Unitarian Universalist Church of Tippecanoe County

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

May 5, 2019

https://cookseypr.com/2018/01/03/finding-the-extraordinary-from-the-ordinary/

Speakers: Rosemary Morrison, Interim Minister

Associate: Tom Smith

Music: Janice Brennan

Sanctuary Prep: Nina

Order of Service for May 5, 2019

Gathering Music Prelude No. 12 in G Minor Robert D Vandall

Welcome

Prelude Earth Song Frank Ticheli

Opening Words

Unison Chalice Lighting

We light this chalice, symbol of our chosen faith
may its light burn in our hearts
to help us live a life of purpose and meaning.
In the midst of suffering and injustice
Let us shine the light of love.

Our Covenant

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

Opening Hymn #347, Gather the Spirit

Time for All Ages Nicole McCabe

Sharing Peace (In the spirit of peace, please greet your neighbor.)

Hymn #14, The Sun at High Noon

Offering

Offertory The Clear Stream Johann Burgmuller, Op.100, No. 7

Responsive Reading #530, Out of the Stars

Candles of Joy and Concerns

Meditation

Mediation Hymn #1031 Filled With Loving Kindness

Sermon The Extraordinary in the Ordinary

Speaker Rosemary Morrison, Interim Minister

Hymn #1030, Siyahamba

Unison Chalice Extinguishing

We extinguish this flame, but not the light of truth,
The warmth of community, or the fire of commitment
These we carry in our hearts until we are together again.
Elizabeth Selle Jones

Benediction

Blessings upon you,
Blessings upon me,
Blessings upon all living things,
Blessed be.

Monica Cummings

Postlude Both Sides Now Joni Mitchell

UU CHURCH STAFF

Rosemary Morrison, Interim Minister
Nicole McCabe, Director of Religious Exploration
Janice Brennan, Musician
Va'Linda McBride, Office Administrator
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.

Sunday, May 5th, 9:00AM, Forum

Speaker: **Cheryl Borst**

Topic: **The Arts: Why Bother?**

Sunday, May 5th, 10:30AM, Service

Speaker: **Rosemary Morrison, Interim Minister**

Topic: **The Extraordinary in the Ordinary**

CALENDAR

MAY 5TH– MAY 11TH

Sunday, May 5

UUCTC Rummage Sale Collection (M)

9:00 AM Forum (101)
10:30 AM Worship & RE
10:30 AM Youth Meeting (6th-12th graders)
12:00 PM Scared Earth Community (210)
3:00 PM Lafayette Chamber Singers (S, FH, K)

Monday, May 6

UUCTC Rummage Sale Setup

7:30 AM Tai Chi Qi Gong (Outside/103)
12:00 PM Meridian AA (101/103)
6:00 PM Recording Session Lafayette Chamber Sing (S)
7:00 PM AA Spiritual Experience (102)
7:00 PM Lafayette Insight Meditation Community (103)

Tuesday, May 7

UUCTC Rummage Sale Setup (FH, K, M, L)

12:00 PM Meridian AA (103)
6:00 PM Program Council (First Tuesdays, 101)
6:00 PM Recording Session Lafayette Chamber Singers (S)

Wednesday, May 8

UUCTC Rummage Sale Setup (FH, K, M, L)

7:30 AM Tai Chi Qi Gong (103) Outside
5:30 PM UUCTC Worship Committee (214)
6:00 PM Finance Committee (102)
6:00 PM Recording Session Lafayette Chamber Singers (S)
7:00 PM Greater Lafayette ACLU (103)

Thursday, May 9

UUCTC Rummage Sale Setup (FH, K, M, L)

5:30 PM UUCTC Worship Committee (101/103)
6:00 PM West Lafayette Zen Group (102)

Friday, May 10

UUCTC Rummage Sale Setup (FH, K, M, L)

7:30 AM Tai Chi Qi Gong (103) Outside
12:00 PM Meridian AA (103)

Saturday, May 11

7:00 AM UUCTC Rummage Sale (FH, K, M)
8:00 AM West Lafayette Zen Group (102)
1:00 PM Aging and Dying (101/103)

Room Legend Key

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

Sunday, May 12, 9:00AM, Forum

Video: https://bioneers.org/ashton-applewhite-we-are-all-aging-so-lets-end-ageism/

Topic: Aging in Today's World

Sunday, May 12, 10:30AM, Service

Speaker: **Dorothy Hughes**

Topic: **Gratitude**

CHILD AND YOUTH RELIGIOUS EXPLORATION

RE Calendar: Nicole McCabe, dre@uuctc.org

Calling all volunteers interested in getting their hands dirty!!! We're looking to get the playground at UUCTC in better shape for the upcoming spring season and will have a variety jobs available for people of all ages and skill sets. Childcare will be available for younger children. See schedule below for more details and contact Nicole McCabe if you have any questions.

Schedule:

May 5th from 12-5pm (childcare provided from 12-3pm) Enjoy a potluck meal before helping out with some of our many jobs on the playground.

May 12th from 12-2pm (childcare provided from 12-2pm) Invite your family and friends to spend some quality time in the sun and work on beautifying our outside environment.

Jobs:

- Pressure washing the playground equipment, benches, and side of building
- Fix the following:
  - Latch on sandbox lids
  - Broken bench
  - Plastic picnic table
- Mow, weed, rake, trim
- Sand, paint, and stain playground equipment and benches
- Move/rearrange items from the playground (trash bins, barrels, flower pots, cones, fire pit, grill, etc.)
- Beautify the space
  - Install rain barrel
  - Fill/hang birdfeeders
  - Sort through toys/playground equipment
  - Paint hopscotch
  - Build "little free library"
  - Gardening

Materials Needed:

- Lawn/gardening equipment (mower, weed eater, edger, trimmer, rake, clippers, lawn bags, trowel, shovel, gloves)
- Painting equipment (sander/sandpaper, mask, paint, stain, paintbrush)
- Mulch for playground equipment area
- Sand for sandboxes
- Birdfeeders, birdseed
- Tools (hammer, screwdriver, drill)
- Rain barrel

NEWS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

May 11th Rummage Sale

It is that time of year for Spring Cleaning!

As you sort through your belongings, please take time to locate your unwanted household items and donate them to UUCTC's annual Rummage Sale, a community wide fundraiser.

Rummage Sale collection **begins Sunday, April 21 in the Meditation Room** behind the library. **Last day for collections is Sunday, May 5.**

Questions, please contact Dorothy Hughes at 765-237-7652 or djhugheslmhc@gmail.com.

May 19

Tending our UU Garden

Join us as we celebrate

- Annual Flower Communion
- All Volunteer Recognition Day
- Bridging Ceremony for Amelia
- Farewell to Jaime as he'll soon be returning to Spain
- Please bring a flower to share

UUCTC Social Justice Clothing Drive

May 25, 2019; 10AM to 2PM

Questions, please contact Susanne McConville at suemcconville1200@gmail.com

Change for Change recipient for May and June is Moms Demand Action for Gun Sense, an organization selected by the UU Youth Group during their April Sunday service. Moms Demand Action is a "grassroots movement of Americans fighting for public safety measures that can protect people from gun violence."

CONGREGATIONAL
MEETING
May 19th