Sunday Seekers 9am Study of book: Days of Awe and Wonder by Marcus J. Borg Begins March 1, 2020

In a world and time when we know the reality of impermanence and suffering, Borg sees our existence as remarkable, wondrous and evoking awe and amazement. To be a Christian in the 21st century gives us a vision—a hope and a way. It is a way of being and living “the kingdom of God.”

The Seekers group meets weekly at 9:00 a.m., in Parlor A, the hour before worship. Each participant is urged to have the book, Days of Awe and Wonder by Marcus J. Borg. Sharon Farmer who became a regular participant in the group last September, will lead the book discussions. If you are interested in attending, contact the church office administrator at 413-532-1483.

Saturday, March 14th 5:30pm Lenten Service

Come join us for a Lenten Service with Soup and Bread on the theme of “the Journey” in Parlor A.

Super Saturday Reminder

When: Saturday, March 14, 2020 8am – 3:45pm
Where: Minnechaug Regional High School
621 Main Street - Wilbraham, MA.
Late Registration fee of $69 starts on 3/1/20
March Events

Fellowship Meeting
Join us March 3rd at 7pm for our Fellowship Meeting. The hosts for the evening are Karin Luce, and Russ Slocomb. Devotions will be given by Karlene Shea. A presentation by meteorologist Jacob Wycoff. For the past 3 years Jacob has been the evening meteorologist with Western Mass News In Springfield. He produces an award winning segment called “10 Towns in 10 Days”. Come with all your weather and climate related questions and be surprised at some of the answers.

Pizza, Film & Talk 5:30pm
Thurs., March 12th
Join us for Pizza, Film & Talk. Donations for pizza are always welcomed. The film is a story of the two recent consecutive popes, one a conservative and one a liberal. There are many nuggets of wisdom delivered throughout the film, sometimes through Biblical verse, with themes of leadership, compassion, humility, integrity, communication. Strongest message is importance of holding ourselves accountable for our mistakes – and not just to forgive others but also to forgive ourselves.

Free Community Meal & Family Movie Night
Friday, March 13th
All are welcome to join us for some corned beef and cabbage. The community meal is served at 5pm and the family film begins at 6pm. Please use Appleton St. door. Donations for the meal are welcomed, but not necessary. The movie is about an animal family that demonstrates courage, perseverance, and humility. They have loyal friends who refuse to tolerate bullies.

8:30am Faithwaze Breakfast
9am Faithwaze Chapel Service
9am Sunday Seekers Study Group
10am Worship
11am Coffee Hour
11:15am Jack Horner’s Corner

Saturday, March 21st

Holyoke St. Patrick’s Road Race

Sunday, March 22nd
No Coffee Hour after Worship.
Enjoy the Parade!

UCCH Community Tag Sale
March 28th 10am — 3pm
All proceeds from the event go to sponsoring Faithwaze Breakfast Service. Rain or Shine in Assembly Hall
Set up begins at 8:00 a.m.
Tag Sale Opens to public at 10:00 a.m.
Tag Sale Closes at 3:00 p.m.
Breakdown from 3:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.
Large Table (2.5’ x 8’) $15.00
Small (half) Table (2.5’ x4’)$ 10.00
Registration forms available at the church or call the office for more information at 413-432-1483. Please make checks payable to UCCH.
SECOND OFFERINGS

First Sunday Margaret’s Pantry
Please bring non-perishable foods OR monetary donations for Holyoke’s food pantry.

Third Sunday Rebekah’s Closet
Please bring diapers, wipes, OR monetary donations to assist young Holyoke families.

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There’s a place for u!

Bell Choir Ringers Needed
We are in need of Bell Ringers. Practice is once a week on Tuesdays from 5:30pm—6:30pm, & we play once a month during worship. Come join us and ring those bells! It’s so much FUN!

Want to offer your voice as a lay reader? Many Sundays still available!
If you’re interested please sign up in Parlor B during Coffee Hour.

Coffee Hour Volunteers
Are you interested in hosting Coffee Hour on a Sunday after Worship? As a volunteer you need to arrive a few minutes early to set up, and bring a half gallon of whole milk, which you will be reimbursed for if you wish. ANYONE can host Coffee Hour, you don’t have to be a Committee Chair, so if you’re interested please sign up in Parlor B.