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Making Meanings

Trying to find the actual Jesus is like trying, in atomic physics,
to locate a submicroscopic particle and determine its charge.

- Morton Smith, *Jesus the Magician*

Who do they say I am?

Who do you say I am?

Jesus of Nazareth to his followers

Rabbi

King of Kings

Liberator

Prince of Peace

Christ, the Anointed One

Son of Man

Prophet

Messiah

Revolutionary

Redeemer

Itinerant Cynic

Faith Healer

Magician

Jewish Peasant

Charismatic

Savior

Pharisee

Essene

Christian teachings. We want them to know our Unitarian Universalist history which has deep and solid roots in the Christian tradition. As we tell our children and ourselves, religious exploration never ends; it is a life-long adventure.

So why not explore who *they* and *we* say this man Jesus was? (Whoever *they* are and whoever *we* are! I suspect *they* and *we* are us.) Why not examine what Jesus scholars – historians, theologians, archeologists, to name only a few – are saying today, and what they've said in the past. Why not read (or reread) some of the best known Jesus stories and some that were excluded? Why not listen to the voices of contemporary followers of Jesus, both liberal and conservative, for clues to the religion founded after his death, at least clues about how it is for some of Jesus' followers today?

Many of us were reared in the Christian tradition. Some were not. Together we bring a vast array of impressions, experiences and knowledge to the table. Some of us still call ourselves Christians – if by that one means we are so inspired by the life and teachings of Jesus that we wish to follow his example. Some of us, like our Unitarian forebears, do not believe that Jesus was God. We think of him as teacher, preacher, prophet, perhaps even social revolutionary.

Join me and a small circle of equals as we ask ourselves questions about Jesus and search for our own meanings through readings, images, music, and our own stories. *The Collegium – Meeting Jesus Again, or for the First Time* will meet on the four Wednesdays in March beginning at 7:30 PM. Participation is limited to ten; registration is required. There will be some advance reading required and some suggested. (See page 4.) March is a good month for exploring, don't you think?

Katie Lee

Why would a group of Unitarian Universalists come together for four weeks to have a conversation about Jesus? Why not?

We UUs expect our children to learn religious literacy here. We teach them about the many sources that inspire us to make meanings for ourselves, among them,

Seekers of the Light



When true simplicity is gained, to bow and to bend we shan't be ashamed. To turn, turn, 'twill be our delight, 'til by turning, turning we come 'round right.
 -Shaker hymn

Level-funding *again*?? In a culture that measures success by expansion, to stay level seems like a privation, or at worst, a precursor to failure. Are we failing if we're not expanding? I don't think so. Sure, RE would love more money. Right now we spend just under \$60 per child per year on RE. Are the children deprived? No. We are frugal, and rich in ways that are not monetary.

Thich Nhat Hanh writes, "Recognize and embrace your sufferings. When you look deeply at your habit energy, with calmness and mindfulness, and shine the light of understanding on your sufferings, your afflictions then become your awakenings. (*Parabola, Winter2006*)." Let's explore our "habit energy."

I grew up on the very bottom edge of the middle class, yet never really felt it. OK, my boyfriend drove a new Saab and most of my friends skied, and some had designer accessories, but so what? My family was smart and frugal. I saw the ballet and symphony for free, because I ushered. I learned to hike, snowshoe and camp. My habit energy became to accept work and find alternatives that strengthened my body, spirit and connections to the larger world. That is the very habit energy of the RE program. Volunteers give time and talent to create the stories and many of the materials we use. They drive and loan their homes for retreats. They bake to feed committee meetings and training sessions. We shop sales, going to the craft store at ungodly hours with fistfuls of coupons. We trade time and energy for money. Is it worth it? Usually.

A friend of mine used to identify handmade things as "made with love." Montessori and Waldorf educators will tell you this love energy flows into the children's experience. Part of RE's habit energy is to create with love and to share with the community. This turning is a delight. And I believe that through it, we come out all right. May it continue to be so.

Love, Tracy

First Parish of Sudbury's Pastoral Associates

Annmarie Allen	Fred Pryor
Audrey Kipp	Karen Reitzi
Linda Lamenza	Bev Waring
Polly Meltzer	

In the event of a pastoral need, please call our minister or any of these Pastoral Associates.

People We Care About



This column seeks to share news (happy, sad, exciting events) of our lives so that we may support each other as we travel this road together. May it be so.

This column is not available in the electronic version of the newsletter. Feel free to call the office for information.

If you have news for this column, send it to Karen Reitzi at reitzi@comcast.net or to the First Parish Office. (office@fpsudbury.org)

Emergency Closing Information

If worship services and other events at First Parish need to be cancelled due to severe weather or other emergency situations, here's how you can find out:

By phone—check the recorded message at the First Parish number, 978/443-2043. Press #1 for General Information. If events for the day have been cancelled, the message on line #1 will state that.

First Parish website—go to www.fpsudbury.org. The front page will show information about the emergency closing.

By radio and television—listen to or watch the WBZ Storm Center (news radio 1030-AM or CBS-TV Channel 4), for the cancellation of our Sunday worship service only. (Other events cannot be listed.)

Worship at the Meeting House



Sunday, January 21, 10:00am
New Member Sunday
 Rev. Katie Lee Crane

We welcome new members and consider what it means to join-by-choice an intentional, voluntary community such as our congregation.



Winter Series: Food for mind, soul and body

For five weeks beginning January 28, members of the First Parish congregation will join the minister in the pulpit to speak about a diverse range of topics. What draws them together is the passion each person brings to the chosen topic, and the opportunity to follow the worship service with a Hearthside Chat and light lunch .



Sunday, January 28, 10am
Moral Values in a Pluralistic Society
 Rev. Katie Lee Crane and Mr. Henry N

In June 2005, Unitarian Universalists across the U.S. and Canada voted to study and act upon the question: How might the moral and ethical grounding of Unitarian Universalism be given greater voice in the public square? UU President, William Sinkford believes, "Moral values grow out of our calling as religious people to work to create the Beloved Community." Not only do we hold ourselves to love our neighbors as ourselves, he explains, but also to ask: "Who is our neighbor?" In June of 2007, the General Assembly of UUs will approve a statement of conscience that reflects three years' of study and action concerning these questions. The worship service will be followed by a conversation with Henry and Katie Lee to review a draft statement with the goal of sending the congregation's feedback to the framers of the statement that will come before the assembly in Portland, Oregon in June.

Saturday, February 3, 4:30pm
Village Worship: Playing in the Depths of Winter

Join us for our monthly informal, interactive worship service for ALL ages. Potluck supper to follow, and the film Groundhog Day will be shown in The Commons at 6:30pm.

Sunday, February 4, 10am
The Bear's Fart
 Rev. Katie Lee Crane with congregants who mark the pagan wheel of the year.

Imbolc is the halfway between the winter solstice and the vernal equinox. In ancient Celtic belief, this cross-quarter day is a time for a "turning of the wheel," when winter begins to give way to the coming of spring. The appearance of the bear from his cave became the signal that spring could not be far behind. The Celtic celebration gave way to the Christian observance of Candlemas or St. Blaise's Day. Crane explains: "In this year when the congregation is dedicating itself to environmental justice and sustainability, we will examine both the ancient earth-centered tradition of Imbolc as well as its evolution into Candlemas and the secular ritual of Ground Hog Day. By looking again at earth-centered traditions, we rediscover the religious roots that call us to environmental justice."

Sunday, February 11, 10am
We Are All Heretics!
 Rev. Katie Lee Crane with Ms. Alorie P

In the first few hundred years after Jesus died, people argued vehemently about how his story should be told and interpreted. By 325 C.E., authorities made certain decisions that set the course of Christian history. Many stories and interpretations were deemed unacceptable and the people who found meaning in those stories were called "heretics." For example, in 1945 more than 50 texts, thought to have been destroyed, were discovered by in Upper Egypt, and have become known as the Gnostic Gospels. None of these texts were included in the scripture we now know as the New Testament. Looking at the larger collection of stories and interpretations of the Jesus stories (some deemed canon; others deemed heretical) Alorie poses this question: Where in *any* of the Jesus stories might we find essential truths that transcend any single belief system or scriptural canon?

Sunday, February 18, 10am
Generosity, Power & Money
 Rev. Katie Lee Crane with Mr. Steve J

In his book, *Creating Congregations of Generous People*, Mike Durall asks: "Should generosity be one of the core values of religious people?" He further asks whether generosity is an essential part of spiritual growth. Must we be generous to fulfill our destiny and take our rightful place in the world? If money is the embodiment of power in our society, does it follow that generosity is weakness? Or is power, like love, growing and flowering only when it is shared freely?

Women's Alliance—Upcoming Events**Potluck and Meeting: Sunday, Jan. 28, 5-8pm**

all women of the parish - members and friends - especially newcomers – are invited to join together for a casual, relaxing pot luck supper and brief meeting at the home of Sue C. We will be discussing our fiscal responsibility towards the future and the present and voting on how shall we save and/or spend Alliance funds. Shared-cost childcare will be provided if you contact Donna Sc, Alliance President, in advance.

Women's Alliance 20th Annual Retreat

Women, do you need time away for introspection, reflection, spiritual renewal? Would you appreciate a weekend of solitude and companionship, fun and laughter, while building community with other women of the parish? If so, the Women's Alliance warmly invites you to the 20th annual Retreat the weekend of March 24-26. No previous participation in any Women's Alliance event required. For more details, speak with Dusty R, Donna S or Bev W at coffee hour and watch for the Alliance Retreat flyer in the entrance lobby. The deadline to sign up is March 10th.

Tracy & Katie Lee to lead district workshop on Intergenerational Worship

On Saturday, February 10 at Bentley College, Our religious educator and minister, Tracy Duncan and Katie Lee Crane, will join of team of other ministers, musicians and religious educators in leading a Mass Bay District workshop on Intergenerational Worship. They will lead two worship services: one that might take place on Sunday morning in the sanctuary and another that features our own concept: Village Worship. The planning team has been working for months to give shape to this event that will consist not only of worship itself, but also of fishbowl discussions that demonstrate the planning process and other conversations about the philosophy and best practices of intergenerational worship. We anticipate that adults and young people from many of the district congregations will be in attendance along with Katie Lee's and Tracy's professional colleagues.

For more information on this workshop and others in the series, go to <http://www.mbdoua.org/programs-events/leadership-growth/the-learning-congregation/schedule/>

If you would like to attend as part of a First Parish delegation, please let either Tracy or Katie Lee know of your intent.

A
Simple
Way



to help
Fir\$t
Parish

Just think. You'll be making a real contribution to FPS and it won't involve meetings or expense, and it will only take a tiny bit of time. Honest!

Whenever you shop online at participating companies you can earn hard, cold, cash for our congregation, at no expense to you. Through SchoolPop and eScrip, each time you shop online, our bonuses add up.

One of our members has earned hundreds of dollars for FPS by shopping this way!!

All you do is sign up at both <<http://SchoolPop>> and eScrip <http://www.escrip.com>, and then when you get ready to shop, log on through SchoolPop and eScrip to shop at one of hundreds of sites, including lots of favorites: Amazon.com, LLBean, Lands End, Dell, Hewlett Packard, Expedia, REI.com, Staples.com, Overstock.com, and many more. First Parish will receive rebates of up to 7-10%.

For both eScrip and SchoolPop, our group name is "First Parish of Sudbury Unitarian."

Jan P, our treasurer, will be glad to help you get set up, if you wish. The signup process won't increase spam on your computer or generate junk mail at home. It is safe and secure.

Make this the New Year's Resolution that you really keep! There aren't many chances to help out First Parish at no cost and negligible effort-let's make the most of these!

Collegium: On Jesus

In March Katie Lee will facilitate a series of conversations about Jesus – the historical figure, the Jesus stories that shape Christianity (and those that were left out), plus personal responses to Jesus by those who are Christian and those who are not. Join a "circle of equals" on the four Wednesdays in March (7, 14, 21, and 28) for conversation augmented by music, visual images, and the personal experiences of those present as well as others.

Attendance will be limited to ten participants. Registration is required and participants are requested to commit to attending all four sessions, barring illness or emergency. Some advanced reading is required. To register, call or send an email to Carolyn L.

The Little Things We Do – *Keeping you informed*

We strive to inform the congregation and community of the many events, activities, and opportunities here at First Parish as well as let you know about changes, additions, postponements and cancellations. We use every means we can: website, print and electronic newsletters, occasional email bulletins, the local newspapers, voice mail announcements, bulletin boards, handouts, posters, flyers, brochures, letters.... and announcements at worship services on Sudbury morning. Different strategies work for different folks, so we try to communicate in as many ways as possible.

One dilemma almost every congregation faces – and we share – is what to announce verbally and when to do it on Sunday mornings: before worship, during worship, after workshop in the Sanctuary, after worship in the Parish Hall, not at all, only in print...? It is a genuine dilemma with no easy solution. No time is perfect. No way reaches everyone. We recognize it's a "little" thing but frustrating when you do not have the information you need when you need it.

During the fall this year, we have been experimenting with having announcements during the worship service, usually just after the young people and their guides leave the sanctuary. The minister and worship associates have determined that this is not working as we had hoped. It interrupts the flow and tone of worship (and making announcements is not worship) and it misses those who have already left the sanctuary to continue religious exploration with the youth.

We ask two things of you: first, we welcome suggestions of what works best for you. What do you rely on (or wish you could) for the information you need? We know from past experience that there simply is not one way that universally works for all but some seem to work better than others. Second, we ask your patience and support during the winter as we experiment with different ways and times to provide spoken announcements on Sunday mornings. We welcome your feedback.

Food & Food for Thought—for those interested in a Free Lunch and Free Exchange of Ideas Tuesday, January 23, 12 noon in The Commons

The Community and Hospitality Committee is sponsoring "Food and Food for Thought". The topic for discussion: "If I can..., I shall not live in vain." Emily Dickenson lists some possibilities. What would yours be? Hope you can join us.

Board of Trustees Report

by Ginny S, Clerk

The Town Center Improvement process is moving right along, with the feedback of the meeting on Sunday, Jan. 7 already in the hands of the Town committee. This meeting was very well attended, with passionate, respectful and thoughtful discussion of many diverse points.

We hope everyone will come to the **Special Congregational Meeting** this Sunday, January 21, when members will vote on our collective response to the current set of possible changes to the intersection adjoining our land.

The Trustees deliberated long and hard to refine the wording of the articles on the warrant for this meeting, knowing that there is a wide range of feelings about some of the changes being considered, and wanting all points of view in our congregation to be fairly represented.

The one **Focus Group** meeting in December had produced many suggestions about **finances and the annual canvass**. The Board was pleased to hear that members of the congregation are paying more attention than in the past to such matters, and encouraged the Canvass committee and the Finance Committee to continue using all possible types of publicity to keep everyone informed. What would you like to know? When would you like to know it? What ideas do you have for keeping our income up and our expenses down?

The Board voted to ask the FinCom to present a **budget for 2007-2008 based on level-funding** from pledges as of June 2006. Because our primary tenants, the Sudbury Extended Day kindergarten program, have been using more of our space, their rental payments will increase. At the same time, there is concern for this happy relationship over the long term, since the Sudbury schools may institute full-day kindergarten within the next few years, which could affect S.E.D.'s rental needs at First Parish.

Katie Lee is applying for a Woburn grant on behalf of several Mass Bay District congregations. If funded, each congregation would invite Emily Melcher, singer/songwriter and candidate for UU ministry, for a two- or three-month part-time residency in the 2007-08 church year. The grant was submitted January 15 and we will know if it is funded by late March or early April.

The next meeting of the Board of Trustees will be on Monday, February 5 at 7:30pm in the Brackett Room. Trustee meetings are open to anyone wishing to attend.

Sudbury Town Center Progress

This fall has seen many meetings of the FPS Town Center Task Force as a committee and with members of the congregation and also with the town's SCIAC committee (see website below.) Each meeting brings new information and an exchange of ideas. At the last meeting with town personnel they presented a report showing that the intersection of Concord Road and Rt. 27 has three times as many accidents as similar intersections in the area. The town has also modified their proposals and even accepted a new one based on suggestions. We now have access to about 15 poster boards with maps, charts, and before and after pictures for various proposals.

We'd like to summarize our understanding of what the town is proposing and what they would like from us. The town is proposing to straighten out Rte 27. This will make it safer by making lanes clearer, especially for left turns, and will include signals specifically for left turns; the town will also include a right-turn lane with a clearer pedestrian crossing. The town is also proposing to align the southbound lane of Concord Road through the intersection. This will probably require First Parish to give up some land, although exactly how much and where will not be known until a survey of the whole intersection has been completed. In addition, the leading town's proposals include a southbound right-turn lane for Concord Road that would take more of the First Parish lawn.

The town is asking our support to do a comprehensive survey of Town Center and prepare the engineering design. They plan to ask for money for these from the Town Meeting in April 2007. Once the survey is done, FPS will negotiate with the town about what land, if any, we would sell and what we should receive in return. The actual land sale would need to be approved by a Congregational meeting, and then approved by the 2008 Sudbury Town Meeting. Giving our support now means that we are willing to work with the town to improve the safety of the intersection.

The FPS task force has been preparing the presentations for the **Special Congregational Meeting on January 21st**. Please contact anyone on the task force for more information. The task force consists of Beth R, Bruce and Marge L, Lee S, Deborah K, Sherri C, Henry N and Jan H.

for more information, see
<http://www.town.sudbury.ma.us/committees/committee_home.asp?dept=sciacy>



Each month in the newsletter, the Green Sanctuary team will suggest a monthly tip on what YOU can do to be a greener—that is, more ecologically-minded--Earth citizen. We welcome your input.

Lose Weight, Save Fuel, Save Money

We have just passed the time of year when many of us gained a little weight. Did you know one can lose weight while helping ourselves become healthier and making our environment greener by reducing the emissions of carbon dioxide, which is the major global warming greenhouse gas?

- ✓ One extra pound of body weight of each passenger in all American non-commercial passenger vehicles could increase gasoline consumption by a total of 39 million gallons of gallons per year, resulting in an increase of nearly one billion pounds of carbon dioxide emitted per year.

Almost one billion extra gallons of fuel per year is used to transport Americans who have become significantly overweight. This translates into an extra 2.7 billion pounds of carbon dioxide emissions per year.

- ✓ Based on the 10 pounds the average American gained during the 1990s (calculated by US Center for Disease Control), airlines need around an extra 350 million gallons more fuel each year.

This extra airline fuel creates an additional 3.8 million tons of carbon dioxide, a major global warming greenhouse gas.

This material is from U.S. News & World Report, 1/1/07, and a recently published paper and research by Prof. Sheldon Jacobson and graduate student Laura A. McLay at University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign.

See www.news.uiuc.edu/NEWS/06/1024auto.html

Family Film and Potluck Supper

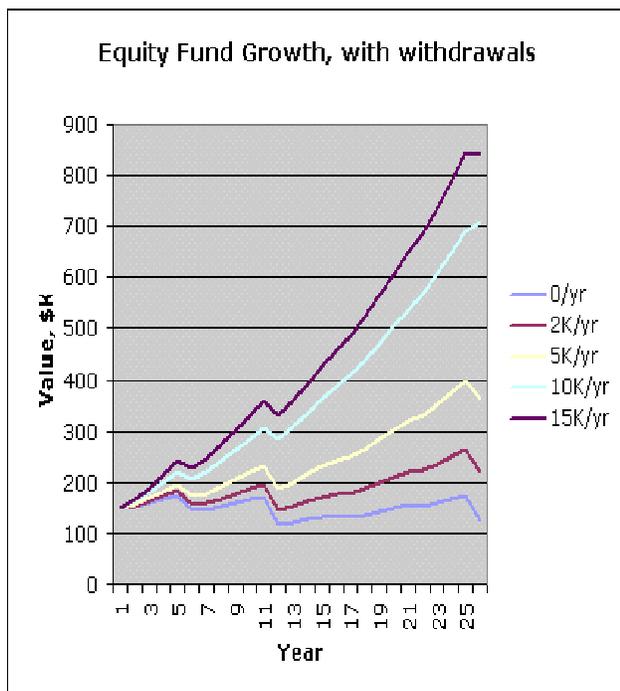
"Groundhog Day", Saturday, February 3, 6:30pm
Per Roger Ebert --"Groundhog Day is a film that finds its note and purpose so precisely that its genius may not be immediately noticeable. It unfolds so inevitably, is so entertaining, so apparently effortless, that you have to stand back and slap yourself before you see how good it really is." More information coming in the late-January ENews Bulletin.

**The Financial Corner – Equity Fund:
What is it? What does it do for us?**

Many of us have expressed interest in the Equity Fund, and concern that we have not added funds to it several times within recent years. The Finance Committee and Trustees share that concern. Some of you would no doubt like to know more about what it is.

In the 1960's after many incidents in which the Parish had to raise money on short notice to fix and maintain the building, the congregation created the Equity Fund, to provide reserves for unforeseen expense. The Equity Fund was to be funded by an annual contribution of 5% of all other expenses. This funding commitment can be waived only by a vote by the congregation. Money from the fund can be spent for major needs which are not covered by the annual budget, and which the Trustees recommend and the congregation approves. This fund has served us well, and has provided funds to paint the Meeting House, replace rotted sills, and repair the steeple, among other projects.

The Equity Fund is invested primarily in conservative mutual funds under the guidance of the Investment Committee. Its current balance is over \$170,000. How does this balance stack up against our projected maintenance needs? The buildings and grounds committee has estimated both annual routine maintenance requirements and longer term expenses such as painting, steeple work, driveway maintenance etc. which will occur on a multi-year cycle over the next 25 years.



This graph illustrates how well the Equity fund would meet these expenses, assuming different levels of annual contribution, along with 5% appreciation and 3% expense inflation. The cases shown illustrate funding all of the identified maintenance (excluding routine annual maintenance) from the Equity Fund, while making annual donations to the fund of 0, 2, 5, 10, and 15 thousand dollars paid from our annual budget.

As you can see, without further contributions, the current Equity Fund may be barely sufficient to meet our projected maintenance needs. Without further contributions, though, the fund will not keep pace with inflation and will not provide protection against unforeseen maintenance costs. This year we are contributing \$1,000 to the Equity Fund, or \$4 per member. (You may remember this fact from the December newsletter.) Boosting the funding to \$15,000 a year equates to about \$60 from each contributing member.

Ted J, Chair, Finance Committee

**First Parish Service Auction Coming Soon
Saturday, February 10 at 6pm**

Donations for exciting goods and services are coming in, but we still need yours. Just go to www.fpsudbury.org and click on the "donate" link, or call Bonnie L and Steve J for help. Invite your friends, and come ready for a great time! Watch for more information coming in the ENews Bulletin.

Community and Hospitality Committee

One Sunday in September we had a "mystery worshipper", who came by prior arrangement with the Mass Bay District of UU Congregations, to assess many aspects of the experience a first-time visitor would have. The report of this visitor was generally very positive, with low marks only for the web site's information about parking. So, first, give yourself a pat on the back for being welcoming and friendly. Second, let any of the greeters or anyone on the Community and Hospitality Committee know if you would like to join the ranks of the officially designated greeters. And third, PLEASE let us know if you could become a "First Parish Friend" to a newcomer or new member. Contact Ginny S or Ginny D.

Personal Photos for Photo Directory: If you did not have your or your family's picture taken by Olan Mills, but you would like to be represented in the directory, please send a digital photo to Ginny S – a.s.a.p. The photo should be of 4" x 6" dimensions, in .jpg format, and of a moderate file size (between 50 and 200 kb).

Faith in Action News

Guest at Your Table has been an important part of Unitarian Universalist Service Committee work, and of UU culture, since 1975. Through this special tradition, Unitarian Universalist communities celebrate the worth and dignity of all people and learn how to put these values into action.

The UUSC's response to the tragic events of September 11th, outreach to Katrina victims, and work in supporting the Democratic Republic of Congo, India, Mexico, Afghanistan and other countries, struggling to improve their human rights situation, are but a few of ways that we support our larger community through the Guest at Your Table program. The experience of families learning together through sharing this way has built lasting connections to UU values for generations of UUs.



Find your boxes (and fill them)! We will be collecting contributions made to your Guest at Your Table boxes on **Sunday February 4**. You can help us surpass last year's "best ever" response by generously filling your box. Please bring it and a check made to UUSC for the amount you and your family has collected throughout the holidays. Boxes will be collected during service on February 4. If you have any questions, please call Carol Jerry.

About some people we've been helping:

•The formerly homeless mother of five who lives in Sudbury has now been in the United States long enough to apply for citizenship, and she has done so. She works as a health care worker in a nursing home and is so thankful for the help we have given her along the way that she provided our very beautiful Sunday morning floral arrangement on January 7.

•The lifer in Norfolk Prison we've been mentoring earned a B+ in his course in cultural anthropology, one of three college courses he must complete before being accepted into BU's college program for prisoners.

•M.B., the Algerian refugee, who with his wife and child is being helped through our participation in the Refugee Immigration Ministry (RIM) program, has been cleared to seek employment. He is a safety engineer and, although he would love to work in his field, is eager to get work of any kind. Mansouria, his wife, has a new job as a nanny for a family in the Back Bay where she will be teaching the children about the Koran and Islam. It is a great opportunity for her. Since her job is in the Back Bay, there are a few possible commutes for her: the Lincoln train station, though that is pretty expensive; the Green Line which goes to Back Bay; or to Alewife and she could hook to the Green Line from there. If you know anyone who makes any of these commutes, please let Beth Rust know.

Sharing The Plate with Unitas On Sunday, February 11, 2007 we will Share the Plate with the Transylvanian Unitarian organization called UNITAS. While visiting Transylvania last summer, Katie Lee met the Rev. Eniko Szabi, a Unitarian Minister, who inaugurated this fledgling initiative. UNITAS began, following the fall of the Soviet-backed regime, when "benefits," including employment disappeared overnight. It became difficult for women in particular to find jobs, and thus to find and afford services for the health and welfare of themselves and their families.

UNITAS is a private social service agency to help women help themselves and each other. It has no government or even denominational support; it depends entirely on private donations. Watch for further information about UNITAS in the late January ENews Bulletin.

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We embrace diversity and, as a Welcoming Congregation, are intentional about welcoming the presence and participation of gay, lesbian, bisexual, and transgender persons in all aspects of congregational life.

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