

## EVENTS AT THE HARBOR CHURCH

### Week of April 15, 2018

#### SUNDAY 4/15

10:00 AM Worship

11:00 AM Coffee Hour

11:30 AM Leadership Board

7:00 PM MNP Block Island (Ministerios Nuevo Pacto) Worship

#### MONDAY 4/16

6:30 PM Samaritans of RI: Author talk on addiction and suicide

TUESDAY 4/17: Office hours 2:00 PM – 5:00 PM

1:00 PM Bridge Group

3:00 PM Boy Scouts

#### WEDNESDAY 4/18

1:00 – 5:00 PM Helping Hands food pantry (basement)

#### THURSDAY 4/19

7:00 PM MNP (Hispanic) Worship

FRIDAY 4/20: Office hours 11:00 – 2:00 PM

1:00 PM Bridge Group

6:30 PM Common Ground Coffeehouse: *The Post*

#### SATURDAY 4/21

##### Offshore Group Meetings

4:30 PM Sundays NA

5:30 PM Mondays AA

8:30 AM Tuesdays AA

12:00 Noon Wednesdays AA

8:30 AM Thursdays AA

7:30 AM Fridays AA

4:30 PM Saturdays AA

#### SUNDAY 4/22

10:00 AM Worship

11:00 AM Coffee Hour

7:00 PM MNP–BI Worship

Please join us for a **Coffee Hour** in the Fellowship Hall following the service.

The Leadership Board will meet after Coffee Hour today.

Tomorrow night, April 16, at 6:30 p.m., the **Samaritans of Rhode Island** will host a presentation in the Fellowship Hall featuring Anita Baglaneas Devlin, author of "S.O.B.E.R." a memoir she wrote with her son Michael about his struggle with addiction to opiates and thoughts of suicide. Copies of the book will be available for purchase and signing following the lecture and audience questions and answers. (Light refreshments are needed. Please see Pat Tengwall or Pastor Steve if you can bring something.)

This Friday, April 20, the **Common Ground Coffeehouse** will screen *The Post*, set in 1971 with themes that are timely today. Director Steven Spielberg “offers a tight, lucid and highly satisfying account of the Pentagon Papers from the point of view of the Washington Post and its publisher, Katherine Graham” (*Toronto Globe and Mail*). Critics praised Spielberg’s direction and performances by Meryl Streep as Graham, the first female publisher of a major American newspaper, and Tom Hanks as editor Ben Bradlee, heading an outstanding ensemble cast. The *Washington Post*’s own critic said the movie “The Post’ works on many levels, from polemic and thinly veiled cautionary tale to fun period piece and rip-roaring newspaper yarn.” With all that talent and acclaim, though, the only Academy Award it was nominated for was Best Picture.

April is National Poetry Month. On Friday, April 27, 7:15 p.m., the sanctuary will resound with “**Voices from the Village,**” a celebration of poets and poetry, reciters and readers from the Block Island community (many not usually associated with poetry) will present their favorite poems.

Please sign up in the Fellowship Hall to bring an entrée or dessert for a coffeehouse night, or refreshments for the Samaritans’ program.

Bible study will take a break for April and have another topical lunch series in May.

#### Mark your calendars:

May 5, 11:00 am, memorial service for Jane Lohr in our sanctuary.

May 18, NAMI Block Island’s annual Spring Conference (for Mental Health Month) will kick off at Common Ground Coffeehouse with music by folksinger and therapist Ed McGuirl and the showing of a TED Talk on the conference theme of Depression. Saturday there will be three speakers and a panel at the Island Free Library, 9:30 am to 5:30 pm.

Sunday May 20 & Monday May 21, Walter Hilse, organist, will play in Sunday worship and a give a recital Monday night at 7:30 p.m.