

We, the member congregations of the Unitarian Universalist Association, covenant to affirm and promote:

1. **The inherent worth and dignity of every person**
2. **Justice, equity, and compassion in human relations**
3. **Acceptance of one another and encouragement to spiritual growth in our congregations**
4. **A free and responsible search for truth and meaning**
5. **The right of conscience and the use of the democratic process within our congregations and in society at large**
6. **The goal of world community with peace, liberty, and justice for all**
7. **Respect for the interdependent web of all existence of which we are a part.**

Explore. Love. Act.

We gather as an inclusive religious community to search for meaning, build deep connections, and inspire action toward a better world for all.

Upcoming Summer Services

July 12 – New World Kirtan Band

July 19 – Ann Mbacke

July 26- Rev. Jill McAllister

Aug. 5- Wolfgang Dengler

Summer Fun for Children

July 12 – Art Projects

July 19 – Connectedness, Kim Henry and Julie Graves

July 26 - TBD

Unitarian Universalist Fellowship of Corvallis

Summer Sunday Services



July 12, 2015
10:00 AM

Kirtan, with the New World Kirtan Band

2945 NW Circle Blvd., Corvallis, OR 97330
www.uucorvallis.org 541-752-5218
Minister: Jill K. McAllister

Introduction to the service:

Summer Sunday Services at UUFC are slightly shorter and a bit more informal than services in September through mid-June. They are planned by the Worship committee with our minister, Jill McAllister, and are led by members of the congregation, with help from the Worship Committee, the Director of Music, Audio/Visual volunteers, and the Membership Committee.

This year our summer Sunday focus is “Spiritual Practice and the Ordinary.” We often think of “the spiritual” and “spiritual practice” as something outside of ordinary daily life, something quite different from cleaning and grocery shopping and paying bills, for example. Yet those activities affect ourselves and our souls in many ways. Could it be that nothing is wasted? That everything we do is a chance to see more clearly?

If you are new to the Fellowship, please know that you are welcome to actively participate in these services, and that you are also welcome to simply listen. We hope that all who join here today will take a few minutes to introduce themselves to others, and stay for light refreshments following the service.

ORDER OF SERVICE

July 12, 2015

Welcome Wolfgang Dengler, Worship Committee

Opening Words (Read together)

We gather in search of wisdom, inspiration, and comfort.
We gather to be reminded that we are not alone, and that how we live makes a difference, for ourselves and for the world.
We gather with hope, with joy, with pain and sorrow.
We gather in the service of love.

Opening Song: “*This Day We Come*” Carolyn McDade
“This day we come once more together, as winds of earth call forth our names. My people, all, from the strength of this circle, may we come rejoicing, determined, united in love of life again.” (Repeat)

Lighting of the Chalice

Introduction to *Kirtan*

Kitzie Stern

Chants

Om
Ganesha
Jaipur Hare Krishna

The Offering and Special Music

Baba Hanuman

Giving Thanks for All That Sustains Us

“From the countless gifts we each have been given, gifts of life and love and sustenance, we bring these small portions, to share in the works of love which none of us can accomplish alone.”

Announcements

Closing Words (Read Together)

May the blessing of truth be upon us, the power of love direct and sustain us, and the strength of this community preserve our going out and our coming in, until we meet again.

Closing Chants:

Om Mane Padme Hum
Lokah Samasta Sukino Bhavantu (May all beings find peace)

This month's Social Concerns Collection, and after-service bake sales support the Vina Moses Center, a local non-profit organization "providing clothing and household items to low income families of Benton County since 1918. Please give generously.

Piano: David Servias, Director of Music
Kirtan Accompaniment: New World Kirtan Band
Flowers: Roberta Smith
House Manager: Russ Anderson

Please stay following the service for refreshments and to greet one another, in the social hall.

Today, July 12, 2015

~10:00 a.m. Childcare and Children's Activities available
 ~11:00 a.m. Stay after the service for refreshments and greetings
 ~11:30 a.m. All who attended the UUA General Assembly in Portland and who were unable to meet last week after the service, are invited to gather to share notes and ideas. In the Gallery following the service.

This week at UUFC:

Summer Office Hours: Tues., Wed., and Thurs 10:00a.m. -2:00 p.m. through July and August.

Mon. July 13 Board of Trustees, 6 p.m.

Wed. July 15 Newsletter deadline

Submit all items for the August newsletter to news@uucorvallis.org

~6:00 PM Weekly Potluck, Social Hall

Bring a dish (with a list of ingredients) to share. All are welcome.

~7:00 PM Escalating Inequality Film and Discussion Series, Rm 7

Escalating inequality is the 2014-2018 UUA Congregational Study/Action Issue. All are welcome to learn and discuss together.

Fri. July 17 10:30 AM Insight Meditation, Rm 9

A practice originally taught by the Buddha. No experience is required.

~7:00 PM Kirtan Chanting & Meditation Circle, Rm 7

Sat. July 18 UU Path Class, 9:00 AM, Social Hall

Second in the 3-part Path to Membership classes for newcomers.

Registration is required. Sign up at the Welcome Table.

Next Sunday, July 19, 2015:

~10 a.m. Ann Mbacke "What Don't You Know?"

~11 a.m. Membership Class, 11:00 AM, Library

Third in the 3-part Path to Membership classes, for those interested in becoming members of the UUFC. Sign up at the Welcome Table.

Plan Ahead:

Sun. July 26 Rev. Jill McAllister

Wed. August 5 Open Discussion "Religious Growth and Learning and Spiritual Practices" What do you do? What do you need? Come learn from each other.

Sun. August 9 Drop-in Choir, 9:15 AM, Sanctuary

All are welcome to come learn a song to be part of the service.

August 29 Annual Rummage Sale. Deliver goods now to Room 8 and (larger items) 6C. Need someone to haul larger items? Call Virgil Agnew at 541.758.3658.

Om

Ganesha

Ganapate Om

Jai Ganesha, Jai Jai Ganesha

Jaipur Hare Krishna

Hare Krishna Hare Krishna

Krishna Krishna Hare Hare

Hare Rama Hare Rama

Rama Rama Hare Hare

Om Mane Padme Hum

Baba Hanuman

Hare Rama Rama Ram, Sita Ram Rama Ram

Lokah Samasta

Lokah Samasta Sukino Bhavantu

May All Beings Be At Peace

Escalating Inequality Film and Discussion Series

This topic was selected by the 2014 General Assembly as the 2014- 2018 Congregational Study/Action Issue. The Study Guide provides Unitarian Universalist congregations with materials and guidance for beginning or deepening their exploration of economic justice, helping to navigate this complex and inspiring subject with many ways to engage at personal, congregational, local, state, national, and global levels.

Summer Schedule: Wednesdays at 7:00 PM, July 8th, 15th, 22nd and 29th. *Discussions continuing* Fall/Winter beginning Sept. 21st: every other Monday at 7:00 PM.

Location: UUFC room 7. Contact Ann Mbacke for more information (reassociate@uucorvallis.org, 541-752-5218 ext. 226).

WELCOME VISITORS! Please stop at the information desk in the foyer to find out more about this Unitarian Universalist congregation.
The UUFC depends on the contributions of its members and friends for support. Those wishing to make a donation may do so during the offering, or in one of the wooden boxes located near the doors to the foyer.
SUMMER OFFICE HOURS: Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday 10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.