

Annual Church Picnic

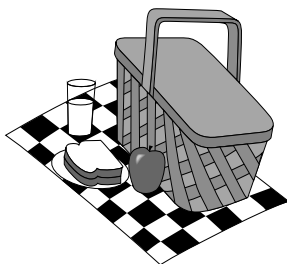
Pot Luck

Rain or Shine

Bring your own dishes and cutlery,
a drink and a dish to share

When: June 5, 2011 at 12:00 pm

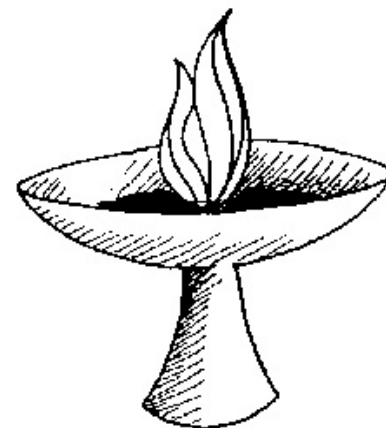
Where: Queenston Heights
Pavillion



FRAGRANCE-FREE POLICY

The Unitarian Congregation of Niagara is a fragrance-free zone. Fragrance may be distressful and threaten the well-being of those around you. In order to make this a safe and welcoming environment for everyone who comes here, we ask that you refrain from wearing fragrances. Your understanding and co-operation is appreciated.

Unitarian Congregation of Niagara



Sharing Our Faith

– John Mayer and Marie Belliveau

May 29, 2011

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Order of Service
Sunday, May 29, 2011
Sharing Our Faith

Service Leaders: John Mayer and
Marie Belliveau
Musician: Theresa Pothier

Prelude

About Sharing Our Faith: **John Mayer**

Chalice Lighting: **Marie Belliveau**

A chalice lit in our midst is a symbol of our liberal faith,
A faith built on the foundation of freedom, reason and tolerance
A faith sustained by acts of kindness and justice
A faith that visions a world flourishing, with equality for all people
A faith that demands the living out of goodness
A faith that requires thoughtfulness
A faith of wholeness
This tiny flame is the symbol of the spark of all this within each of us.
by Debra Faulk

Announcements: **John Mayer**

Opening Words: **Marie Belliveau**

Hymn: **#300** *With Heart and Mind*

Joys and Concerns: **John Mayer**

Offertory Words: **John Mayer**

Hymn: **#131** *Love Will Guide Us*

Responsive Reading: **John Mayer**

2nd Reading: **Marie Belliveau**

Hymn: **#102** *We the Heir of Many Ages*

Last Reading: **John Mayer**

Closing Words: **Marie Belliveau**

Have you felt the spirit grow inside you? Did it rise up filling you with hope?

Did you feel stronger?

Are you committed to this religious community, more committed to freedom, peace and justice?

Has the spirit of life that we experience as love transformed you into a more caring and aware individual?

Will you think at least once this week about how you can act out your faith in the inherent worth and dignity of someone?

Well then you have been blessed and will be a blessing unto others.

Celebrate! *by Stephan Papa*

Go in Peace.

Extinguishing of Chalice

Postlude: *(Please remain seated during postlude, then join us for coffee and conversation following.)*