



**Unitarian Universalist Church of Tippecanoe County**  
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**June 4, 2017**

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Speaker: Rev. Elizabeth Carrier-Ladd

Worship Associate: Dorothy Hughes

Music: Janine Cochran

Pulpit Prep: Nina Kirkpatrick

Sound: Larry Guentert

Children Begin in Service

# Order of Service for June 4, 2017

**Gathering Music** Janine Cochran

**Welcome** Dorothy Hughes

**Prelude** Lessons To Be Learned  
(Malamet, Rich, Gazeley)

"They say there's a universal plan for every woman,  
for every man.

I do believe there's a higher power, but in our darkest  
hour it's hard to understand.

So we start to question, start to doubt.

We lose faith in what life's all about.

Why did the right road take the wrong turn?

Why did our heart break? Why'd we get burned?

Just like the seasons, there are reasons for the path we  
take.

There are no mistakes, just lessons to be learned.

Don't give up, keep on looking deep inside.

Let your heartbeat be your guide, cause there's a gift  
for those that keep believing.

You'll find what you've been needing it's right before  
your eyes.

You'll hold the answer in your hands.

And then you'll know you'll finally understand."

**Call to Worship** Rev. Elizabeth Carrier-Ladd

**Chalice Lighting**

**Opening Song** #361, Enter, Rejoice and Come In

**Our Covenant**

Love is the spirit of this church;

Service is its law.

This is our covenant:

To dwell together in peace to seek the truth in love,

And to help one another.

**Bridging Ceremony** Nicole Rice and Rev. Elizabeth

**Song**

Oooo, Take my hand.

Oooo, Move my soul.

Oooo, Guide me on.

**Reading**

**Joys & Concerns**

**Song** #1020, Woyaya

**Sharing Peace** (Please turn to your neighbor and say,  
"May peace be with you.")

**Offering**

**Offertory** Landslide (Stevie Nicks)

**Sermon** "Who's Driving This Thing"  
Rev. Elizabeth Carrier-Ladd

**Song** #348, Guide My Feet

**Chalice Extinguishing**

**Benediction**

**Unison Benediction**

This service is over. Our service has just begun.

**Postlude** I Won't Give Up (Mraz/Natter)

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Christina Wright, Nursery Coordinator



# THE MERIDIAN UPDATE WEEKLY BULLETIN

*Sunday Forum 9:00 a.m.; Sunday Service & Religious Exploration Classes 10:30 a.m. Nursery & Childcare Available.*

## **June 4th at 9:00AM, Forum**

Topic: **Umbria: On-site Paintings by Al Pounders**

Speaker: **Al Pounders**

He will bring actual paintings: probably 1 watercolor, 1 oil stick, and several oil paintings and give an informal discussion of his work taking questions as everyone views the work together.

## **June 4th at 10:30AM, Service**

Topic: **"Who's Driving This Thing?"**

Speaker: **Rev. Elizabeth Carrier-Ladd**

How do we determine where we are going? How do we choose when to lead and when to follow? Join us to wonder together on the notions of mission, leadership, partnership and community.

## **CALENDAR**

### **JUNE 4TH -JUNE 10TH**

#### **Sunday, June 4th**

- 9:00 AM** Forum (101)
- 10:30 AM** Worship & RE
- 12:00 PM** CHURCH PICNIC
- 7:30 PM** Lafayette Area Peace Coalition (101)

#### **Monday, June 5th**

- 7:30 AM** Qi Gong (FH)
- 11:00 AM** President's Meeting (Minister's Office)
- 12:00 PM** 12 Step Meeting (FH)
- 5:30 PM** Worship Committee (102)
- 6:30 PM** N.A. (212)
- 7:00 PM** 12 Step Meeting (anon FH)
- 7:00 PM** Monday Meditation (101)

#### **Tuesday, June 6th**

- 12:00 PM** 12 Step Meeting (FH)
- 6:00 PM** Program Council (First

#### **Wednesday, June 7th**

- 7:30 AM** Qi Gong (FH)

#### **Thursday, June 8th**

- 5:00 PM** Meditation (M)
- 5:40 PM** Dinner @MCL

#### **Friday, June 9th**

- 7:30 AM** Qi Gong (FH)
- 12:00 PM** 12 Step Meeting (FH)

#### **Saturday, June 10th**

- 7:30 AM** Zen Meditation (M)

### **Room Legend Key**

S—Sanctuary, FH—Fellowship Hall, M—Meditation Room

#### **Sunday, June 11th Forum**

Speaker: **Loren Olson**

Topic: **Loren's Art**

Loren Olson is happy to present her work to the UU Church, following her family's long association with the church. My work is about energy. Drawing, painting, installations, collaborating with a choreographer, energy has been the theme, the underlying unifying vision.

#### **Sunday, June 11th Service**

Speaker: **Janice Thiel**

Topic: **Why are we here (in a UU worship service) anyway?**

In other Christian denominations, worship is to praise God, ask for forgiveness of our sins, and ask for his help. We come together to experience a sense of awe, to renew our spirits, and to connect with others who help us be our best selves.

## CHILD AND YOUTH RELIGIOUS EXPLORATION

### RE Calendar:

**June 4<sup>th</sup>** (students begin in service followed by spirit circle in room 101/103, dismissal will be at 11:45) Gina Berninger will be leading a craft activity.

**June 11<sup>th</sup>** (students begin in service followed by spirit circle in room 101/103, dismissal will be at 11:45) Kirsten Reynolds will be leading a knitting activity. I will be absent and need a sub or extra volunteers to help out Kirsten. Please let me know if you're interested.

### Materials Needed:

- We have a RE wish list for books: <http://tinyurl.com/pt329cy>
- RE is collecting the following for a recycling project. Please clean and rinse before dropping off in the DRE office.
- Bottle caps: medicine bottle caps, milk jug caps, detergent caps, hair spray caps, toothpaste tube caps, deodorant caps, drink bottle caps, flip top caps (ex. ketchup), spout caps (ex. mustard), spray paint caps, ointment tube caps, caps with recycle numbers 2, 4, or 5
- Lids: cottage cheese lids, mayo lids, yogurt lids, peanut butter lids, ice cream bucket lids (under 8"), cool whip lids, coffee can lids, cream cheese lids, butter lids, prescription bottles (with labels removed)

**RE Volunteers Needed:** We are currently looking for RE volunteers for the fall 2017 semester. Please contact Nicole Rice if you are interested in becoming a volunteer, substitute, or shadow, or helping out in other ways.

**RE Summer Workshop Series (Time For All Sages):** This summer at UUCTC, we're celebrating our sages. Each Sunday, we'll have a "Time For All Sages," where children can ask questions from our older and wiser congregants on a variety of topics. Then we'll attend a workshop led by those experts. Please contact Nicole Rice if you're interested in more information. We still need volunteers for July.

- **June 4<sup>th</sup>**- Gina Berninger crafting
- **June 11<sup>th</sup>**- Kirsten Reynolds knitting loom
- **June 18<sup>th</sup>**- Larry Guentert music
- **June 25<sup>th</sup>**- Amy French cooking
- **July 9<sup>th</sup>**- Jack Reynolds animal training
- **July 23<sup>rd</sup>**- Noemi Ybarra sailing
- **August 6<sup>th</sup>**- Caolan Vane writing

### Important Reminders and Upcoming Events:

June 4<sup>th</sup>- We will celebrate our bridging seniors, Kalina Harden and Syliva Mueller. Congratulations!

## Announcements

**June 4th 2017**

**TODAY after Service...**Join us at Happy Hollow Park after the church service for some food and fun! Feel free to bring a friend! Nicole Rice will be running a tie dye station again. If you have any questions please contact Jada Haughey at [Membership@uuctc.org](mailto:Membership@uuctc.org)

Save  
the  
Date

**June 18th, 2017**

A Farewell Reception for

Rev. Elizabeth, more details to come.

**Just a reminder that when you exit** the playground, please close the gates firmly behind you. We want to make sure our little ones don't run out into traffic. Thanks for your consideration.



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**Sept. 1-3rd UUCTC Retreat**

Join us for a weekend of fellowship and relaxation. Drop in for an hour or two or stay the entire weekend and sleep at the church. Hike to Happy Hollow Park, play board games, talk philosophy, attend a workshop or singing songs around the campfire are just some of the events. For more information contact Josh Prokopy at [josh@prokopyfamily.com](mailto:josh@prokopyfamily.com)

**DON'T MISS  
THE DEADLINE!**

**June 15th, 2017**

Submit your articles or photos for the Lighted Chalice by June 15th via the UUCTC website or by emailing [lightedchalice@gmail.com](mailto:lightedchalice@gmail.com)