

U N I S O N



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A Welcoming Congregation

PLAN THIS SUMMER AT UUMAC

“IT’S ABOUT THE PEOPLE!”

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The Unitarian Universalist Mid-Atlantic Community (UUMAC) '16 will be held **July 10-16 near Allentown, PA.**

ACTIVITIES ARE APPROPRIATE FOR AGE AND INTEREST

Just a short drive away from us and you enter a world of UUs ready to learn, play, perform, go to activities or hang out with friends and family. Activities include day and evening, both at DeSales University or off campus for special excursions, trips, and evening activities.

Want first-hand information? Contact members Ann Andrex <andrexes@comcast.net> or Sabrina Smith <skeisch@msn.com> to ask them about their experiences.

Read more about UUMAC on p.9.



Plant a seed—someday, maybe this summer—surround yourself with Unitarian Universalists on vacation. It is a new and wonderful world.

SUUSI

We have enjoyed several vacations at the Southeastern UU Summer Institute held on a college campus. Our family happily participated in painting, learning, caving, canoeing, hiking, studying, birding, play reading — and partying. Our son attended spelunking and sky diving, among other activities. Now our daughter is going herself, a dream vacation this year including two hikes, white water rafting, river kayaking, tubing, moonlight horse back ride, wine tasting and . . .

Programs are designed for all ages: teens have their own building and program, as do families with small children (always leaving time for the parent[s] to choose worship, workshops, and activities of their own). In the evenings those who wish to extend the day can enjoy entertainment shared by the many gifted performers also at SUUSI.

Get all the details and take a look at the lodgings, food, programs, location by clicking here: [SUUSI!](#)
~~Tibby Middleton



Off the coast of New Hampshire is a quiet, reflective, warm, historic UU island. No one goes to Star Island who does not come home a refreshed and enlightened person.

Follow this link to see what camps are offered this summer: [Happiness](#).



SPRING INTO ACTION WITH SOCIAL ACTION



ICE CREAM GALA



Sunday, May 22, 11:30am

Let's eat ice cream! The Social Action Committee (SAC) will again host the *Spring Into Action with Social Action Ice Cream Gala*, showcasing the Social Action work of the past year. Look at the displays as you enjoy at no charge your ice cream and toppings served by the Wednesday evening Chalice Community. As an added treat, light *hors d'oeuvres* will be for sale, sponsored by the Animal Ministry.

Do you want to get your word out? The SAC invites your displays if you are a former split-plate recipient or a UUCF group wanting to publicize your activity. If you want a table or 1/2 table for handouts, posters, or exhibit, contact SAC co-chairs [Mary Kruhm](#) or [Betsy Bainbridge](#). Click on their names for direct contact.



HOT WEATHER POTLUCK SOCIALS AHEAD!

1) On Sunday, June 26 at 11:30am - (right after the single summer service) - UUCF is holding a "SUMMER SALAD SOCIAL." Everyone is asked to bring some type of salad to share. It can be anything from a green salad to a shrimp Caesar salad, a chicken salad, or potato, or you-name-it! We ask that you sign up in the Atrium in the sign-up book we will have there starting in late May, so that we can make adjustments if there is not a balance of salads on the list. If the weather cooperates, we will all eat outside on tables. So please Save the Date!"

2) By July, it might be too hot to eat anything besides Watermelons! So on Sunday, July 31 at 11:30am, we will hold a "WATERMELON SOCIAL." The idea is for people to bring watermelons, or dishes that feature watermelons, such as salads or even cold watermelon soup. We will have PLENTY of paper towels for everyone! Please Save this Date too!

We need more Volunteers to help on the Social Events Committee. Please contact Nancy Roblin at nancy.roblin@gmail.com, or (301) 662-8506 if you wish to join this fun committee or can assist in any way.

I hope you are all enjoying the warming weather. It's hard to believe that summer is almost here. With that seasonal shift, we will be moving to **one service at 10:30 a.m. on Sunday, May 22** through Sunday, September 4. We'll return to two services at 9:30am and 11:30am. on the Sunday after Labor Day. Thank you to everyone who has helped make our two services a success this year, especially our choir for generously agreeing to sing at both services twice a month!

CARL'S COLUMN

Rev. Carl Gregg



Speaking of the choir, a few people have asked me recently about occasional applause in the service in response to music. There are a few different ways of thinking about this. Most importantly, the applause is in response to our music program's continuing growth in both number of musicians and excellence in performance.

Also, as can often happen in UU congregations, differences of opinion can arise from what is known as Intercultural Conflict: different cultures and backgrounds perceiving different customs as appropriate or inappropriate. We're such a "big tent" that there are many different legitimate ways of responding to the moving and meaningful music that we so often hear on Sunday mornings.

Some of you respond to a particularly moving musical piece with a hearty "Amen!" Others by holding up your hands and twisting them a couple of times (which is the American Sign Language indication of "silent applause.") Still others feel moved to applaud. I would never want any of these responses to feel forced or obligatory, but when a piece of music moves you deeply, there are many different appropriate ways to respond spontaneously in the moment, depending on one's background and culture.

Most of all I'm grateful for the many incredibly talented musicians who generously share their gifts and talents with us each Sunday morning, and I'm grateful as well to be on this journey with all of you.

Peace to you,

Carl

<minister@frederickuu.org>



Sunday Service Time to Shift to Summer Schedule

On Sunday, May 22 we'll be moving to the summer schedule of One Service at 10:30am (through Labor Day Weekend).

Following the May 22nd service, stay for the annual congregation-wide "**Spring into Action with Social Action Ice Cream Gala**" hosted by our Social Action Committee.

SUNDAY SERVICES

ATTENTION!
Note Change in Time

Worship Services

9:30 and 11:30am, May 1 through 15
10:30am, May 22 and through the summer

- May 1:** *Pluralistic Ethics in a World of Strangers*, the Rev. Dr. Carl Gregg
May 8: *Founding Mothers of our Faith: Julia Ward Howe*, the Rev. Dr. Carl Gregg
May 15: *Buddha's Brain*, the Rev. Dr. Carl Gregg
May 22: *Transitions Sunday*, the Rev. Dr. Carl Gregg
May 29: *American Civil Religion*, the Rev. Dr. Carl Gregg



UU PROGRESSIVE CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP

Progressive, 21st century Christian thought is not bound to pre-modern, pre-enlightenment beliefs, but incorporates post-modern cosmology into spiritual experience and practice.

Beginning in September 2016, we will pivot from a Sunday morning worship format to a seminar/study model.

UU Progressive Christians are followers, not worshipers of Jesus. In a multi-racial, multi-cultural world, understanding the underlying theology of liberation in the Black Church and Hispanic traditions is crucial. We will explore the scholarship of the Westar Institute (Jesus Seminar); liberation theology, and the theological innovation of Rev. Dr. Matthew Fox's Creation Spirituality, which views the Earth itself as the manifestation of the Cosmic Christ.

The day, time, and place for this study group will be determined by those interested in participating. Please contact Sea Raven (searaven.morse@gmail.com).

Progressive Christian Fellowship will no longer be meeting on First Sundays at 10:45am.



UUCF BUDDHIST FELLOWSHIP

Please Note Summer Schedule Change

We continue to meet the second and fourth Sundays of the month and are currently reading together *The Heart of the Buddha's Teaching* by Thich Nhat Hanh. Various members of the group take turns facilitating discussion.

May 8 the group meets at 10am for meditation followed by discussion around chapters 12, 13 and 14.

Summer schedule: Beginning on May 22, the Buddhist Fellowship will change its meeting time to 9am for meditation and 9:30 - 10:15am for discussion to accommodate UUCF's summer scheduling.

Newcomers are always welcome to attend and to participate. If you would like to be added to the email list for reminders of UUCF Buddhist Fellowship meetings and relevant information, please send your request to buddhist@frederickuu.org.

~~Nancy Hutchins



EARTH-CENTERED SPIRITUALITY

Our Earth-centered Spirituality Group meets on the 3rd Sunday of each month (May 15) in the Chapel from 10:30 to 11:15am. This time provides an opportunity to focus on the Sixth Source of Unitarian Universalism: "Spiritual teachings of earth-centered traditions which celebrate the sacred circle of life and instruct us to live in harmony with the rhythms of nature." Join us for our May meeting (led by Cat and Irene) as we honor the energy of Spring.

Contact: Irene Glasse (irene.glasse@gmail.com)
(240) 405-6389.

UUCF GROUPS

FRIENDLY FORUM

10:30 to 11:20am

9:30 to 10:20am beginning May 22

Each Sunday the Friendly Forum meets in room 113 for 50 minutes to discuss Congregational and/or Current Events.

AHA

ATHEISTS, HUMANISTS, AGNOSTICS

First and Third Sundays, 12:45pm; Chapel
Always challenging discussions!

Phyllis Liddell at phyllis.elaine@comcast.net

RECOVERING RELIGIOUS REFUGEES, RUNAWAYS AND REBELS

Second and Fourth Sundays 12:45-2pm; Room 124

Join our discussion group May 8th and 22nd as we begin discussions including the following topics:

“Fairness in Relationships, “Paradox,”
“Expectations,” and “Sexism.”

- Nancy Pace, facilitator

COVENANT OF UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST PAGANS

Beltane Celebration & Picnic

Join Frederick CUUPS for an open, family-friendly Beltane Celebration! Beltane, the first day of May, celebrates the increased warmth of the Sun and growing fertility of the Earth. Join us for an open Maypole Dance at 10:30 am (hand drummers welcome!). Both 9:30 and 11:30 am services will feature offerings appropriate to the holiday. Bring a picnic lunch to enjoy after the 11:30 service as we take in the beauty of the season in each other's company.

Date: 1 May 2016 Time: 10:30am to 2:00pm

Contact: Irene Glasse (irene.glasse@gmail.com)
(240) 405-6389

Full Moon Labyrinth Walk

Come enjoy the beauty and peace of the Labyrinth by the light of the full moon! The labyrinth will be illuminated from 8 pm till 10 pm. Everyone is welcome. Weather permitting, this will be an outdoor, drumming walk. The first hour will be a quiet walk, the second hour drumming, so feel free to bring hand drums and other percussion instruments. If you haven't walked a Labyrinth before, there is no ceremony or ritual. We put out the little flickering LED tealights and keep the space open.

Date: 21 May 2016. Time: 8:00pm to 10:00pm.

Contact: Irene Glasse (irene.glasse@gmail.com)
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Can You Smile? Can You Say “Welcome”?



Of course you can. And we would love to have you join the ranks of greeters on Sunday morning before the service to do those two things. Maybe you don't have the time to come to meetings or events during the week, so here is a way to contribute to our community happiness and success on Sunday, the day that you will be at church anyway!

You can help make others feel as welcome as you do when you come to church on Sunday. It only takes a smile and a welcome. And you've got those.

Contact Susan Berte at susanjb52@gmail.com or [301-788-2325](tel:301-788-2325). Thank you for all you do for UUCF — or for all you *will* do at UUCF. It's all about community.

Get to know some of our new members

On Sunday, April 24th, we announced and welcomed ten new members into our congregation with a ceremony during both services and a reception immediately following. These folks have completed our UUCF 101: Pathways to Membership class and agree to support the values of UUCF.

They include:

Marleen Brooks is an attorney who retired after 22 years with Allegheny Energy. Marleen enjoys folk music and has sung at several of the coffeehouses at UUCF. She has attended UUCF as a Friend for the past two years and has decided to become a member. She likes the people here and coming to a happy place.

Steve Buckingham is an attorney, and a community and political activist since the 1960s. He is currently using his health law background to assist the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services in moving the hospital and medical community into meaningful use of electronic health records. As a member of the UU Society for Community Ministries, he is recognized as a lay minister for his work with the UU Legislative Ministry of Maryland, and he has provided worship services related to social justice throughout the State.

Bruce and Lynn Fry. Some may remember them as previous members who have recommitted to UUCF. Both Bruce and Lynn feel the need to be part of a group that stands for something important. They believe in openness and inclusivity, and value feeling uplifted when they leave a service at UUCF.

Julie Hansen and Gerard Young were formerly members of the UU congregation in Dallas. Julie is a family therapist. Gerard works for Homeland Security. They are seeking a welcoming community for their children and a supportive environment for social justice and spirituality.

Andrea Hill is a patient advocate in a medical center. A single mother, she believes strongly in social justice and likes multiple definitions of family.

Amie LaPorte is a piano teacher and animal rights activist. She has a special interest in social action and feels that UUCF helps her be the kind of person she wants to be.

Chloe Nichols likes our welcoming congregation and RE program. She is a nurse practitioner and single mom who wants to bring up her children in a supportive community.

Daylynn Wright paints, drums, and practices yoga. She likes to explore various religious traditions and values the inclusiveness and lack of hypocrisy at UUCF.

~~Ann Foard

The next **Pathways to Membership** class is scheduled for Saturday, June 4th, from 9am to 1pm. Those interested in exploring membership at UUCF may sign up in the Religious Education cabinet in the Atrium.

FISCAL NOTES as of March 31, 2016

General Operating Fund	Month of March	Fiscal Year To Date July through March 2016	% of Annual Budget – 75 % through the year
Contributions:	\$25,359.36	\$292,321.93	77%
All Other Income:	\$5,397.14	\$ 73,362.67	85%
Total Income:	\$30,756.50	\$365,684.60	79%
Employee/Staff Expense:	\$16,225.47	\$155,732.34	68%
Facilities Expense:	\$14,867.87	\$ 128,191.75	75%
All other Expenses:	\$ 8,873.16	\$ 41,042.68	63%
Total Expenses	\$39,966.5	\$324,966.77	70%
Difference(Net):	(\$9,210.00)	\$ 40,717.83	

Did you know?

For the month of March, we spent \$9,210.00 more than we took in. Our available cash in the General (Operating) Fund is \$118,915.66 as of March 31, 2016, less the \$60,000 reserve leaves us \$58,915.66.

If you have not pledged yet, or are able to increase your pledge for the next fiscal year, please do so now. Pledging is the only way we can plan for the future.

We re-financed our mortgage in March using the funds from the Mortgage Reduction Drive of \$120,685.50 and the balance is now \$830,296.22! Is there a mortgage burning in our future?

Janice

Expressing Our Gratitude



Nature is surprisingly generous in the spring, and so are all of you who pledged to our operating fund this year. All that we enjoy here at UUCF is possible because of the money and the time and the effort that so many of you give to us.

This year we supported a successful mortgage reduction drive and a steady, if not increasing, pledge drive. Our Finance Committee, Minister, and Board will shape our budget for next year with the pledge amount we have.

Some folks have not pledged yet, and while the drive is over, do not hesitate to pledge if you haven't. We will all breathe easier when you do.

And let's not forget that "Early Pledge Raffle!" Our winner this year is **Kathy Sargent**. Enjoy your dinner in town, Kathy.

UUCF PARTNERS WITH SECOND CHANCES GARAGE IN FREDERICK

UUCF is now a Partner Agency with Second Chances Garage. This means we are now among the more than twenty non-profits in the Frederick area that can recommend individuals who have a job but no car to get to work and take care of family responsibilities.

UUCF's role is to identify and screen an applicant, making sure that all the requirements for getting a car are met. (Criteria include having a job but no access to a vehicle in the household, 25 years or older, a license and a clean driving record, sufficient funds in the personal budget to be able to afford repairs, gas, insurance, etc. Younger adults can qualify if parenting young children.)

Once everything is verified here at UUCF and sent to SCG, the person we recommend will be assigned a "Program Car." The fee for this car is fixed at \$500 plus MD taxes, tags and title; the value of the vehicle will likely be \$1500 or more and it will be MD inspected. As soon as the person gets the car, it's a done deal. No debt, no monthly payments. The new owner also gets six months of free labor at SCG for any repairs that might be needed.

If you know someone who might qualify for a Program Car, contact Rev. Carl.

If you'd like to donate a vehicle to SCG to support SCG's work providing transportation services to low income households, click here: www.scgarage.org.

While you're on the website, check to see if you are eligible to get your car repaired at very affordable rates (approximately half what you'd pay at a typical auto repair shop.) There is a sliding scale, depending on household income and family size. If your income fits the scale, you don't need a referral, just make an appointment.

~~Meg Menke

AN INVITATION FROM THE ALTERNATIVES TO VIOLENCE PROJECT (AVP)

Facilitators of AVP at the Maryland Correctional Institution in Hagerstown invite you to join us May 17, 6:30pm for our annual "Recognition Night." The program includes an opportunity to meet and hear from inmate and community volunteers who are AVP facilitators. The guest speaker will be former Warden Lloyd (Pete) Waters, who was warden at the time AVP began at the prison.

We appreciate all the support over the years from UUCF for this program. Come see how it operates.

Important: Clearance takes time. Contact Nancy Hutchins (301-668-8213) by May 2 if you would like to attend.

SPLIT-PLATE FOR MAY 15TH: Healthcare is a Human Right

Do you know that millions of needy Americans still suffer from lack of access to healthcare?

Please support the work to bring about a universal single-payer healthcare system by donating May 15. through the split-plate to benefit the nonprofit "Healthcare is a Human Right." This campaign is organizing state by state. It was started in Maryland in 2012 by Healthcare NOW!, United Workers, and Physicians for a National Health Program. Maryland's campaign has active organizing committees of volunteers in eight counties, including Frederick County.



No Capacity to Consent Benefit Concert

The professional vocal ensemble Third Practice presents **No Capacity to Consent**, after a newly commissioned work by Canadian composer Tawnie Olson. Her work sets to music the legal complaint filed by a pregnant woman which recounts how, after being stopped for a minor traffic violation in an American town infamous for police abuse, she was raped by a corrections officer. Third Practice will sing works spanning four centuries on the theme of feminine agency, including Giacomo Carissimi's heartrending *Jephthe*, the one of the earliest masterworks of the oratorio repertoire.

FREE ADMISSION—a free will offering will be accepted. **Caution: this concert includes graphic descriptions of disturbing events. Listener discretion is advised.**

Third Practice Vocal Ensemble presents a concert to benefit [RAINN](#) and [Heartly House](#), offering services for victims of domestic violence.

Saturday, May 7th at 5pm at UUCF



UUMAC IS FOR EVERYONE

Are you looking for a summer vacation option that will be fun, rejuvenating, multi-generational, and affordable? The Unitarian Universalist Mid-Atlantic Community (UUMAC) '16 will be held July 10-16 near Allentown, PA. It is many things—a spiritual retreat, a family summer camp, an institute for learning and exploration, a weeklong party and reunion of kindred souls. We play games and instruments, sing, listen, discuss, learn, worship, visit, laugh, work, eat, (and sometimes sleep), dance and nosh at Night Owls, and paint faces and toenails at the Carnival. UUMAC is intentionally a multi-generational community, and programming is a balance of activity according to age grouping and across age barriers. Children, teens and adults each have programming geared to their interests. As well, ages mingle for off-campus trips and evening activities.

This year's UUMAC will focus on **Radical Hospitality and Radical Justice**. Rev. Libby Smith, an adjunct staffer at the Joseph Priestly District, and Rev. Dr. Tracy Sprowls, of Plainfield UU church, will be our Ministers of the Week and Theme speakers.

~~Ann Andrex



Frederick's Dinner Dialogues
Sunday, May 22, 2016
5:00 – 8:00 pm

Would you like to participate in a dialogue with people of different beliefs in order to understand how they apply their principles when making decisions, resolving conflicts, overcoming fears and expressing joy?

Frederick Interfaith, an organization that formed after 9/11, fosters spiritual understanding, unity, and love among people of diverse beliefs. As one of its outreach activities, Frederick Interfaith sponsors an annual Amazing Faiths Dinner.

Groups of eight to ten participants will meet all over the Frederick area at simultaneous dinners for meaningful conversations. During the meal, each person will be asked to answer a question about his or her personal experience with faith or beliefs. Trained moderators will facilitate each meal. People of all faiths and no faith are welcome. This event is free for participants; diners are invited to bring a dish for the meal

To register for the dinner:

[SIGN-UP GENIUS](#)

or email frederickinterfaith@gmail.com or phone 301-639-2062

RSVP by May 9, 2016

Blanche Ames Gallery Presents

KATHY DAYWALT, OIL AND ACRYLIC PAINTINGS



Madama Butterfly

Artist Talk and Reception
Sunday, May 1st
12:30 until 2:00pm
Show runs until May 29



Racing Day

Kathy Daywalt is a prolific working artist with 40 years of successful experience in a variety of mediums. Her works have been included in numerous juried exhibitions and one-person shows. These works are in private collections from New York to California.

In 2011 Daywalt began to revisit her original art interest - watercolor. Her interest in figures and beautifully patterned compositions is evident in these new works. More importantly, her long experience with linocut printmaking has carried over to this new endeavor as she employs artist-made linocut stamps as well as found objects to create her richly textured, patterned paintings.



CSA IN THE ART GALLERY? WHAT?

The Blanche Ames Gallery invites you to be part of our CSA - coming to the gallery in July and August.

No it's not kale and carrots. It's "**Community Sharing Art.**" The Gallery's traditional summer exhibit of art by members is just that, so this annual show is now "**CSA in the Gallery.**"

Something else new this year: art by adults and children may be entered. Everything entered must be framed and wired for hanging. All media eligible, one or two works per artist, prefer art produced in the past year. The CSA will be a six-week exhibit (all of July, first half of August). Art delivery will be June 26-29.

Summer is the time we experience the color and abundance of the earth, a time to share your creative self. Please be part of our CSA.

~~Meg Menke

UUCF BOOK CLUB MOVES TO SECOND FRIDAYS

The UUCF book club is now meeting on the second Friday of the month. The next meeting is on May 13th at 7:30 at the home of Carol Colloton in Charlestown, WV. The book we will be discussing is *Deer Hunting with Jesus: Dispatches from America's Class War* by Joe Bageant. The contact information for Carol is Carol Colloton, 164 Bedford Dr., Charlestown, WV 25414. Her cell phone number is: 202-320-8987 and her email address is acolloton@hotmail.com.

We have also chosen the book and site for the June book club meeting. The date for this meeting is June 10th, 7:30, at the home of the Hutchins. The book we will discuss is *The Cicada Prophecy: Rise of the Immortals* by J. R. McLeay. The Hutchins live at 6890 Crabapple Ct., Frederick, 21703 and their phone is 301-668-8213. The email is nhutchins471@comcast.net.

~~Fanny Johnsson

COME TO THE DISCUSSION OR READ FOR YOUR OWN INTEREST

*We Share our Beautiful Space
with some animal neighbors*



During a choir practice Carole Larsen spotted guinea hens taking a stroll in our Memorial Garden



While working outside on the grounds this spring, Ed Mordan and Carol Topchik turned up some baby bunnies hiding out in our undergrowth and Meg Menke caught the moment..

Retired UU Ladies Eating Out (RUULEO)

Wegman's Food Lounge
Tuesday, May 10, 2016 at 10:30am

**Women's
Brunch**

Wegman's has an incredible variety of cooked and prepared foods, plus a wonderful eating lounge with comfy chairs.

We welcome any UU lady who has the time to brunch.

CLASSIFIEDS

Kayakers and Canoers Wanted



Are you interested in paddling the Potomac, Monocacy, and other local rivers ? So are we. Contact us if you and your boat are looking for other folks for playing on the water. We are retired, so paddling during the week is a great option.

Andy Celmer & Patricia Cronin abcpec@comcast.net

Joys & Concerns



Several of our members are in transitions or difficulties now.

Stan Schlepp (Facilities Manager for many years before Rick Anderson was hired) and **Charles Haney** (greeter, RE volunteer and CUUPS organizer) have had operations and we wish them a speedy recovery.

Ed Mordan (building repairer, chief UUCF barbeque master, choir member) is suffering from a rare malady. A June 4th benefit concert will be held to help defray expenses incurred in his treatment.

Mary Kruhm (Social Action Chair and Unison proofreader) has completed her house sale and move to Homewood, a big change in her life.

To all who are having a rough time this spring, reach out to us so that we may be sensitive to where you are in your life. We want the best outcomes for you.



Friends for Ed

Ed Mordan has been a force and a friend in many of our lives. His wife Dorothea managed our "Food for Friends" for years. Ed has helped at the church and he has helped in our homes. Now he is facing a rare ailment requiring lots of treatment and lots of money. As his friends, let's come together to support a fun and fund-raising event for Ed and Dorothea:

A CONCERT FOR ED
JUNE 4. 7:30PM



Parent Workshops will be held at 10:45am on May 1, 8, and 15. Rev. Carl will attend the May 15 meeting.

Parent Potluck is May 28 at 5pm.

Square Dance Photos

Thank you Nancy Roblin and Social Committee for the event and Betsy Bainbridge for the photos.

Everyone was welcome, everyone had fun, everyone danced, everyone who wanted to played instruments, and the rest of us were greatly entertained!



Full-time Position at Rockville UU

The Unitarian Universalist Congregation of Rockville, a vibrant, 400-member congregation in suburban Maryland, seeks a Director of Communications and Membership to manage communications within the congregation and to the wider community, and to support UUCR's growth as an inclusive and welcoming liberal religious community. This full-time position requires strong verbal and written communications skills and proficiency with MS Office Suite, Google applications, social media, and digital communications platforms (e.g., Drupal, Mail Chimp, etc.). In addition, the position requires good interpersonal communications and relationship-building skills. Experience working with volunteers is a plus. You may find a detailed position description and application instructions on our website at <http://uucr.org/employment-opportunities>.



MAY
BIRTHDAYS

3rd – Gail Griffin, Charles Patrick O’Keefe, Maida Wright; 7th – Sophie Sargent; 10th – Ben Gaffigan; 13th – Nikolai Remaley; 14th – Karen Knotts; 15th – Lauren Hudgins; 16th – Sam Gaffigan; 17th – Jeff Harold, Karen Russell; 18th – Dick Menzer; 19th – Stephanie Letourneau; 22nd – Eric Scott; 24th – Barbara Gordon, Alice Kleinfeld; 25th – Moira Everett; 29th – Kristianne Buker; 30th – Danielle Grace; 31st – Jessica Hudgins.

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