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### Greetings!

The Vermont Conference sends this newsletter of events of interest to Conference members. This newsletter provides highlights of events sponsored by the Conference, the Associations and local churches as well as regional, national and other events of interest.

This newsletter is emailed on the 1st and 3rd Thursday each month. Please send us your events by emailing [vtconference@vtcucc.org](mailto:vtconference@vtcucc.org) with the following information: Event Name & Brief Description, Date/Time, Location (complete address please), Contact Information, if any (name, phone and/or email).

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Event items are due that day, by 9:00 am.

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### Association Events

#### Events and Meetings

**[Save the Date for the Vermont Conference, UCC and Partners for Sacred Places presents: Fall Vitality Event 2017](#)**

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### Music at the Meetinghouse presents...

Summer Solstice Celebration  
Benjamin Kulp, Cello, and Victoria Nooe, Piano  
**This Saturday, June 24, at 3:00 pm**  
Sanctuary, First Congregational Church of Lebanon

We are delighted to host this concert as part of Upper Valley Music Center's Hanover Street Music Festival-and we celebrate UVMC's relocation as our new neighbor! The program includes music of J. S. Bach, Richard Strauss, and Samuel Barber. General admission \$15 (no advance purchase necessary), children under 18 free. For more on this program, please visit <http://campaign.r20.constantcontact.com/render?m=1101395646236&ca=19d863aa-e4d1-4bcd-907b-9140984990e3>.



### Conference

### Events

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The Ordination of Lynn Wickberg at Christ's Church in Saxton's River on Sunday, June 25, 2017

## UCC Outdoor Ministry Camps

### Events at Churches Education, Dinners, Concerts, More

#### Community Supper

Every Friday, 6 pm at the United Church of South Royalton

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**Essex Eats Out Community Dinners**  
Continue... 1st Friday of Every Month  
[www.essexeatout.org](http://www.essexeatout.org)

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**The United Congregational Church of Orford UCC** is pleased to announce hosting of a pilot dental clinic.

Free Oral Health Screening For Adults  
Upper Valley Smiles for  
Life preventative oral health screening, education, and fluoride varnish to adults. Services are provided by a licensed dental hygienist.

July 20, 2017

For more information, schedule updates, and to make an appointment, please contact Sally Edson at 603-448-1558 [orsedson@gcsc.org](mailto:orsedson@gcsc.org)

Sponsored by the Public Health Council of the Upper Valley,  
Dartmouth-Hitchcock Community Health,  
and Dr. Christopher D. Baker, DMD.ovidex

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Summer is one day closer, and now you can register for your best week of the summer! Horton Center registration is now open, take a look at the schedule, as there is a session for everyone. With thanks to our Outdoor Mission Group and volunteer Deans, we are offering favorite sessions such as Grandparent & Grandchild, Family & Friends Weekend, Middler Camp, and others. Women's Weekend will be offered with an extra day due to popular demand. Our new offerings include a Family 4th of July half week, Leader in Training, Archery Camp, and Senior High Hike Week. We can't wait to branch out and connect Christ with you this summer at Horton Center!

[www.hortoncenter.org](http://www.hortoncenter.org)

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#### Alzheimers and Dementia

The AD church: The Greater Hartford United Church of Christ, at 1721 Maple St. (Route 14) in Hartford Village, hosts an interdenominational worship service, created for those living with Alzheimers or dementia and their caregivers/families.

It is held the first Sunday of every month, beginning at 1:30. It features a short message, traditional hymns, the Lord's Prayer, and Communion. The service is followed by refreshments and social time.  
All are welcome. 802-295-9635.

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## About Us

The Vermont Conference is about "Equipping congregations for Christ's ministry and mission today and tomorrow".

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Jim Thomas

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