

FELLOWSHIP

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“Life requires movement”

—Aristotle



UUFC WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENTS

September 17, 2017

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 17

9:30 AM Childcare available
Worship Service

11:00 AM Childcare available
Worship Service
RE Classes

Join us after the services in the Social Hall for coffee and conversation. Introduce yourself to someone you don't know.

The Fellowship Care and Support team listeners are available for anyone looking for support. Ask at the greeter desk.

NEW TO THE FELLOWSHIP? CONTACT
OUR FIRST STEPS COORDINATOR,
ELONA MEYER (elonameyer@msn.com).

BECOME A MEMBER
OF THE UUFC!

Our next MEMBERSHIP CLASS meets
in OCTOBER. Sign up at the welcome
table in the foyer.

*Help us to live with courage, love
with faith, and laugh with hope.*

Visit the UUFC website to WATCH
recordings of previous
SUNDAY SERVICES!

www.uucorvallis.org/?page_id=239

Worship | Two worship services at 9:30 and 11:00 AM

Sept. 17 “Gonna Keep on Moving Forward” Rev. Jill McAllister

Last year we struck out boldly to be brave in hard times. This year we must keep going! What will we need to stay on this road, to embrace the whole journey? I think faithfulness will be very important. (And I don't mean believing in things that aren't true.) Special music from Portland pianists Ashlee Young and Stephanie Cooke.

RE Sessions for children and youth begin today, 11 AM.

Next week | Two worship services at 9:30 and 11:00 AM

Sept. 24 “To Live a Committed Life” Rev. Jill McAllister

The religious life, when fully lived, is much more than intellectual stimulation or contemplation. The religious life is a committed life, involving all our relations and all our actions. Spirituality is just part of it. Intention, action and reflection are required as well. Where are you on this path?

CONNECT UP: Sign up on September 24th to participate in or to host an activity in OCTOBER! Questions: contact Wendy Sutton: connect@uucorvallis.org. Visit Connect Up on the UUFC website http://uucorvallis.org/?page_id=3776. October events will be posted shortly after the Sign Up.

The UUFC Choir has resumed practices for the coming church year. We meet on Wednesday evenings at 7 PM. All singers are welcomed! Contact David Servias with questions: music@uucorvallis.org.

THE SOCIAL JUSTICE/OUTREACH OFFERING THIS MONTH WILL GO TO MCKINNEY HOMELESS EDUCATION PROGRAM

HAPPENING SOON

~Sign Up to Light the Chalice on Sundays

The Chalice Lighter sign-up list is posted outside Jill's office door. Children, youth, and adults are welcome to light the chalice. We need at least one person for each service. You can also send an e-mail to Jill if you'd like to be added to the list -- please note the date and time (9:30 or 11 AM) you're available.

~ Weekday Childcare Help Needed

We are looking for at least one person who can take care of Shanti and Josh, the children of Blaise Ntakarutimana and Gisele Akimana, (our Burundian refugee family) when Gisele begins English classes at LBCC on Sept. 25. Mondays or Tuesdays from 8:15 am - 1:30 pm, for 10 weeks. If you're interested, please let Jill know.

~ Adult RE sessions: The Six UU Sources of Wisdom

Members of the Adult RE team are handing out cards with the UUA Principles and Purposes on them, today. These cards are a small and handy reminder of the 7 Principles and the 6 Sources of Unitarian Universalism. Last year, each of the 7 principles was explored in a Sunday afternoon discussion group. This year, all are invited to join in similar discussions of the 6 sources of wisdom and inspiration.

~ Help Make the Holiday Bazaar Happen This Year!

Planning meeting next Sunday, September 24, 12:30 PM. All are invited.

FELLOWSHIP CONNECTIONS

Come join a Connect Up gathering -

~Today! Sunday Sept 17, 3-5pm
Make origami boxes with Dororthy Sowell contact d.j.sowell@comcast.net

~Wednesday Sept 27, 6:30pm Join the discussion of Monique and the Beautiful Mango Rains by Kris Hollo-way with the book club in the UUFC library. Contact connect@uucorvallis.org

UU VOICES FOR JUSTICE (UUVfj)

Statewide Annual Meeting at UUFC Sat, Oct. 14, 10 AM -4 PM. UUVfj is a state-wide advocacy network mobilizing Oregon UU's to work for public policies that embody our UU principles of justice, equity, compassion in human relations and global stewardship. Through education, advocacy and action UUVfj champions legislation consistent with UU values, and is one of Oregon UU Voices for fifteen statewide UU advocacy networks nationwide. Anyone interested in statewide justice work is invited to attend. Can you provide home hospitality for someone traveling a long way? (Oct. 13 and/or 14th). If so, please contact: Elizabeth Sollie, intern@uucorvallis.org.

*"Be Faithful in small things because it
is in them that our strength lies."*

-Mother Teresa

THE WEEK AHEAD: SEPT 18 - SEPT 23

Monday, Sept 18

7:00 PM | 7

Shawl Ministry

Tuesday, Sept 19

6:30 PM | 9

Life Raft Corvallis

Parents, family members and friends dealing with a loved one's drug addiction are welcome to come share a confidential discussion. Qu

Wednesday, Sept 20

1:00 PM | N. Coop

Women's Lunch Bunch

Friendly conversation with women of the Fellowship. Contact: Elizabeth Waldorf (dewaldorf@comcast.net).

ALL DAY | UUFC

Beit Am High Holy Days

The Beit Am community will be renting the UUFC most of Wednesday and Thursday for Rosh Hashanah.

12-10PM

Thursday, Sept 21

ALL DAY | UUFC

Beit Am High Holy Days

8AM-4PM

Friday, Sept 22

7:30 PM | 7

Kirtan/Mediation Group

PLAN AHEAD: September 28

6:00 PM | SH/K

First Leadership Supper

The Committee on Ministry will once again sponsor three working suppers, inviting all Fellowship leaders of teams, circles, events, tasks and councils. Communicating and coordinating our work makes real shared ministry possible.

FELLOWSHIP CONNECTIONS

SHARING THE HARVEST

Do you have extra garden produce to share? Bring it on Sundays, to the bench outside the Firwood Drive entrance to the UUFC, for sharing and exchange. Leftovers will be delivered to a food bank.

UU 101 - MEMBERSHIP INTRO

For all who are interested in becoming members of the UUFC, the first orientation sessions of the year will take place on Saturday Oct. 14 and Sunday Oct. 15. We'll introduce and welcome new members (who have joined since last spring) on Sunday, Oct. 29.

HELP WANTED! GREETERS NEEDED!

Here's an opportunity to practice inclusivity, warmth, open arms, and smiles, lots of smiles. Become a UUFC Greeter, extending hospitality to all who enter our doors. You will find that this is an immensely satisfying experience. It's more important than ever! Contact Chris at Lchrisbentley@gmail.com or 541-602-0966.

UUFC MEN'S RETREAT

Fri – Sun October 20 - 22.

For information and registration, visit the UUFC website (http://uucorvallis.org/?page_id=2660) or contact Lloyd Wagenschutz, 541-753-9071.

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OPENING WORDS Sunday, Sept. 17, 2017

We gather as seekers of truth, of wisdom, of justice and of peace – humans persons together with all that lives, here on this blue planet, alive in the Universe. We gather as a religious congregation, a community of memory and a community of hope, to celebrate Life and its infinite possibilities for Love. We bring all that we are, all that we carry, and all that we hope for. In our gathering may we find both comfort and inspiration, and may we find courage to let more love live through us into the world.

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WANT TO INCLUDE AN ANNOUNCEMENT IN THE WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENTS?

If you would like to include an announcement for your group, please email them by Wednesday to office@uucorvallis.org with the subject line: weekly announcement.

NEED TO CONTACT US?

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SUMMER HOURS
Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday
10:00 AM - 2:00 PM

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