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.

Our Worship

During the church year, we meet to worship at 10:15 am. Religious education classes for children and youth, as well as childcare for infants and toddlers, are available during this service. In June, July, and August, we gather together to worship on Sunday mornings in Fellowship Hall. Childcare and one multi-graded elementary class are available in the summer. Summer services are lay-led, and we also have intergenerational services at holidays and other times during the year.

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All Souls: Honoring Ancestors

Sunday, November 4th, 2018 Rev. Florence Caplow

Sarah Wisseman, Worship Associate Matt Sheppard, Music Director; Matthew Gladden, Piano Isabella Howard & Erich Adickes, Violin Kathleen Winters Castle, Flute Assistance: Erich Adickes, Mona Shannon, Sandy Finnerty

The Mission of UUCUC

Build community. Seek inspiration. Promote justice. Find peace.

We are a "Welcoming Congregation" for the LGBTQIA+ Community



ORDER OF SERVICE Sunday, November 4th, 2018

Gathering Chime / Tower Bell

Prelude "Ashokan Farewell" Jay Unger

Welcome & Announcements

Gail Schiesser

Greeting Our Neighbors & Centering Chime

Unison Chalice Lighting

As we kindle this the flame, we honor and remember Those who have passed into the mystery. Their brightness lives on in our vision, their courage lives on in our commitments, and their love continues and blesses the world through us.

Opening Words

Rev. Florence Caplow

"Cry Heart, But Never Break" Story

Glenn Ringtved

Illustrated by Charlotte Pardi

*Hymn #1051 "We Are..."

Offertory "Comptine d'été No. 2" Yann Tiersen

Reading

"Free"

Wendell Berry

Choir Anthem "To My Old Brown Earth"

Pete Seeger, arr. Paul Halley

Reflection

"All Souls: Honoring Ancestors"

Rev. Florence Caplow

Hymn #388 "Dona Nobis Pacem"

Congregational Offering of Candles for Those Who Have Died

"Andante" from Flute Sonata in E minor by J.S. Bach

Hymn #1011 "Comfort Me"

Closing Words & Extinguishing the Chalice

Postlude "Dance of the Blessed Spirits" from Orfeo ed Euridice C.W. Gluck

ARE YOU VISITING TODAY?

Welcome! Please stay after the service for coffee and conversation. Visit the Welcome Table in the lobby and fill out a visitor's card. Visit the Connections Hub Table for information and stop by our Visitor's Room (located off Fellowship Hall) for conversation and to meet some of our current members. In the Visitor's Room you can also pick up literature and other information about our church community. We're so pleased that you've visited us, and we hope you come again very soon.

Hospitable Parking

Please reserve spaces in the parking lot for guests and newcomers and for persons with limited mobility. You'll find a map of close-by parking areas at the Connections Hub table in Fellowship Hall.

Young Adult Table

Are you ages 18-35? Join us after service in Fellowship Hall for conversations important to young adults or young at heart.

Sharing Joys and Sorrows

As a caring congregation, sharing written joys and sorrows on Sundays is a part of how we connect. There are cards available in the pew in front of you and in the foyer.

Rose Window Center: The Phoenix. Designed by Robert Chase in 1964, the image of the Phoenix reminds us that from the fire of devastation something new can arise, brave and beautiful.

A monthly Shared Offering supports a non-profit organization specifically **chosen by our congregation.** Any designated checks, envelopes and half of the weekly plate collection is sent directly to the chosen organization. For this month's Shared Offering, refer to the announcement section of this order of service.

eNews and monthly Uniter

If you would like to receive our weekly eNews and Uniter, please sign up at the Welcome table or visit https://goo.gl/xgv6Kk.

For Your Information: Church events, including services, may be recorded and/or photographed. This is an AED equipped facility. The AED is located in the lobby, near the Green Street entry.

JOIN US NEXT SUNDAY

REV. PATRICE CURTIS, VISITING UU MINISTER

"RITUALS OF LOVE"

^{*}Please rise in body or in spirit

Who are your ancestors? Do you know their names? Write them on the candles!



Do you know people or pets who have died? What were their names?

Announcements

Today's Hospitality Team E Volunteers! Welcomers: Mona Shannon & Hannah Christensen; Ushers: Karla Peterson, Kathy Robinson & Virginia Brubaker; Decorations: Kathy Robinson; Bell ringer: Kate Barton; Refreshments: Gail Cohen, Sylvia McDermott, Hannah Christensen, Caren Cohen-Heath & Pamela Van Wyk

Our November Shared Offering is supporting DREAAM House. A local, community-impact organization with a justice-informed mission to reduce the achievement and opportunity gaps among boys and young men. Since July 2015, DREAAM House has built a prekindergarten-to-college-pipeline program for boys aimed at cultivating academic excellence and positive citizenship. Website: dreamhouse.org.

Early Voting is now open in eight locations around the County, including on weekends. TODAY, let's all head over to the Church of the Living God for the "Souls to the Polls" event from 1-4 pm. You can vote if you haven't already done so and join in this community celebration of voting rights with sister congregations. Questions? See Jennifer Livingston at the Social Action table after the service.

November 10th: Installation of Rev. Florence Caplow and Celebration of Our Shared Ministry. Doors open at 10:15 am and service will begin at 11:00 am. A luncheon will be at the First United Methodist Church (2 blks east of UUCUC). Contact Jim Hannum jwhannum@gmail.com with questions or if you haven't RSVP'd. Volunteers needed! Contact Kelly Halcomb kellyhalcom@comcast.net

LGBTQIA+ Outreach. 'Transgender' Could Be Defined out of Existence under Trump Administration. It's time for those of us at UUCUC that care about this and related issues to step up. The Welcoming Congregation Committee is reinventing itself after a year of assessment and charting its next course. If you are interested, please contact Jerry Carden jcarden@illinois.edu.

Thanksgiving Potluck. Would you like to share Thanksgiving dinner with UU friends? To sign up, look for the poster & legal pad in Fellowship Hall after the service. Contact Sylvia or Brian McDermott if you have questions: (217) 398-1948 or salmcd.84@gmail.com.

The Third Annual Champaign County Interfaith Alliance Thanksgiving Celebration, UNITED in our DIVERSITY! Sunday, November 18, 2018 at 3 pm at The Krannert Center of Performing Arts. Please come and join in our fellowship of people living in harmony and celebrating a season of thanks. Questions? Call (217) 359-3631. You are invited to bring non-perishable foods to donate to the Eastern Illinois Foodbank.

Announcements - Continued

The Winter Uniter is coming! It's time to start thinking about your contribution to our quarterly publication. The last day for submissions is Wednesday, November 21st, no later than noon. This Uniter will cover December, January and February. Send your submissions to pubs@uucuc.org.

GO SCENT FREE! The smell of perfumes, lotions, and other fragrances are making your friends at church feel ill. To help all of our members and friends feel comfortable at church, please join our UUCUC movement to GO SCENT FREE!! Stop by our table in Fellowship Hall during Social Hour and sign-on as a supporter of our GO SCENT FREE movement and receive a green ribbon to support SCENT FREE UUCUC!

Adult Religious Education. Do you have a great idea for an adult religious education experience? Do you have the ability to facilitate or lead a class for adults? The opportunity for you to share your experience is right around the corner. Michele Grove is coordinating adult and multi-age religious education opportunities for the winter (December, January and February). We hope to provide learning opportunities sponsored by groups and individuals. All winter learning opportunities will be coordinated into one book for easy reference. We hope you will share your ideas and talents with this program. If you wish to discuss this further, reach out to Michele for conversation. Soon she will have a template for designing your class. Deadline for submissions is November 10, 2018.

Religious Education Registration. If you have not registered your child or youth for our religious education program or if you are new here, please do so through this link: https://uucuc.breezechms.com/form/0adff. We ask that everyone registers once a year, so that we have the most up-to-date contact and health information for our participants.

UUCUC Upcoming Weekly Calendar

Sunday, November 4

Adult Discussion Group / 9:00 am / Library
Mindful Meditation Group / 9:00 am / YRUU Classroom
Choir Rehearsal / 9:00 am / Sanctuary
Partner Church Meeting / 9:00 am / Children's Chapel
Worship Service / 10:15 am / Sanctuary
Young Adult Group / 11:30 am / Table in Fellowship Hall
Visitor's Welcome Room / 11:30 am / Library
Book Project Meeting/ 11:45 am / Children's Chapel
Soul Matters Covenant Group #8 / 1:00 pm / Classroom #1
Soul Matters Covenant Group #7 / 1:30 pm / YRUU Classroom

Monday, November 5

Bridge Group / 1:00 pm / Children's Chapel Social Action Committee Training / 5:30 pm / Fellowship Hall

Tuesday, November 6 (Vote Today!)

(Rental: DSC Playgroup) / 8:30 am / Nursery Personnel Committee Meeting / 5:00 pm / Library Election Night Viewing & Support / 6:00 pm / Fellowship Hall

Wednesday, November 7

Last day for content for eNews & Order of Service at noon. (Rental: Smart Recovery) / 6:00 pm / Classroom #1 CrUUners Rehearsal / 6:00 pm / Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal / 7:00 pm / Sanctuary

Thursday, November 8

Care Core Steering Committee / 11:00 am / Library (Rental: Many Paths: an Agnostic AA) / 6:00 pm / Classroom #1 Racial Justice Project Meeting / 6:30 pm / Library Finance Committee Meeting / 7:45 pm / Classroom #1

Saturday, November 10

Choir Rehearsal & Set-up / 9:00 am / Classroom #1 & Sanctuary Celebration of Shared Ministry & Installation of Rev. Caplow / 11:00 am (Doors open at 10:15 am)

(Rental: Many Paths: an Agnostic AA) / 4:30 pm / Classroom #1

Our church calendar is available 24/7 and is the most up-to-date. Visit: https://uucuc.org/uucuc-calendar