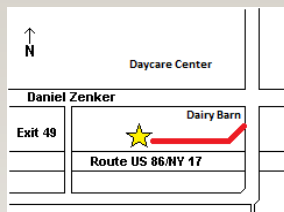


Welcome to the  
Unitarian Universalist  
Fellowship of Big Flats.

We are an intentionally  
inclusive congregation,  
welcoming all!

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Formal Services are held  
September through mid-June  
**Sunday mornings**  
**10:30-11:30**  
with a casual coffee hour  
following.

Informal Summer Services  
are held mid-June through  
the beginning of September.

No matter what time  
of year...  
Please join us!

# November 2016 Uni-Verse



Unitarian Universalist Fellowship of Big Flats, NY

## Service Schedule

November 6: *My Religion is Kindness - with Elaine Mansfield* - "This is my simple religion. There is no need for temples; no need for complicated philosophy. Our own brain, our own heart is our temple; the philosophy is kindness." ~ Dalai Lama \*~\* Kindness is a choice we can make every day. It's a gift to ourselves and our world. Cultivating compassion softens tension and discord, eases stress and builds community. Along with readings, we'll share our experiences with the power of kindness in our world." ~

*Service Leader:* Jackie Wilson

November 13: *Universalism and the White Crow - with Rev. Darcey Laine* ~ Do you ever feel like a fish out of water? A round peg in a square hole? Sometimes our culture gives us the message that odd ducks should just "get with the program." How does our Universalist faith call us to respond? Whether you identify as an outlier or "one of the pack" this service will invite us to consider our own experiences and the experience of others in our community. The service will include a wonderful Story for all Ages "Tacky the Penguin."

November 20: *A Healthy Dose of Play - with Rev. Renee Guidelli* - Renee is a Life Purpose Coach and founder of [Heart Centered Living](#). Today we will look at love, light and playfulness as a way of Creating a Heaven on Earth. How each one of us weaves those elements into our lives and the effects it has in our homes, our communities and most importantly on our planet. We will end with a guided meditation to experience our own magic and playfulness. ~ *Service Leader:* Jackie Wilson

November 27: *Traditional Bread Service, a Contemporary Communion* ~ Please bring some type of bread and related stories and memories to share. We pool our own stories to create the substance of this inter-generational service. Together we will provide both spiritual and tangible food. ~ *Service Leader:* Carolyn Scopelliti

**Meaningful  
Movies at  
Park Church**

*November 9,  
2016*

7 PM Beecher

Hall  
208 West Gray  
St., Elmira, NY

14901  
Church phone:  
733-9104



# FORKS OVER KNIVES



**Tamara Miller**, long-time member and board member, has moved to South Carolina to be nearer her girls, Sara and Emily. If you'd like to drop her a line, her new address is 218 Dukeland Dr., Greenville, SC 29617.

Also, **Blaine Strimple**, whom some of you may remember as a friend of the Vikings who came with them to the fellowship from time to time, has also moved: 120 Creekside Dr., Apt. 53, Painted Post 14870-9218. Yes, that's the same retirement complex Joe and Sonia are in!

Please make  
these changes  
in your copy  
of the *NEW*  
directory.

Want to include something in future newsletters?

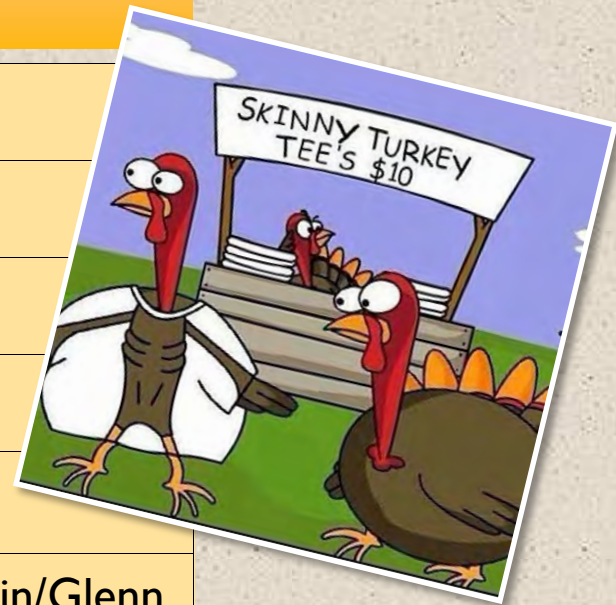
Easy!

Email Chris (by the 15th of the month before) at [ceemarie1971@twc.com](mailto:ceemarie1971@twc.com)

## Fellowship Hosting Schedule

Hosting is a service we provide one another. If you are unable to host on the day that you've been assigned, please make arrangements for someone else to take your place.

Date	Hosts
Nov 6	McCall, Wosinski
Nov 13	Telford, Wilson
Nov 20	Scopelliti, Paquette
Nov 27	Brenner, Potter
Dec 4	Maloney/Halm, Martin/Glenn
Dec 11	Stevenson, Spicer
Dec 18	McCall, Wosinski
Dec 25	Telford, Wilson



Happy Thanksgiving



Our new wheelchair-friendly entrance completed over the summer!



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