# RELIGION

## Things to Do Religion

BANGOR - An interfaith Service of Light in celebration of the life and witness of Dr. Martin Luther King Jr., 4 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 17, All Souls Congregational Church, 10 Broadway. With guest speaker the Rev. Dr. Lloyd A. Lewis Jr., retired professor at Virginia Theological Seminary. Sponsored by All Souls, St. John's Episcopal Church, Bangor Area Children's Choir and Destiny Worship Center. Lewis will preach, 8 and 10 a.m. Sunday, Jan. 17, St. John's Episcopal Church, 225 French St. Robert Ludwig, 947-0156 or choirmaster@stjohnsbangor.org.

BANGOR - Bangor Community Chorus welcomes singers to participate in this nonaudition, diverse chorus, which rehearses weekly, 6:30 p.m. Tuesdays, First United Methodist Church, 703 Essex St. Winter seasonal program will be "Under Winter Moon." Stacy George, 333-0980 or sgeo8@ roadrunner.com.

BANGOR - Sermon "Returning to Memphis with the Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King Jr." by the Rev. Arthur Vaeni, Sunday, Jan. 17, Unitarian Universalist Society of Bangor, 120 Park St. 947-7009 or UUBangor.

BANGOR - Free community meal, 12:30 p.m. Sundays, Columbia Street Baptist Church, 63 Columbia St. 945-6616.

BELFAST - Annual Martin Luther King Jr. candlelight walk and community celebration, 4:30 p.m. Monday, Jan. 18. Starting at the post office and proceeding to the First Church Parish House for a gathering with music, readings from King's dedicated work, and a community speak out to continue the struggle for racial justice. Sponsored by Waldo County Peace and Justice. 338-5089.

BLUE HILL - Simmering Pot free community meals, 2:30-6 p.m. Mondays, First Congregational Church of Blue Hill, 22 Tenney Hill. Local produce often featured. Worship services, 10 a.m. Sundays. Donations

accepted. 374-2891.

BLUE HILL - Transgender, Family and Friends Group, 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 21, First Congregational Church of Blue Hill, 22 Tenney Hill. Provides support for families, friends and transgender people of all ages. Susan Yaruta-Young, 460-6155 or syyoung@myfairpoint.net.

BUCKSPORT — Bucksport United Methodist Church service marking the beginning of Christian Unity week, 2 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 17, North Bucksport chapel, 1147 River Road. Love offering to benefit United Methodist Committee on Relief's Disaster Relief Fund. For those unable to attend but wishing to donate, make a check payable to **Bucksport United Meth**odist Church with "UMCOR" on the memo line, and mail it to P.O. Box 1727, Bucksport 04416. 469-3622.

CAMDEN - Coffee and Sunday school, 9:30 a.m.; worship service, 10:45 a.m. Sundays; prayer, 7:30-8 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays; devotion and prayer gathering, 7 p.m. Wednesdays; men's group, 7-9 a.m. Saturdays, Chestnut Street Baptist Church, 29 Chestnut St. 236-2195. For men's group information, call Brian Vanden Brink at 236-3922.

CAMDEN — Testimony meetings, 7:30-8:30 p.m. Wednesdays; Sunday service, 10-11 a.m.; Sunday school for up to age 20, 10-11 a.m., Christian Science Reading Room, 1 Central St., open to listen to chats, lectures and read inspirational magazines, noon-3 p.m. Tuesday, Thursday and Friday; 5:30-7:30 p.m. Wednesday; 11 a.m.-1 p.m. Saturday. Men's group, 7-9 a.m. Saturdays, second-floor high school classroom. 236-4040.

CASTINE — Epiphany 2 and Holy Eucharist with the Rev. Canon Ian L. Bockus, celebrant and preacher, 9 a.m. Sunday, Jan. 17, Trinity Episcopal Church, 150 Perkins St. Refreshments. Church school, 9 a.m. second and fourth Sundays.

CASTINE - Sermon "Speaking Truth to Power: The Legacies of Frederick Douglass and Martin Luther King Jr." by Lynn H. Parsons, author, professor emeritus and president of the congregation's Governing Board, 10:30 a.m. Sunday, Jan. 17, Unitarian of Castine Meeting House. 326-9083, minister@uucastine.org or office@uucastine.org.

CASTINE - Sermon by the Rev. Tim Hall, 9:30 a.m. Sunday, Jan. 17, Trinitarian Congregational Parish of Castine, 68 Main St. Refreshments. 326-9486 or tcpoc.org.

DEXTER - Kids Bible Club for children in kindergarten-grade five, 5-7:30 p.m. Wednesdays, New Hope Baptist Church, 130 Spring St. 924-7419 or NHBCDexter Facebook page.

DEXTER - Coffee fellowship, 8 a.m.; prayer in pastor's office, 8:30 a.m.; Sunday school, 9 a.m.; worship services, 10 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wired Youth 12. 5:30 p.m. Sundays, New Hope Baptist Church, 130 Spring St. Prayer meetings, 6 p.m. Wednesdays; Ladies Bible Study on "The Fruit of the Spirit," 10 a.m.; special Sunday school class for couples who have children or plan to have children, focusing on marriage. Food pantry distribution, 8:15-9:15 a.m. first and third Saturdays each month. NewHopeDexter.org, NHBCDexter Facebook page or 924-7419.

DOVER-FOXCROFT - Singalong program led by Lew Dow and the Yester-Year Music Makers called "The Minstrel Show," 7 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 23, Dover-Foxcroft United Methodist Church, 156 East Main St. Refreshments served. Donations appreciated. 876-8013 or Ild@myfairpoint.net.

ELLSWORTH - New City-Reach ministry, 10:30 a.m. Sundays, 27 High St. Free food and testimonies Tuesdays. Jermel Mcwhorter at 249-0303 or 412-0660.

ELLSWORTH — Saturday sanctuary sessions explore faith, religion and spirituality, 4:30-6:30 p.m. second and fourth Saturdays, St. Andrew Lutheran Church, 175

Downeast Highway. Supper is potluck with theme, topic and menu posted on StAndrewME. org and Facebook usually Wednesday before. No alcohol or tobacco. 667-

Universalist Congregation GUILFORD - Worship, 10 a.m. Sundays, Guilford United Methodist Church, 3 School St. Coffee hour, 9-9:50 a.m. Choir rehearsal, 9:15 a.m., in the sanctuary.

> HOWLAND — Exodus Bible study, 10-11 a.m. Tuesdays; \$4 lunch, 11:30 a.m. Wednesdays; worship, 9-10 a.m. Sundays, Howland United Methodist Church, 23 Coffin St. 862-4281.

> LIMERICK - Regular services by Pastor John Short Jr., 10 a.m. Sundays, Maine Life Gate Christian Church, 3 Foss Road. Saturday service, 6 p.m. Sermons posted at Facebook.com/ MaineLifeGateChristian-Church. 793-2610 or info@mlgchurch.com.

Fellowship for grades six- LINCOLN — Acts Bible study, 6:30-7:30 p.m. Mondays; free community suppers, 5-6 p.m. Wednesdays; Sunday school, 9:15 a.m.; social hour, 10-10:45 a.m.; followed by worship, 11 a.m. Sundays; informal contemporary evening worship, 6-7 p.m. Sundays, First United Methodist Church, 8 Lee Road. 794-8443.

> OLD TOWN - Free community supper, 6 p.m. Friday, Jan. 22, St. James' Episcopal Church, corner of Main and Center streets. Chili, corn bread, salads.

PHIPPSBURG - VoXX "Music for the New Year" concert, 2 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 17, Phippsburg Congregational Church. \$10. voiceoftwenty.com or info@voiceoftwenty. com.

PORTLAND — The Revs. Ed Clifford and Emile Dube, priests of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Portland, will lead a Pilgrimage to Ireland May 31-June 10. Stops will include Dublin, Killarney, the Ring of Kerry, Galway and Belfast, Knock Shrine, the Cliffs of Moher, St. Brigid's Well and more. Space is limited. Teena at Dube Travel, 800-879-3823 or tdick@ dubetravel.com.

ROCKLAND - Snow Day Camp, 8 a.m.-5 p.m., First Universalist Church, 345 Broadway. For elementary children ages 5-10 on days school is cancelled because of snow. Breakfast, lunch and two snacks. Organized activities. Deposit of \$15 per child to reserve space, and \$15 per child per snow day. If there are no snow days, the deposit will be returned. Limited to 30. 370-7887 or uursnowdaycamp@uurockland.

SEARSMONT - Searsmont United Methodist Church seeks pianist or organist to play for its services, 9-10 a.m. Sundays. Elsa at 342-5294 or the Rev. Ed Bove at 785-4140 or 401-525-6866.

org.

SEARSPORT — First Congregational Church is selling a collection of recipes from 1600s to today, including history, stories and original photographs, \$20 each. Free ebook editions with each purchase. Pick up a copy of the book at Hamilton Marine, Colonial Gables, Belfast Area Chamber of Commerce, Searsport Antique Mall, Safe Harbor Church events and at the church, 8 Church St. Will ship for an additional \$6 per book. Mail check or money orders to Jessica Hall, Searsport First Congregational Church, P.O. Box 261, Searsport 04974.

THOMASTON - Thomaston Baptist Church's 200th anniversary in 2016 with an old-fashioned Sunday morning worship service featuring music from the historic period and the first of its "History Moments," a collection of short items from the church's history, 11 a.m. Jan. 17. The Rev. Wayne Sawyer at 354-6706.

WINTERPORT - Free potluck lunch, games, puzzles and free coffee, 9 a.m.-2 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 16, Ellingwoods Corner United Methodist Church, 796 Lebanon Road, Route 69 and Monroe Road. Lunch, 11 a.m. Thrift shop sale with new and seasonal items.

For a complete listing of calendar items or to submit your event, visit www.bangordailynews.com.

# Rev. Nadeau to retire at age 80

PORTLAND — The Rev. Roland P. Nadeau will retire from active ministry on his 80th birthday, which is Feb. 16, according to a news release issued by the Roman Catholic Diocese of Portland on Friday.

Nadeau was born on Feb.



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mar school at St. Peter & St. Paul before graduating from St. Dominic Regional High School. He earned a bache-

16, 1936, in

Lewiston,

where he at-

tended gram-

lor's degree from Providence College in 1961. Nadeau joined the U.S. Army in 1967 and was deployed to Vietnam, where he served as a chaplain's assistant during the Vietnam War. "All you could see was

God's mercy all over the place," said Nadeau about his time in Vietnam, according to the diocese news release. "I was shot at a few times, but by the grace of God, I survived. He had a different plan for me."

Nadeau completed his military service and began working for the postal service in 1969, the same year he fell in love with and married Catherine Flanigan at St. Mary Church in Bangor.

"Before we met, my wife was going to join the Sisters of Mercy," said Nadeau in the release. "Her dad drove her down to Portland, but on the way she said 'God doesn't want me to go into this convent. He wants me to be married to a good, Catholic young man.' Well, she met a good, Catholic man, but I don't know how young he was.'

Together, they raised three sons before Catherine died in 1985. Nadeau continued working for the postal service until 1996, when he says he felt a distinct call to the priesthood.

"How do you know God created the universe? You just do. I just knew," said Nadeau, in the press release. 'It was wonderful. When I was accepted to the seminary, Bishop [Joseph] Gerry asked me how I felt about it. I said, 'I don't know, but I think God has a sense of humor.'



To list yourservice contact Barb at 990-8140 or email bmower@bangordailynews.com

## **United Methodist**

Orono United Methodist Church 36 Oak St, Orono • www.oronoumc.com Orono United Methodist Church • 866-4605 9:45am Adult/Youth Sunday School 11am Worship w/ Children's Sunday School Pastor Steve Smith Handicapped Accessible (Parking Lot)

**Grace United Methodist Church** nion Street, Bango 942-8320 Worship Service & Sunday School 10AM

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Hampden Highlands United Methodist Church 44 Kennebec Rd., Hampden Worship & Sunday School 10 a.m. Nursery Provided • 862-4195 www.hampdenhighlands.me office@hampdenhighlands.me handicap accessible

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Rev. David Henry

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# Presbyterian

**Pilgrim Orthodox** Presbyterian "Living New Lives in Christ"
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www.pilgrimopc.org

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www.gnbcbangor.com

## **Catholic**

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WEEKEND MASSES Saturday

4:00PM St. John's Bangor 4:00PM St. Joseph's Sunday 7:00AM St. Mary's .... 8:30AM St. Gabriel's Bangor Winterpor 8:30AM St. Mary's Bangor 10:30AM St. John's . Bangor 10:30AM St. Matthew's . Hampden 5:30PM St. Teresa's . Brewer

Confession: Saturday 2:30 PM to 3:45 PM, St. John's, Bangor 3:00 PM to 3:45 PM, St. Joseph's, Brewer

4:30 PM to 5:15 PM, St. Teresa's, Brewer

# The Parish of the Resurrection

of the Lord 827-4000 MASS SCHEDULE

## **Saturday**

Ж 4PM -Holy Family, Old Town

■ 5:30PM- St. Ann's, Indian Island

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**Sunday** ∭ 8AM-

Holy Family, Old Town 9:30AM - St. Ann's, Bradley 📓 11AM - Our Lady of Wisdom / Newman Center, Orono

## **Quakers - Friends**

**Meetings for Worship** Bar Harbor Area . Belfast Area. 207-930-3518

Eggemoggin Reach. . 207-348-6686 Narramissic Valley (Bucksport) ...... 207-326-8789 207-884-4763 For details go to: quakerfinder.org

## **Christian Science**

First Church of Christ, Scientist 939 Broadway at Hobart St., Bangor Service Times: Sunday 10:30 a.m. Wednesday 7:00 p.m.

Christian Science Reading Room Tue & Sat 10-1; Wed 4:30-6:30 Nursery Provided at all services, 947-7421 www.christiansciencebangorme.com

# Anglican



St. Thomas Anglican Church 373 Bangor Road (Route 1A) Ellsworth

Sunday Service 10 a.m. with Book of Common Prayer (1928) stthomasellsworth.org

## **Spiritualist**

Harrison D. Barrett Spiritualist Church 304 Hancock Place Bangor Elevator is available Sundays, 10:30 am Gallery Readings at 7pm Second Friday of Every Month FMI please call 848-2273

w.HDBSpiritualistChurch

# **Episcopal**

St. John's Episcopal Church 225 French Street, Bangor, Maine **ANCIENT & MÖDERN** 

# 947-0156

**Holy Eucharist** Sunday 8 & 10 am Sunday School 9:45 am

www.stjohnsbangor.org Child Care Provided

## **Ecumenical**

Church of Universal Fellowship 82 Main St., Orono • 866-3655 **Open & Affirming** 

Sunday Service: 10:15am www.churchofuniversalfellowsip.org Reverend Lorna Grenfell Sunday School & Nursery Care

# **Orthodox**

# **Scriptural Traditional Worship God's Peace and Love**

An evangelical outreach of the Orthodox Church (OCA) is now organizing in Bangor. Sunday Worship, teaching and Lunch: 10:00 am at 243 French Street (in the rear). Come, taste and see that the Lord is good!