

# NEWSLETTER

First Unitarian Society of Ellsworth and Hancock County, Maine

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Rev. Richard B. Gibbs, Minister

## ALLIANCE

- Nov 4 Business Meeting  
Hostess: Carrie Dunbar  
Chairman: Ann Black
- 11 Old Fashioned Fun Party 2 P.M.  
Hostess: Ruth Beal  
Chairman: Corace Beal
- 18 Afternoon Party  
Hostess: Jean Beal  
Chairman: Virginia Remick  
Program: John Raymond

## DISCUSSION GROUP

- Population Explosion ?  
Nov 5th.. A Unique Approach To It  
By Helen and Horace Pease  
At Silver's 40 Union St. 8 P.M.
- Nov. 19 Speaker: Bert Magnus of the  
"County Communication" 8 P.M.  
At the church.

## IN MEMORIAM

Celia Leighton Savin 1898 - 1970

### GIBBS' NEW ADDRESS

21 Pine Street  
Ellsworth, Me. 04605  
Same Phone: 207-667-2931

(Renting from the Barrie Cooper's)

## Welcome to our new members

Vincent and Helen Boucek and Edward and Irma Kamps. Glad to have you join as the WPA signs used to say: Work in Progress

### \*\*\*\*\* CHURCH SCHOOL \*\*\*\*\*

This year the children will celebrate what we might call "our high holy days". There will be five of these:

- Nov. A Time of Thanks  
Dec. A Time of Miracles  
Feb. A Time of Love and Brotherhood  
Mar/Apr A Time of Joy  
June A Time of Sharing

These will be on Sunday mornings in order that adults may participate partly. And hopefully children who live miles away will be able to join us on these times.

YOU and I are invited to participate in the "Time of Thanks" Sunday Nov 22nd by bringing (non-perishable) food for the Thanksgiving Baskets.

## CHRISTMAS SALE AND SUPPER

Is on Wednesday Dec. 2nd. Save the date! Supper in charge of Lewis Smith, Fred Shea and Marden Dunbar ably assisted by a few others! Sale 2 P.M. Supper 6:30

A POINT OF VIEW: Rev. Donald S. Harrington of Community Church, New York City

"Americans today are bewildered and angry. They also are frightened. They don't know what to do. As crime increases, ordinary people begin to look for authority figures to guarantee their safety. We remember that Hitler's favorite method for controlling his political opposition was the system of 'preventive detention'; now for the first time being introduced into the American judicial procedures. Let us remember when we see the American flag used as a symbol for polarization, as it is today, that Huey Long always prophesied that if fascism came to America it would come wrapped in the American flag.

How can we reverse this trend? First, by resisting the polarizers, all of them of both the Left and the Right, both of the Weathermen and Vice-President Agnew in his efforts to smear all who desire change with the "Radical-Liberal" label. Neither peace nor law and order lie at the end of the road of violent group confrontation. Nor can I accept the Black separatists' call to separate in order to unite. If we separate, we shall view each other, not with increasing understanding built on friendship, but eventually down the smoking sights of our guns.

Second, we must redirect the energies of America so the the system will work for Man. Third, we must abandon the idea that we are destined to succeed Britain as the world's policeman. It will destroy us. This task must be taken over by the world community itself, under the United Nations. We should be leading the world in proposing the U.N.'s strengthening. Such a crusade for real peace and true law and order would unite the American people again. and make them a model for world community."

HAVE A NICE THANKSGIVING