February 16 Dr. Meserve  
February 23 Dr. Foote (Dr. Meserve will be preaching at All Souls Church in New York City.)

Church news items:

Women's Alliance

Feb. 5 - Business meeting at the home of Dorothy Berry.  
Feb. 12, 19, 26 - -Maybasket meetings at the church, 10:30 A.M.  
Bring lunch; hot drink is provided.

Discussion Group

Feb. 6 - To be announced from the pulpit.  
Feb. 20 - Adrienne Conroy will speak about ancient gardens.

Trustees meeting

The Board of Trustees meets on Monday, February 3, at 7:30 P.M.

Organ for sale

The Trustees have voted to sell the small electric reed organ which was purchased by the church in 1971. Any one interested call 667-8324 (Ray Royal)

New Members

A simple and brief ceremony was part of the service Sunday Jan. 26 to welcome the following members who have joined during the past year: Richard and Joan Beal, William and Julie Bromley, Phyllis Canfield, Elizabeth Chauncey, Walter and Marjorie Fuller, Robert McLaughlin and Mrs Albert Spear.

From the Minister:

Discussions of Dr. Harris's book, I'm O.K. - You're O.K. will be held after the church service on February 2 and 16. We will start promptly at 11:45 and adjourn promptly at one o'clock. Bring a sandwich; coffee will be provided. The discussions are based on the assumption that those participating have read the book.

More than 160 people attended the concert by Ginia Davis Wexler and Mike Ikemiya on Sunday, January 26. Gross receipts from the concert, which was for the benefit of the piano fund, were around \$500 with expenses to be deducted from that. Much appreciation is due to Eleanor Carlson and the Music Committee for their good work in arranging and publicizing the concert. We hope to have similar occasions in the months ahead.

Normally I plan to be in Ellsworth at least one day each week, but it is not always the same day. People who want to make an appointment can do so by calling me at my home. I'll try to announce on Sundays the day I plan to be at the church during the following week.

Notes from Southwest Harbor: We have recently seen from our point or at our feeders tree sparrows, song sparrows, goldfinches, cowbirds, more than 300 herring and black backed gulls on the ice of the cove, and Reginald and family, who are crows. Only two people have been stuck in our driveway so far this winter. One of them was I. Luckily, in both cases help came swiftly.

Albert Camus wrote, "In the midst of winter I discovered within myself an invincible summer."