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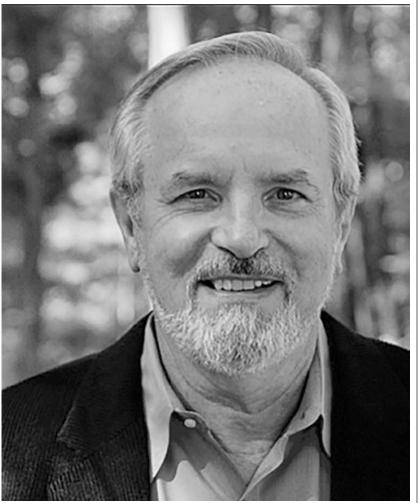
Church of Our Saviour to Host Harp Concert Following Annual Christmas Fair

MILFORD - The Church of Our Saviour in Milford is proud to present "Refresh Your Soul," a harp concert featuring Erica Driscoll at 2:00 pm on Saturday, December 6. The performance will directly follow the church's annual Christmas fair, 9:00 - 2:00.

"Refresh Your Soul" will blend Ms. Driscoll's virtuosic playing with the beauty of the Church of Our Saviour. The church's elegant architecture and stained glass windows provide a picturesque backdrop to the dulcet tones of a harp. The concert is free and open to the public on a first-come, first-served basis. A free-will offering will be collected.

Erica Driscoll is a New Hampshire native. She has studied the harp from the age of nine, earning degrees in music from the Boston Conservatory and Carnegie Mellon University. She performs regularly as a soloist, and in ensembles throughout the northeast. Ms. Driscoll teaches music at her private studio in Rochester, NH, and also works with students at the Manchester School of Music and St. Paul's Academy.

The Church of Our Saviour is an Episcopal parish in Milford open to those seeking a spiritual home or just exploring the life of faith. The church is located at the intersection of Amherst and Grove streets just outside of the Milford Oval, across from the post office. For more information call 673-3309, email office@ coosmilford.org, or visit online at www.facebook.com/COOSMIL-FORD or www.coosmilford.org.



Renowned Local Author Thomas Moore to Speak at UUCM on Soulful Spirituality

Sunday, November 30th at 4pm

We live in times when essence of religion is misunderstood or marginalized. Another way of putting it: Religion has lost its soul. Emerson made the same complaint in 1835, and Emily Dickinson resolved it for herself in beautiful ways. We need a sense of the numinous, the meaningful and the mysterious, or else we lose touch with our humanity. We become like our machines. Our new century calls for a new kind of religiousness, a concrete spirituality that knows how to honor the natural world and the arts, as well as draw effectively and intelligently from the many spiritual traditions.

This presentation by renowned local author Thomas Moore offers specific ways to create such a deep religiousness in modern life, one that combines the holy and the sacred, the eternal and the worldly.

Thomas Moore is the author of the bestselling book Care of the Soul and twenty other books on soul and spirit. He writes regular columns for Resurgence, Spirituality & Health, and the Huffington Post. He has been a monk, a professor of religion and psychology, a musician and a psychotherapist. He lives in the Monadnock region with his wife, artist and kundalini yoga trainer Hari Kirin, and his daughter, recording and kirtan musician Ajeet Kaur. Moore will be recently returned from speaking in Ireland and England. Visit careofthesoul.net for more information about Thomas Moore.

Program begins at 4pm, at Unitarian Universalist Congregation in Milford, 20 Elm Street with a reception immediately following.

Mont Vernon

"Movember"

If you stop by the Mont Vernon Police Department this month or come across an officer around town you may notice something different. Five officers at the Mont Vernon Police Department are not shaving their mustaches for a reason-"Movember".

As a global men's health movement the Movember Foundation challenges men to grow moustaches during "Movember" (the month formerly known as November) to spark conversation and raise funds to research and treat various forms of cancer and mental health problems associated with men's health. Five officers have formed a "Movember" team to help support this cause by fundraising and growing mustaches this month. This cause is per-

sonal to the members of the Mont Vernon Police Department as one of their officers won his battle against cancer last year and is now proudly patrolling the streets again.

This will be the first year that the Mont Vernon Police Department has participated in "Movember". While the officers involved do believe some men look good with mustaches they don't believe they are those men. The officers participating are Chief Furlong, Sergeant Daigneault, Corporal Slavin, Officer Wright, and Officer Reppucci.

Information on the foundation can be found at http://us.movember.com/ and donations can be made through the Mont Vernon Police Department's "Movember" site at MoBro.co/MontVernonPolice

Mont Vernon Village School PTA HOLIDAY RAFFLE

1 for \$2.00 or 3 for \$5.00



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Send check to Mont Vernon Village School PTA		
1 Kittredge Road, Mont Vernon NH 03057		
Tickets will also be on sale at MVVS PTA Breakfast with Santa on		
December 13, 2014 8:30 – 11:00. Drawing will be held at the end of the event that day.		

Church Services

First Baptist Church of Amherst

25 1/2 Middle Street Pastor: Mike Sacco Church Office: 673-4063 Website: www.amherstfirstbaptist.com

Sunday Morning Worship 10:00 a.m For the children Nursery: to age 3; Super Church: ages 4 thru grade 4;

Puppet Ministry: grades 5 through 7 All are welcome to join in the celebration of the redemptive work of Jesus

Congregational Church of Amherst UCC

11 Church Street Senior Pastor Richard Leavitt **Associate Pastor Maureen Frescott** Church office: 673-3231 Web site: www.ccamherst.org

The church is located at 11 Church Street in Amherst Village. For more information, go to ccamherst.org or call the church office at 673-3231.

Christ's Church of Amherst

58 Merrimack Road **Amherst** 673-8292 www.ccnh.org Pastor Darin Shaw

Sunday Morning Worship 10:30 a.m. with Nursery Care up to age 3 years and Children's program 3 years to grade 5.

Messiah Lutheran Church

Rev. Tom Teichmann, Pastor 303 Route 101 PO Box 488 Amherst. 673-2011 (office) 673-7707 (meeting and fax) messiahnh@comcast.net

Worship 9:30 am Sunday School (Sept-May) 10:45 am

St Luke Anglican Church

St. Lukes Anglican Church 3 Limbo Lane, Amherst Rev. Dr. Alexander H. Webb Church office: 672-6054 Website: www.st-luke,amherst.nh.us

All welcome and invited to attend Sunday Worship and Celebration of Holy Eucharist using the Traditional 1928 Book of Common Prayer weekly at 8:30 and 10:00 AM

Church School at 10:00 AM Refreshment & fellowship following the

Weekly Bible Studies: Tuesday Evening Soup & Study, 5;45~7:00PM

Saturday Morning 11:00 AM ~ Noon.

Amherst Christian Church

Corner of Patricia at 134 Hollis Rd. Am-Phone: 672-1541

Sunday Discipleship classes 9-10 Children's class (Grades 1-6) 10-10:30 Worship Service 10:30 Children's church for pre-schoolers during

Childcare provided for infants

St Paul Evangelical Lutheran Church

Craftsman Lane, Amherst **Pastor Peter Korthals** 821-9891 pastor@stpaul-amherst.org

St. Paul Ev. Lutheran Church welcomes you to join us each Sunday for our worship service. Our Sunday Service begins at 9:30 a.m. with our Sunday School at 10:55 and adult Bible study at 11:00. Nursery service is available. Please be our guest as

we celebrate the Lord and all he has done for us. Pastor Peter Korthals 821-9891 pastor@stpaul-amherst.org

Church of Our Saviour, Episcopal 10 Amherst Street

Milford

Phone: 673-3309 E-mail: office@coosmilford.org Website: www.coosmilford.org Interim Rector: Rev. Hays Junkin

Sundays - 8 a.m. Holy Eucharist - 10 a.m. Choral Eucharist Wednesdays - 11:30 a.m. Lectionary

Eucharist followed by bring-your-ownlunch (coffee provided) and a discussion of the week's lessons.

We strive to live the message of Christ, in which all are welcome.

Mont Vernon Congregational Church

United Church of Christ 4 South Main Street Mont Vernon Church Office: 673-3500 (open Tuesday and Thursday from 9 a.m. – 1 p.m. Web site: www.montvernonchurch.org

E-mail: montvernonchurch@montvernonchurch.org Pastor: Rev. Judie Bryant – office hours

Tuesday and Thursday from 10:30 a.m. to 1 p.m., or at other times by appointment. Join us for Sunday Worship at 10:30 a.m. Sunday School is available for children aged 6 and old. Child Care provided for children under 6. All are invited to coffee hour in the Round Room following

House of Prayer every Wednesday from 6:30 to 7 p.m. – everyone is welcome.

Saint Patrick Catholic **Community of Milford** Website: www.ccnh.org Phone: 673-1311 Website: saintpatrickmilfordnh.org

First Church Of Christ, Scientist

103 South St., Milford Sunday Service: 10:30 a.m. Sunday School: 10:30 a.m. Wednesday Meeting: 8 p.m.- Child care available.

Christian Science Reading Room 87 Union Square, Milford Mon. through Fri. 11a.m. - 3 p.m. Sat. 9 a.m. to 12 noon. Wed. 7 p.m. to 7:45 p.m. First Sun. of the Month 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 n.m. Telephone – 673-5274

Email - readingroom@csmilfordnh.org Website - www.csmilfordnh.org

Unitarian Universalist Congregation

20 Elm St.

Milford Rev. Barbara McKusick Liscord, minister. Johanna Seale, Director of Lifespan Religious Education www.uucm.org or call 673-1870. Office Hours Tues 10:30-5, Wed & Thu 1-5 and Fri 10:30-2:30

Please call ahead to ensure availability. Building is secured; ring bell for entry.

UUCM is a liberal religious community and a voice for social justice drawn from diverse traditions. Rev. Barbara McKusick Liscord, Minister; Cyn Fennelly, Director of Lifespan Religious Education. Sunday services begin at 10:30 AM. Childcare (infant to two years) and children's programming is available. Fellowship hour follows each service at 11:45 AM.

The community dinner every 3rd Wednesday from 5:30-6:30pm is free and open to everyone.

Worship Service -November 30, 2014 Soul - It's Not What You 'Think' Linda Goodman

Exploration of the "soul work" of getting self out of the way so that Self may fully manifest.

This Sunday, we explore the landscapes we travel through our dark nights of the

Join us this evening for our program, "The Light Left On" led by Nancy Baker.

St. John Neumann Catholic 708 Milford Road - Rt 101A Merrimack 880-4689

www.sjnnh.org Fr. Chris M. Martel

Weekend Mass: Saturday 5:30pm Sunday 8:00am & 10:00am 6:00pm Labor Day through Memorial

Weekday Mass: 12:15pm

Holy Days: 5:30pm vigil, 12:15pm and

Household of Faith

30 Merrimack Rd. **Amherst** www.hofonline.org

Household of Faith is launching a new Saturday evening service at 6:00pm. The Saturday service is in addition to regular Sunday services at 9:00 and 11:00am. Sundays are increasingly becoming busy for many people. Between sporting events for the kids and employment requirements, Sundays, are no longer a day for just relaxation, church and family. Beyond our need for space as a rapidly growing congregation, our intention is to offer an alternative worship venue for those presently struggling to attend Sunday services due to work and sporting schedules.

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