"The greatest task for any person is to find meaning in his or her life" - Victor Frankl

All Faiths Unitarian Congregation October 18, 2015

Gathering Music Dan Tudor

Welcome and Upcoming Events Kendra Maroon

A Stewardship Moment

*Greeting One Another

*Opening Hymn "Enter, Rejoice and Come In" (back of hymnal) Dan Tudor

A Sound for Silence Kendra Maroon

Prelude "Farther Along" (traditional)

Bill Metts

Opening Words by Ma. Theresa Guistilo Gallardo Katie Romano Griffin

Chalice Lighting Words by Stephen Schick (adapted) Kendra Maroon

Joys, Sorrows and Milestones (Sung, Spoken and Silent)

Hymn "Spirit of Life" (back of hymnal)

Joyce Ramay

The Congregation's response after each spoken Joy, Sorrow or Milestone is "We hold you in our hearts."

For All Ages Katie Romano Griffin

Interlude "Heaven" by David Hintz

Bill Metts

Reading "Desire" by Alice Walker

Kendra Maroon

*Hymn #1008 "When Our Heart Is in a Holy Place" Dan Tudor

Sermon "The Search for Meaning" Katie Romano Griffin

Offertory "Holy Now" by Peter Mayer Bill Metts

*Closing Words by Kenneth Patton Katie Romano Griffin

Please invite someone to join you for coffee, tea, cookies and conversation in the Community Room.

Dan Tudor

Music for Sending Forth





WELCOME TO OUR GUESTS - We are glad you are with us today.

Our *Connections* newsletter has information about our activities and programs. You can get a copy in the foyer. To be placed on the mailing list, please contact our Membership Committee Chair, **Pat Nuding**, at the Membership Corner, or Phone 482-5114. Please visit us on www.allfaiths-uc.org or follow us on Facebook.

WORSHIP SERVICE - 10:30 A.M. ADULT R.E. WORKSHOPS - 9:15 A.M.

OKTOBERFEST FUNDRAISING EVENT – FRI. OCT. 23 – 5:30 P.M.

Last chance to get your tickets today for a fun evening of music, entertainment, and great German food cooked by **Annely Hudanick and Chef Kendra Maroon**.

Tickets \$25 each (advanced purchase only – no tickets will be sold at the door).

<u>LEARN ABOUT ALL FAITHS & UU</u> - Our Minister, **Rev. Margaret L. Beard**, will host a "Getting to Know YoUU Q & A" session right after the service today at 11:40 in the front of the sanctuary. This is a brief and informal time for new people to ask questions about All Faiths and/or Unitarian Universalism. Hope to see you there!

ADULT R.E. - WORLD RELIGIONS - SUNDAYS 9:15 A.M.

Today our workshop discussion will be on North American Iroquois Indians with discussion led by Pat Nuding. **Coordinators: Pat Nuding and Bill Snider.**

MEDITATION - WED. 7 P.M. & FRI. 10:30 A.M.- SOCIAL HALL

Join friends to develop your mindfulness, compassion, and sense of serenity.

ACTIVITIES AND SOCIAL GATHERINGS

Mon. Oct. 19 – 9:30 a.m. Stewardship Meeting at Cartwrights' Home

Mon. Oct. 19 – 12:30 p.m. Newsletter Meeting; 1:30 p.m. PSC Meeting

Wed. Oct. 21 – 10 a.m. Membership Committee Meeting: 3:30 p.m. Board Meeting

Thurs. Oct. 22 – 2 p.m. Nominating Committee Meeting

Sat. Oct. 24 – 9 a.m. to Noon – Giving Life the Shape of Justice Workshop with Rev.

Margaret Beard. Learn about a model of justice making & how we can apply it.

UPCOMING EVENTS, CARE & SUPPORT, and BULLETIN BOARD

Send Upcoming Event notices or information on members needing Care &

Support to **Joyce Ramay**, phone 239-481-1924 or email joyramay@embargmail.com

^{*} Please rise in body or spirit.

Our Mission

"All Faiths Unitarian Congregation is a welcoming, caring community, seeking diversity, practicing openness, and encouraging personal and spiritual growth.

We are working toward a just, free, peaceful and compassionate world "

BOARD OF GOVERNORS: OFFICERS: Diane Cartwright, Chair; Bill Snider, Vice-Chair; Jeanne Ezell, Secretary; Susan Anthony, Acting Treasurer; Ed Kleinow, Past Chair. GOVERNORS: Robert Bennett, Chris Fisher, Sharon Gray, Lisa Leonhardt, Kay Riegler. **STAFF:** The Reverend Margaret L. Beard, Minister; The Reverend Dr. Wayne A. Robinson, Minister Emeritus; Katie Romano Griffin, Student Minister; Regina Kilmartin, Office Manager; Dan Tudor, Music Coordinator; Joe Gayton, Sexton.

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

The inherent worth and dignity of every person;
Justice, equity and compassion in human relations;
Acceptance of one another and encouragement to spiritual growth in our congregations;

A free and responsible search for truth and meaning;
The right of conscience and the use of the democratic process within our congregations and in society at large;

The goal of world community with peace, liberty, and justice for all; Respect for the interdependent web of all existence of which we are a part.

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Office Hours: 10 am to 3:30 pm, Monday – Thursday;

9 am to 11 am, Sunday (closed on Fridays)

SUNDAY SERVICES – 10:30 am Adult Ed. Workshop – 9:15 am