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First Universalist Church of Rochester, NY

Summer 2017

## Sunday Services | Summer 2017

**Our Summer services begin at 10:00 a.m., followed by light refreshments and Drop-in Discussion.**

**July 2** | *Whose Declaration Is It Anyway?* Inspired by the scholarship of Dr. Danielle Allen in *Our Declaration*, Verdis L. Robinson will argue the true meaning of the Declaration of Independence as a document of empowerment and inclusivity in the context of polarized public discourse and widespread frustration with politics. Can we make this Fourth of July our declaration of freedom? - Verdis Robinson, guest speaker.

**July 9** | *Let Go and Let God*. Many of our Evangelical friends use this phrase. However, it can have meaning for people of every or no theological stripe. I'll share what it means to a Buddhist inspired, UU agnostic. - Peter House, summer minister.

**July 16** | *Moving to Winona Blvd*. We all work toward security and success. Is there a downside to attaining them? We will look at the price we pay for security. - Peter House, summer minister.

**July 23** | *Nit Picking The Treasurer's Report*. We live in a culture which places a high value on precision and detail. But when we become too seduced by them, we lose sight of our very purpose. - Peter House, summer minister.

**July 30** | *Never Read an IEP Ahead of Time*. My mother always told me "Take people as you find them." We will explore the importance of encountering other people, and the world itself on our own terms. - Peter House, summer minister.

**August 6** | *The Trap of Top-Of-The-Line Appliances*. In a culture of unlimited wealth, we are drowning in choices. In the midst of this great abundance, most of us can no longer distinguish between needs and wants. This Sunday, we will focus on how to shift our perspectives and free ourselves of baggage. - Peter House, summer minister.

**August 13** | *A Personal Covenant*. My ordination vows were strongly influenced by our affirmation of faith. I will share my vows, and offer an opportunity for you to consider what your own vow to life might look like. - The Rev. Catherine Coates, guest speaker.

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# A Note From Our Summer Minister

*Message from Peter House*

My neighbor Janet is a very talented painter. Her work is regularly featured at the Oxford Gallery on Park Avenue. Her paintings are whimsical and chimeric, while being simultaneously homely and domestically cozy. I use homely in the British sense of the word (cozy and comfortable, as in one's own home) because her home and the common objects used in it, find their way into nearly all of her paintings.

With a true artist's eye, Janet sees an entire world of infinite change and possibility right within the boundaries of her own property line, and she doesn't venture out as often as most people I know. Because of this, she is intimately familiar with her surroundings, and spends a lot of time observing and appreciating them. I often look out my window and see her, in Zen like serenity, communing with her garden, taking time to appreciate and really see individual dandelions, discarded bird's nests, and rusty shovels. Her love and appreciation for these mundane, usually overlooked objects comes through when one looks at her work. She always appears present and content, and I never sense dissatisfaction or longing in her, as if she's in touch with her Buddha nature when she focuses deeply on her immediate surroundings. .

I often envy her. I live a mere fifteen feet from her world, and rarely see even close to what she does. I am always busy running from one meeting to another. And when I am home, even when I try to look, my mind isn't as present to the task as I would like. My focus is usually on undone tasks, and unfulfilled plans. And while the judging, evaluating part of my mind is noticing this lack of presence, my soul hasn't caught up with my brain yet.

Developing a career, serving on boards, keeping abreast of politics, doing volunteer work, and singing in choirs is wonderful work. But, lately, I am feeling called to slow down, be more present to my own life, nurture my soul, and cultivate a greater awareness of what is right in front of me. I am in the process of extricating myself from boards and committees, reducing my busyness, and developing presence.

As Abraham Maslow taught us with his famous hierarchy of needs, self care is an essential element of a productive life. No matter how passionate we may be about our work and our causes, energy invested in them is unsustainable unless we nurture our innately human need for beauty and sanctuary.

Summer feels like an especially good time to put the brakes on. I intend to use this summer to pay attention to which pursuits really call me and speak to my soul, and which ones simply provide the ersatz satisfaction of busyness. It is my sincere hope that I can inspire each of you to do the same.

- Peter ❖



## Summer Services *Continued*

**August 20** | *Never Resist a Generous Impulse.* I read this phrase in a Buddhist meditation book years ago and it has served me well since. It feels good to give of ourselves. Bring your open heart to church this Sunday.  
- Peter House, summer minister.

**August 27** | *A Vote of Confidence.* As a society, we are still learning about the effects of abuse on the human psyche. This Sunday, I will share a story which illustrates the damage abuse does to all of us young and old, and offer some helpful hints to help us recognize when we may be abusing others without realizing it. - Peter House, summer minister.

**September 3** | *Welcome to Baghdad.* Since the election of Donald Trump, we've all been on edge as we experience unprecedented political uncertainty and instability. Is this an opportunity for spiritual growth? We will explore how this past election may bring about more good and compassion than we might expect. - Peter House, summer minister. ❖



# Walking Together

Submitted by The Rev. Michelle Yates,  
Director of Life Span Faith Development

Our Faith Development theme for July and August is **Adventure**.

**What new (or old) thing have you been thinking about trying or making?** Perhaps a physical trek, a culinary experiment, a class, an old hobby, project, or book. **What would it look like for you to step out of your comfort zone?**

I know my family is expecting a brand-new adventure this summer... a baby. We are expecting lots of the unexpected for the whole family. New sounds, routines, needs, tasks, and 'stuff' in the house all centering around a new being who will need all of us in the house to become his best self. It's exciting and scary, as all the best adventures truly are.

The best part of adventures are the stories you then get to share, and the ways a project or experience can change you. It can give you confidence to try something else in the future. It can offer you hard earned lessons that hopefully you can learn from and try again. Most importantly, don't let disappointment or hurt cause you to stash away your hiking boots, your curiosity, or adventurous spirit.

Go have an adventure; a daily one if possible. Take a different route, stop at a roadside stand, contribute to a person or cause, listen deeper, share a talent or story, lean in to discomfort, allow yourself or your mind to be changed. "And then we'll come together here to make sense of what we find."

*"Do one thing every day that scares you. Those small things that make us uncomfortable help us build courage to do the work we do."*  
-attributed to Eleanor Roosevelt

## Summer Faith Development and Maternity Leave Update:

We are delighted to offer childcare through the summer weeks again this year. Childcare will take place in the children's corner of the Clara Barton Lounge with Carol and Sundae.

In the new church year, we will need some new support volunteers and guests for Children's Worship. Please consider sharing a Sunday or three next year to get to know our children and our program here at First Universalist. Connect with me if you are curious or have questions.

**I expect to have my baby boy in mid-August, and will be back to my regular Sunday routine on October 22<sup>nd</sup>. I will be available for communication and church support through the end of July, and starting again October.**

Peace and Blessings,

Michelle ❖

# The Children's Worship Team is Expanding!

Submitted by Rev. Michelle Yates

Have you noticed more regular faces among the kids at our church? Attendance is up, and we are looking to train a few more adults to lead and assist with Children's Worship. No teaching experience needed! We will be holding our Children's Worship Team training on Sunday, July 9<sup>th</sup> @ 11:30am-12:30pm. Please feel free to come to get more information and feel out if this ministry is a good fit for you.

Also we are looking for members to share a craft, memory or life experience by being our "Guest" on one Sunday. This is a great way to learn about our program first hand, and get to know the youngest members of our community.

Contact Rev. Michelle with questions or to sign up at [edu@uuroc.org](mailto:edu@uuroc.org). ❖



# Welcome to Summer Services at First Universalist

*From the Worship Committee*

Join us for inspiration and fellowship in the more informal atmosphere of summer. Our long-time Summer Minister, Peter House, will be preaching, except on two Sundays when we welcome two talented members of our congregation, Verdis Robinson (July 2) and The Reverend Catherine Coates (Aug. 13) to our pulpit.

## Things to know about summer services:

Don't forget! Services begin a half hour earlier, at 10:00am, so that we can all get out and enjoy the summer weather.

Families, please note that during the summer, there is no programming for children or youth (no Religious Education or Children's Worship) during the service, nor is there a story for all ages, so children may find worship less engaging. Childcare is available in the children's corner of the Clara Barton Lounge, with our nursery care providers, Carol Williams and Sundae Hodge. As always, the service will be piped into the Clara Barton Lounge and the upstairs landing, in case you need to take a break outside the sanctuary.

It can get warm in the sanctuary in July and August - feel free to dress casually. You'll see a lot of folks in shorts and tee shirts. After services, join us for cold beverages and social time.

On Sunday, Sept. 10, we will return to our regular 10:30 services, with our interim minister, The Rev. Peggy Meeker, welcoming us into a new church year.

Thanks to our Summer Services Team who have volunteered to help with snacks and logistics during the summer: Dolores DaLomba, Nancy Gaede, Pam Jacobstein, Richard Reed, Karen Ruganis, and Bridget Watts. Thanks also to all our summer ushers, keepers of the flame, and musicians. ❖

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## EcoJustice News

*Submitted by Marcia Weaver*

First Universalist Church is now a member of Rochester People's Climate Coalition (RPCC)!

The RPCC has been a strident leader in our community since 2014. It is an inclusive, non-partisan, non-profit network of organizations and individuals unified by the determination to identify and implement effective climate solutions through education and action. The diverse membership includes over 100 local business, faith, civic, labor, and environmental groups.

The Board approved the proposal by the EcoJustice Group stating that the work of the RPCC is consistent with our values and that we should seek membership. On June 7, 2017, we became an Affiliated Member of RPCC.

We encourage you to check out their website and newsletters by visiting [rocpcc.com](http://rocpcc.com). In addition, check out the following websites for environmental events: [www.rochesterenvironment.com](http://www.rochesterenvironment.com) and [colorbrightongreen.org](http://colorbrightongreen.org). They are also on Facebook.

The next meeting for the EcoJustice Group will be Sunday, August 6<sup>th</sup> at 11:15 a.m. in the back of the Sanctuary. All are welcome. ❖



During the summer, the First Universalist Church library and bookstore will be open **July 16**, with Marcia Weaver, and **August 13**, with Keith Stott, for buying, borrowing and browsing. Our free books box, free magazine exchange and free children's books shelf are available any day at any time. ❖

# RAIHN Dates

Submitted by Marti Eggers

## Next Volunteer Training Session:

Wednesday, August 23, 2017,  
6:30-8:30pm, St. Joseph's Catholic  
Church, 43 Gebhardt Rd., Penfield.

Training sessions orient volunteers to the philosophy of the RAIHN\* program and provide skills in building appropriate relationships. Ample time is provided for questions and discussion. These sessions are valuable not only for folks new to RAIHN but also for seasoned volunteers. All are welcome! Please RSVP at 506-9050 or to [coordinator@raihn.org](mailto:coordinator@raihn.org).

## Next Host Week at First Universalist:

September 24<sup>th</sup> – October 1<sup>st</sup>

Celebrate Fall with your gift of time to families temporarily in need of a home. We will have 80 volunteer slots to fill, so please try to set aside some time for RAIHN in September!

## Here's what you can do:

**Dinner Shift:** M-F, 5-8:30pm; Sun. & Sat., 4-7pm. Prepare and serve dinner for guests and volunteers; clean up. The *Lead Volunteer* coordinates the meal with other dinner volunteers. Menu guidelines and suggestions are provided. After dinner is cleaned up, volunteers might help with homework, read to a child, or play games.



**Activities Shift:** Sun. & Sat. only, 7-10pm. Provide guidance for homework, games, crafts, etc.

**Overnight Shift:** M-F, 8:30pm-7am; Sun. & Sat., 9:30pm-8am. Oversee any guest needs; quiet time after 10pm. Sleep in comfort. Weekday mornings, set up a self-serve breakfast of cereal, juice, coffee, etc. Wake guests in time to have breakfast and to catch RAIHN bus. Weekdays, bus may leave as early as 6am, no later than 7am. Saturday and Sunday mornings, let weekend breakfast shift in at 8am.

**Weekend Breakfast Shift:** Saturday and Sunday, 8am-10am. Prepare leisurely, hearty breakfast; clean up. Set up; take down guest rooms: first and last Sundays, noon-2:30 pm.

**Laundry:** at one's convenience after Host Week. Launder bedding used by guests.

*\*RAIHN, the Rochester Area Interfaith Hospitality Network, is a consortium of 14 faith communities that host families in temporary need of housing, and 31 faith communities that provide volunteers and other support to the host congregations. First Universalist is a host congregation, supported by St. Mary's, Aldersgate United Methodist Church of Greece and the Church of Love Faith Center. Four times a year, for a week each time, volunteers from these congregations work together to provide a welcoming, safe place for the families to come home to after a day at the RAIHN Center where they get help looking for housing and, for some, new employment. We prepare and serve a hot evening meal, help with homework, offer a lap, a story and a hug, a listening ear, a word of encouragement, overnight presence, breakfast, and whatever else might be needed before the families return to their jobs or to the Center for another day of hard work. ❖*

# RAIHN Challenge Announced!

Submitted by Ann Rhody

A kind friend of First Universalist has offered a generous challenge to help us host our RAIHN guests! Our friend will match every donation to the RAIHN Discretionary Fund, up to \$1,500. If this challenge is fully realized, our fund could increase by \$3,000, which would help us to provide more comfort, care, and support for those we serve during our RAIHN host weeks.

To donate, please make your check payable to First Universalist Church and note "RAIHN Challenge" in the memo line. ❖



# Living Our Values, Making A Difference

Submitted by *Newcomb Losh*

**Keith Stott** (l) premiered his latest composition, Sonata No. 3, Impressionist, as **Pat Stott** assisted in our sanctuary on April 23<sup>rd</sup> to raise funds to benefit church programs. Keith has dedicated his life to the search of truth and meaning through music.



**Mulch Delivery** - (l-r) **Tom Ruganis, Sarah Singal,** and **Richard Reed** were among the many volunteers who helped spread mulch around the community garden on May 18<sup>th</sup>.



Photo by *Connie Valk*

**Child Dedication Ceremony** - Parents **Jodi** and **Chris Reynolds** stand with **The Rev. Celie** as they dedicate their children, **Henry** and **Kaitlyn**, on June 11<sup>th</sup>. Flowers adorn the platform as the annual Flower Communion service also took place.



Photo by *Karl Abbott*

# The Language of Systemic Racism

Submitted by *Joy Leccese of FIAC*

At our congregational Social Justice workshop on June 10<sup>th</sup>, led by Roc/ACTS organizer Jon Greenbaum, one of the topics we discussed was the language of racism and how it impacts perceptions, even subconsciously. When Jon mentioned the phrases “white privilege” and “white supremacy” in the same sentence, it struck a nerve in many of us. There is a clear difference, and one of those phrases created a visceral anxiety in several of us attending.

While “white privilege” is a descriptive term that refers to a type of class distinction, “white supremacy” denotes an underlying conscious belief in the superiority of whites over other races and cultures. It spurred a lot of discussion, and served as an example of how the words we choose can impact conversations, attitudes, and behaviors. White privilege may be a more subtle, unspoken reflection of socio-economic roots/status, but it nevertheless conveys a type of discrimination that is definitely systemic. It implies a comfort level with how white, middle- and upper-class groups take many things for granted in their comings and goings: things that people without resources (or who are not caucasian) do not. The ensuing conversation prompted us to pay closer attention to what we as a predominantly white-privilege-based congregation take for granted. Any first steps toward change are predicated on intention, and intention means we are aware. Expanding awareness around building a language of equality, not discrimination, is a good first step. ❖



All photos by *Newcomb Losh* unless otherwise noted.

*Have an action photo or two of our members and friends being inclusive, living our Unitarian Universalist values or making a difference? Send them to [Newcomb Losh](mailto:Newcomb Losh) at [newcomb.losh@yahoo.com](mailto:newcomb.losh@yahoo.com).*

# Why March in the Pride Parade on July 15?

*Submitted by Connie Valk*

We say we want to have visibility in the community. We say that we want our UU values known, in these times of uncertainty. Here is one way we make it happen. **March with us in the Pride Parade, with other UUs behind our banner on July 15.**

Please sign up on the Social Justice bulletin board in the Clara Barton Lounge with your contact information, so that you can be notified of the exact place to meet, or contact Connie Valk at [cvalk@frontiernet.net](mailto:cvalk@frontiernet.net).

We are registered under the name GUUSTO (Genesee UU Societies Together). Gathering time is 1:00. We usually have twenty or more First Universalists participate. If you have never marched with the group before, come join us as UUs continue to take this stand for social justice.

This is an ongoing project. Registration for the parade is paid for through a collaboration between First Unitarian and First Universalist Churches. All UU churches are invited to participate. ❖



## Roc/ACTS is ROCKING



*Submitted by Shirley Bond*

As some of you may already know, First Universalist is a member of Rochester Alliance of Communities Transforming Society (Roc/ACTS). First Universalist members worked closely with their Raise the Age Campaign. Many, many postcards and letters were delivered to various NYS Senators, and as a result, 16- and 17-year-old New Yorkers who commit non-violent legal offenses will no longer be housed in jails with adults. It has been great to see various faith communities coming together to work on the goal of eliminating racism in Rochester.

What a great turnout for Roc/ACTS Spring Fundraiser on May 21<sup>st</sup>! Many churches were represented. First Universalist filled a table of twelve! Over \$9,000 was raised. Many of our members donated food, silent auction items, and of course the most precious gift of all, TIME.

One of our next goals is continuing the work of the Criminal Justice Task Force. Our aim is to rearrange the police accountability structure of Rochester for it to be more fairly representative of the community in which they serve.

Thanks, everyone! ❖

## Finance Committee News

*Submitted by Ann Rhody*

Thank you to the Finance team, the Board of Trustees, and the congregation for approving a fiscally responsible, balanced budget for 2017-18! Such a budget is only possible with generous stewardship from the members and friends of First Universalist, and we thank you.

- The fiscal year ending June 30, 2017 looks like it will end with a significant surplus. The Finance Committee, along with the Board of Trustees and other church leaders, will be collaborating to determine how to leverage the surplus in a meaningful way. Stay tuned for more news on this later in the summer.
- PACT (our most recent Capital Campaign) statements will be mailed to you in early July. Please contact Ann Rhody if you have questions about your PACT pledge.
- Haven't finished paying your 2016-17 pledge yet? Even after June 30, it's not too late. Consult your statement or contact collector Bill Jones to see if you have an outstanding balance. If so, please submit your check with "16-17 pledge" in the memo line, and we'll make sure it's applied accordingly. ❖

# Drop-In Discussion Schedule

Submitted by Phil Ebersole

Drop-in discussions will begin at 11:15 a.m. during our summer schedule in the Chalice Room on the second floor of our church. Sometimes our discussions are based on certain books or articles, but you don't have to read anything or do any advance preparation to participate. Just drop in. People of all viewpoints are welcome to make presentations or join in the discussions.

**July 2** | *Patriotism*. What loyalty do we owe our country? What constitutes loyalty and disloyalty? Is there a difference between nationalism and patriotism? Can you have dual loyalties? Can you be both a patriot and a citizen of the world? Phil Ebersole will lead a discussion.

**July 9** | *Medical Orders for Life Sustaining Treatment*. What is MOLST? Well, if you couldn't speak for yourself on the verge of death, what would you want (or not want) done? Feeding tube? Ventilator? IV? CPR? A simple form enables you to state your choices in advance in case you are unable to speak at the time. Kate Fleury will bring forms, show how to use them and lead a discussion.

**July 16** | *Recalling the Civil Rights Struggle*. Tim Mullins will share his experiences as a civil rights worker in Alabama in the dangerous year of 1965.

**July 23** | *Urban Agriculture*. Mitch Gruber, an advocate for urban agriculture, will make a presentation and lead a discussion.

**July 30** | *American Nations*. Janus Mary Jones will lead a discussion of the ideas in *American Nations: A History of the Eleven Regional Cultures of North America*.

**August 6** | *Gender Inclusive Language*. We are starting to hear and talk more about people for whom the gender binary of He or She does not fit. Some of our recently graduated youth will guide a discussion regarding gender language and how to have productive and inclusive conversations on this topic.

**August 13** | *Weeds Are Our Friends, Part II*. By request, Kate Fleury brings in more "discoveries" from her backyard that are edible, or useful, from the "end-of-summer" season.

**August 20** | *Epicureanism*. The Athenian philosopher Epicurus taught that it was possible to be happy without wealth, luxury, hope of an afterlife or faith in gods. Phil Ebersole will lead a discussion.

**August 27** | Janine Casillo will make a presentation. Topic to be announced.

**September 3** | Open discussion or topic to be announced. ❖



## Garden Update

Submitted by Sarah Singal

Planted: bush beans, pole beans, cucumbers, zucchini, radishes, Swiss chard, tomatoes, thyme and peppers. Overwintered: parsley, strawberries, chives. Thanks to Shirley and Melissa for plant donations, and to Pat Stott for starting the tomatoes indoors. This year our veggies will be donated to St Joseph's House of Hospitality. If you have extra plants, we still have a little garden space. And if your harvest is more than you can eat you can donate fresh veggies.

If you would like to join us on Tuesday mornings at 9:15 for an hour or so, just come. If anyone has time we can walk around downtown afterward. Rain dates are Thursday mornings, same time.

We are setting up a composter this year, donated by Karl. The "brown" component can be supplied by shredded newspaper with only black soy-based ink. The Democrat and Chronicle qualifies, although you have to pass up the pages with colored ink. If you are looking for an easy job to get involved in church life, supplying shredded newspaper might be just your thing. Contact Sarah Singal with questions ([ssingal@rochester.rr.com](mailto:ssingal@rochester.rr.com)). ❖

## Book Group

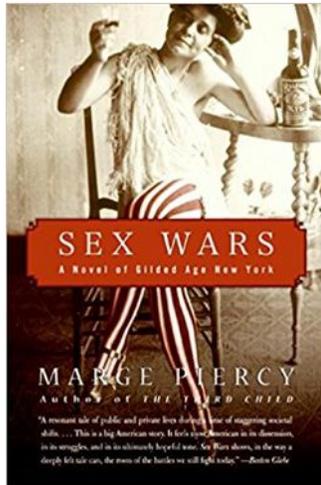
*Submitted by Shirley Bond*

We wanted to give everyone a heads up regarding our book club selection for September: *Sex Wars*, by Marge Piercy.

The author does an excellent job of mixing fiction and history. The time is 1868 and the place is NYC. Plenty of historical figures mix with Piercy's imaginary ones. She is a master of telling immigrants' stories in a believable well-documented way. Stanton, Vanderbilt, Woodhull, and Anthony also play starring roles.

Please join us on Sunday, September 24<sup>th</sup> at 12 noon in the Chalice Room for a lively discussion. See you then! Have a great summer.

Questions? Contact Shirley Bond ([Bondshirl1@gmail.com](mailto:Bondshirl1@gmail.com)) or Sarah Singal ([ssingal@rochester.rr.com](mailto:ssingal@rochester.rr.com)). ❖



## House Committee News

*Submitted by Tom Ruganis*

The Clara Barton Lounge renovation is about to start in earnest. The carpeting is the largest task and is planned for July 17-21. Very minimal disruption is expected on Sundays, however, the lounge will be inaccessible during the work week. **If you need to enter the church building during office hours, please ring the bell at the side doors on Court Street, and the Office Administrator can let you in.** Please do not enter through the parking lot door. Updates regarding this project will be posted on the homepage of the church website at [uuroc.org](http://uuroc.org).

The church sexton has returned from a four month recovery from a severely broken thumb. It is great to have him back! Again, thanks to everyone who assisted during his absence.

More news in the fall!

As always, if you are interested in helping with the planning and maintenance of the building please feel free to contact anyone on the committee. The Committee is currently: Tom Ruganis, Chair ([tom.ruganis@frontier.com](mailto:tom.ruganis@frontier.com)), Sarah Singal, Marcy Klein, Michael Scott, Ed Deller and Shirley Bond. We would love to hear from you! ❖

## Gathering of Men

*Submitted by William Elwell*

What are a bunch of men doing in the woods on a warm summer weekend? First of all, there is more than trees as a beautiful lake, fed by a river, provides canoeing, swimming and kayaking.

But it is not just a gorgeous place to relax and enjoy mother nature; it is a place where men tell stories real and imagined, share personal highs and lows, and spend much of the time in conversation.

Where is this place? The underappreciated Unirondack located in the Adirondacks. Unirondack is a campground with modern amenities. Started in 1951, this facility annually attracts hundreds of Unitarian Universalists in search of renewed spirituality with wide-ranging activities for all ages, especially the young. The dreaded black flies of late May are largely gone by the time the annual Gathering of Men is held. This year, the gathering was renamed the Mark Gathering of Men in memory of Mark Butts, a man who devoted much time and effort to maintaining this annual event. Mark had died in a bicycle accident a year earlier.

Michael Scott, Tom Williams, Steve Farrington, Alex Pita, and Bill Elwell, with three friends from Rochester, made the trip to Unirondack the first week of June. They encourage other men from our church to join them next year. ❖



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