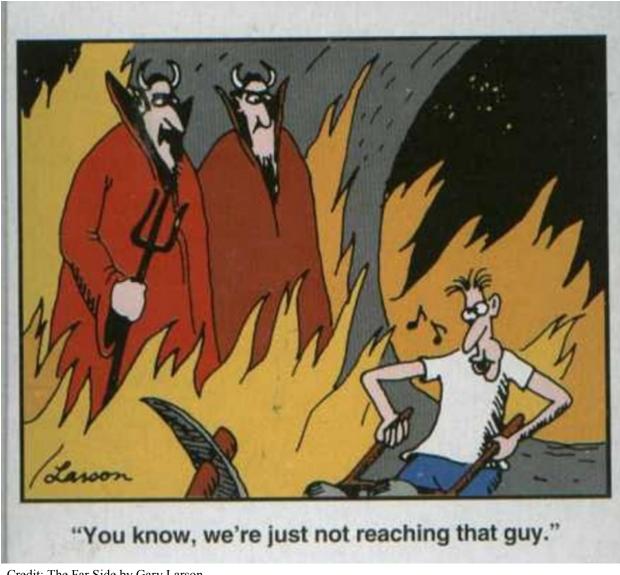


# Unitarian Universalist Church of Tippecanoe County

333 Meridian Street - West Lafayette, Indiana 47906 - uuctc.org

July 8, 2018



Credit: The Far Side by Gary Larson

Speaker Rev. D. Charles Davis Associate Janice Thiel Musician Sarah May Sound Eric Thiel RE Begins in Room 101/103

# Order of Service for July 8, 2018

# Music for Gathering

Welcome & Announcements

Prelude Bogoroditse Devo (Sergei Rachmaninoff) (followed by a moment of silence )

## Chalice Lighting

Hatreds never cease through hatred in this world; through love alone they cease. This is an eternal law. Buddhism.

Dhammapada 3-5

#### Covenant

Love is the spirit of this church, and service its law. This is our covenant: To dwell together in peace, To seek the truth in love, and to help one another.

Song 29, Joyful Joyful

## Centering

Sharing peace (Please turn to your neighbor and say peace be with you)

# Offering

Offertory Le jardin féerique (Maurice Ravel)

Responsive Reading 639, Love one Another

Message Revisiting "Sinners in the Hands of an Angry God."

Song 315, This Old World

**Congregational Question:** How do you respond to religious hate?

Song 6, Just as Long as I Have Breath

### **Extinguish Chalice**

I confess that Thou hast no desire except the regeneration of the whole world, and the establishment of the unity of its peoples, and the salvation of all them that dwell therein.

> Baha'i Faith. Gleanings from the Writings of Baha'u'llah 115

#### **Unison Benediction**

This Service is over. Our Service has just begun. Peace and unrest.

**Postlude** Menuet (Solveig Grace)

# **UU CHURCH STAFF**

Rev. D. Charles Davis, Minister Nicole McCabe, Director of Religious Exploration Va'Linda McBride, Office Administrator Sarah May, Pianist Christina Wright, Nursery Coordinator

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# THE MERIDIAN UPDATE WEEKLY BULLETIN

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

#### Sunday, July 8th, 9:00AM, Forum

Speaker: Timothy King

Topic: Leadership Learning Mission to Gaza, the West Bank and Jerusalem

#### Sunday, July 8th, 10:30AM, Service

Speaker: Rev. D. Charles Davis

Topic: Sinners in the hand of an Angry God

On July 8 1741 Jonathan Edwards preached his most famous sermon. Indeed it may be the most famous sermon in US history and has a profound impact on this country to this day. It has made Christianity a religion of wrath rather than a gospel of love.

# CALENDAR JULY 8TH-JULY 14TH

#### Sunday, July 8th

| 9:00 AM  | Forum (101)                 |
|----------|-----------------------------|
| 10:30 AM | RE Bucket List sUUmer Camp  |
| 10:30 AM | Worship & RE                |
| 10:30 AM | Youth Meeting (6th-12th     |
|          | graders)                    |
| 12:00 PM | Bicycling Interest Group    |
| 1:00 PM  | UUCTC Freezer Meal Interest |
|          | Group (FH & K)              |

#### Monday, July 9th

| 7:30 AM  | Tai Chi Qi Gong (FH)          |
|----------|-------------------------------|
| 12:00 PM | A/A (FH)                      |
| 7:00 PM  | Lafayette Insight Meditation  |
|          | Community (LIMC) 103          |
| 7:00 PM  | Spiritual Exp Group "AA" (FH) |

#### Tuesday, July 10th

| 12:00 PM | A/A (FH)            |
|----------|---------------------|
| 5:30 PM  | Pastoral Care (102) |
| 7:00 PM  | BOARD MEETING (2nd  |
|          | Tuesdays, 101)      |

| 7:30 AM | Tai Chi Qi Gong (FH)         |
|---------|------------------------------|
| 6:00 PM | Bahá'í Religion              |
|         | Exploration Discussion Group |
|         | (102)                        |

#### Thursday, July 12th

| 5:00 PM | West Lafayette Zen Group (M)     |
|---------|----------------------------------|
| 7:00 PM | Social Justice Meeting (101/103) |

#### Friday, July 13th

| 7:30 AM  | Tai Chi Qi Gong (FH) |
|----------|----------------------|
| 12:00 PM | A/A (FH)             |

#### Saturday, July 14th

**7:30 AM** West Lafayette Zen Group (M)

# **Room Legend Key**

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

## Sunday, July 15th 9:00AM, Forum

Moderator: **Tom McConville will show video** Topic: **An Evening With Carrie Newcomer** In the 1980s, Newcomer was a member of the popfolk and acoustic group Stone Soup[3][46] which produced two albums: Long Fields [1984] and October Nights[1987].

#### Sunday, July 15th, 10:30AM, Service

Speaker: Rev. D. Charles Davis Topic: Emerson's Divinity School Address.

Emerson's 1838 speech to newly minted Unitarian ministers encouraged them to look for god through intuition rather than tradition.



# CHILD AND YOUTH RELIGIOUS EXPLORATION RE Calendar: Nicole McCabe, dre@uuctc.org

Aylin, 16-year-old German, would love to experience America with a family that has small children! She loves to be around people, especially kids. She really enjoys playing with kids and after her work experience in a Kindergarten classroom she is convinced that she wants to become an elementary school teacher. Family is the most important thing to Aylin. In her free-time she dances (ballet, latin and hiphop), plays the piano, swims and listens to music. She also really enjoys baking and cooking.

Do you have younger children that would like to have a big sister this fall? Consider hosting Aylin! She is fluent in English, comes with health insurance and spending money. I am looking for a family that is willing to open their home and provide 3 meals a day, a bedroom (they can share with your own kids if similar age) and reasonable transportation so she can get involved in school and the community.

If interested call my mobile: 765-427-5531 or email me at <u>cherylafowler@gmail.com</u>. If you can't but know someone who might be interested, please share this message!

Check out our blog with the top 7 reasons to host a German student! <u>http://www.ieusablog.org/blog/2016/08/top</u> -7-reasons-to-host-a-german-exchange-student/



# Christina Wright, Nursery@uuctc.org

Life can be overwhelming at times. I hear more and more of my loved ones mentioning anxious feelings and frustrations over daily challenges that ought to be easily managed. I feel these symptoms occasionally and see it in my children from time to time, as well. Positive affirmations may seem silly at first but a little encouragement from within can help a lot.

> I accept myself for who I am. I am not alone in my struggles. I am not afraid of what can go wrong, I am excited about what can go right. I am in control. This is only temporary. This too shall pass. I am safe. I am loved. I am capable of acknowledging thoughts I do not need and letting them go. Breathe.



# Lighted Chalice

Submission Deadline is July 15th.

Submit your articles and photos via:

1) E-mail Lightedchalice@uuctc.org

2) The website at, http://bit.ly/uuctceventform2

# Wabash Riverkeeper Change

The Wabash River is over 500 miles long and it drains roughly 24,000 square miles of land area in Indiana,

Illinois and Ohio (http://www.banksofthewabash.net/aboutus/home).

Support UUCTC Change 4 Change Recipient

Family Promise Volunteer Update: Volunteer

**sessions** will be held in **August - NOT in July**. Please let Jenny Moss know if you are interested in volunteering with Family Promise and we will keep everyone updated about the upcoming training sessions. Jennymoss207@gmail.com.

All Church Weekend (AKA the Retreat)

Labor Day Weekend – Friday, August 31<sup>st</sup> to Sunday, September 2<sup>nd</sup>



As you plan your summer out, remember that pledge contributions can always be made online through our website,

# https://uuctc.org/donate/

You can make a pledge with your credit card, or with your bank information gathered from a check, and you can also pitch in to cover the cost of the transaction if you want. Reach out to Alice at

<u>communications@uuctc.org</u> if you have difficulty or questions. Thanks for your financial support of the church!