

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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Patrick McDonnell

**“Stewardship Sunday:
Filling Up and Spilling Over”**

Sunday, February 10, 2019, 10:15 am

Rev. Florence Caplow

Mona Shannon, Worship Associate

Matt Sheppard, Music Director; Matthew Gladden, Piano;

Emily McKown, Solo Voice

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, February 10, 2019

Filling up and spilling over, it's an endless waterfall.... (Cris Williamson)

Gathering Chime & Tower Bell

Prelude "Waterfall" Cris Williamson

Welcome and Announcements Brian McDermott

Greeting Our Neighbors & Centering Chime

Unison Chalice Lighting

We light our chalice this morning,
grateful for the love that we experience in this beloved community.
May the flame light the way for all who seek such abundance.

(Dawn Skjei Cooley)

Opening Words

***Hymn #361** "Enter, Rejoice, and Come In"

Welcoming New Members

Stewardship Testimonial Melissa Minarik

Offertory "Lieder ohne Worte, Op. 19b, No. 1" Felix Mendelssohn

Sharing Joys and Sorrows

*May the longtime sun shine upon you, all love surround you,
And the pure, pure light that's within you, guide your way home.*

Reading "Money Is Like Water" (from *The Soul of Money*) by Lynne Twist

Reflection "Filling Up and Spilling Over" Rev. Florence Caplow

Chocolate and Fruit Communion

***Hymn #410** "Surprised by Joy"

Benediction & Chalice Extinguishing

Postlude "All You Need Is Love" Paul McCartney & John Lennon

**Please rise in body or in spirit*

ARE YOU VISITING TODAY?

Welcome! Please stay after the service for coffee and snacks.

Visit the Welcome Table in the lobby for name tags and to fill out a visitor's card to join our mailing list. Visit the Connections Hub Table for more information about this congregation and Unitarian Universalism, and to chat with welcoming members.

We're so pleased that you've visited us, and we hope you visit again 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.

Our intention is having a Fragrance-Free building. Please choose to be fragrance free out of respect for those who are affected by scents. Help us keep the air we share healthy and fragrance free.

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 and Wall Hanging: Ying Yang. An ancient Chinese religious symbol used before the time of Confucius to indicate two basic factors (good & evil, positive & negative, dry & wet, hot & cold, male & female, etc.) interacting within a sphere which symbolizes the Great Ultimate or Absolute.

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

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.

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

"WALKING EACH OTHER HOME"

UUCUC CARE CORE & REV. FLORENCE CAPLOW

Religious Education News

Opportunities to serve:

The religious education program runs thanks to countless volunteer hours. There are many opportunities to volunteer. Please reach out to Michele Grove, Interim Director of Religious Education if you wish to learn about any of the following opportunities:

- Be a member of a newly formed religious education committee.
- Be a part of a team that designs and organizes each week's worship coloring packet.
- Be a part of team that organizes and serves meals as a part of religious education activities.
- Be a part of a team that makes snacks and bakes goodies for RE leaders each Sunday.
- If you wish to learn more about volunteering as a part of a classroom leadership team, talk to Michele about available opportunities.

Volunteering with religious education is service to UUCUC and a way to connect with others. Building relationships is at the heart of all we do!

Our Whole Lives (OWL) Facilitator meeting.

Sunday, February 10, 2019 11:45 AM -1:30 PM. Classroom #1. If you are a trained OWL facilitator, you are invited to join our first coordination meeting of 2019. We will meet with Sandra Greenfield, an OWL Trainer or trainers, who will facilitate a discussion about our current program and future needs. Lunch will be provided. Child care available on request. Please RSVP to Michele at re-director@uucuc.org.

Mark Your Calendars for the Upcoming Religious Education Opportunities.

- Workshop: Creative Models of Unitarian Universalist Religious Education. Sunday, March 31, 2019 from 11:45 AM to 2:00 PM.
- Resolving Conflict, Finding Agreement, Part I. Saturday, April 27, 9:00 AM to 1:30 PM.

Announcements

Today's Hospitality Team A Volunteers! Bellringer: Jenna Zeidler; **Ushers:** Jennifer Greene, John Milano, & Melissa Minarik; **Welcomers:** Natalie Bacerra-Stasiewicz, Matt Stasiewicz & Joe Minarik; **Decorations:** Jennifer Straub; **Snacks:** Jennifer Straub, Ravi Hasandka, Ellen DeWaard; Cake provided by the Stewardship Committee

Our Shared Offering for February is Austin's Place (AP). AP is the only winter emergency shelter for women in Champaign County, from 8pm to 7am, for women who would otherwise be out on the streets. This initiative operates solely on volunteer effort.

Our Call to Stewardship for our 2019/2020 church year begins TODAY! Stop by the Stewardship table in Fellowship Hall to pick up your stewardship packet, or to speak with our friendly stewardship team. Never pledged before? We have extra packets.

TODAY! Exploring Immigration at UUCUC, 3:30 pm to 5:30 pm, Fellowship Hall. Join the newly-formed UUCUC immigration team, as we talk with Ricardo Diaz, C-U Immigration Forum and Ben Muller, C-U FAIR (Friends & Allies of Immigrants & Refugees) about their work and how we might best assist immigrants and refugees. Information gathered during our time together will help us determine where we are best able to focus our efforts and support.

Wake Joy! Class Continues in 2019! Rev. Caplow's Wake Joy class will resume on Thursdays until February 28th, 4:30 – 6:00 pm at Channing Murray Foundation on campus. The sessions will focus on practices for cultivating happiness. All are welcome! There is not charge for the class, but please register at <https://bit.ly/2SyQRhV>.

LGBTQ 101 Terms and Pronouns Workshop - Save the date: Sunday, February 24th at 2 pm. Taught by persons from the UP Center (Uniting Pride). Come learn why pronouns are important and how to create welcoming spaces for LGBTQ people in any organization or congregation. Program by the Uniting Pride center hosted by the Unitarian Universalist Church of Urbana Champaign. Childcare available on request (please email: jrock08@gmail.com).

Announcements - Continued

THERE'S AN APP FOR THAT! Do all your banking on your smart phone? GivePlus is the app to use for your donations to the church. Stop by Fellowship Hall TODAY and Amy Robison, our Financial Secretary, will give you a demo. If you prefer to use the church website to make online donations - it is still available. She will also be taking a survey - would you like to be able to pay donations, registrations, or Service Auction purchases using a credit card? finsec@uucuc.org or stop by in Fellowship Hall.

Stories Wanted: "A Moment When We Were at Our Best". Please tell us your story of a time when our UUCUC congregation was at its best. The Strategic Vision Team has heard your Dreams for the Congregation (look on Membership bulletin board for more info). Now please think back over the years, or months, you have been with us and tell us about a time when our church was at its best. Post your memory on UUCUC members and friends group Facebook page, write it in this <https://bit.ly/2tb3mVT>, or look for cards and a collection basket on tables in Fellowship Hall. Let's all share a memory of a time when this UUCUC church was at its best. Our minister will write a reflection based on our responses for March 3rd service.

Possible UUCUC Women's Retreat. There is interest among some women in the church, including Rev. Florence Caplow, to hold a women's retreat later this spring. As the conversation is purely at an exploratory stage, we would like to gauge how widespread this interest might extend into the larger congregation. If this notion appeals to you, please send an email stating your interest, and any questions/concerns you might have about such an event, to Priscilla Kron at priscilla.kron@gmail.com. You may also call Priscilla at 217-649-6632 if that is more convenient.

UU Voices Book Group will meet at noon on Sunday the 24th. This group is facilitated in Rev. Caplow. We are still exploring *Christian Voices in Unitarian Universalism*, available as an e-book or paperback on Amazon.

UUCUC Upcoming Weekly Calendar

Sunday, February 10

Adult Discussion Group / 9:00 am / Library
Mindfulness Meditation Group / 9:00 am / Library
Worship Service / 10:15 am / Sanctuary
Young Adult Group / 11:30 am / Table in Fellowship Hall
UUCUC Trust Fund Trustee Meeting / Noon / Children's Chapel
Exploring Immigration at UUCUC / 3:30 pm / Fellowship Hall

Monday, February 11

Bridge Group / 1:00 pm / Children's Chapel
Compassion & Choices Action Team Meeting / 7:00 pm / Fellowship Hall

Tuesday, February 12

Board of Trustees Business Meeting / 7:00 pm / Classroom #1

Wednesday, February 13

Last day for content for eNews & Order of Service by noon, the latest.
(Smart Recovery) / 6:00 pm / Classroom #1
CrUUners Rehearsal / 6:00 pm / Sanctuary
Choir Rehearsal / 7:00 pm / Sanctuary
Strategic Visioning / 7:00 pm / Children's Chapel

Thursday, February 14

Care Core Steering Committee Meeting / 11:00 am / Library
Wake Joy Class with Rev. Caplow / 4:30 pm / Channing Murray on Campus
(Many Paths: An Agnostic AA Group) / 6:00 pm / Rm #1

Saturday, January 16

(Calligraphy Practice) / Noon / Classroom #1
(Many Paths: an Agnostic AA Group) / 4:30 pm / Classroom #1

For the most up-to-date calendar information, please visit uucuc.org/uucuc-calendar.