

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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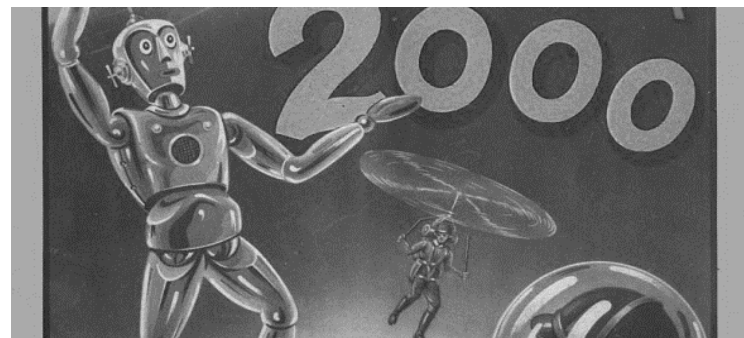
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The Distant Future: The Year 2000

YRUU Reflections on Technology

Sunday, February 3, 2018

10:15 AM

YRUU

Julie Laut, Worship Associate

Matthew Gladden, Piano

Emily McKown, Youth Coordinator

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 3, 2018

Gathering Chime & Tower Bell

Welcome and Announcements

Karen Folk

Greeting Our Neighbors & Centering Chime

Prelude

“Interstellar Theme”

Hans Zimmer

Opening Words

Emily McKown

Chalice Lighting

“Knowledge, They Say” by Arthur Noyes

Knowledge, they say, drives wonder from the world;

they say it still, though all the dust's ablaze with marvels at their feet,

While Newton's laws foretell

that knowledge one day shall be song.

We seem like children wandering by the shore, gathering pebbles colored
by the wave,

*while the great sea of truth, from sky to sky stretches before us,
bound-less, un-explained.*

Song

We hold you in our love as you grow, as you grow

May your heart be at peace as you grow.

To nurture the spark of your precious life,

We hold you in our love as you grow. (Kathleen Tracy)

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.

Reflection

Jordan Simmons

***Hymn #334**

“When Shall We Learn”

Personal Reflections on Technology

Demitrius Urban

Community Matters

Austin's Place

Kim Stanhoppe

Offertory

“Across the Stars”

John Williams

***Hymn #302**

“Children of The Human Race”

Technology in our World Today

Celia Barbieri and Emma Herzog

Chime & Chalice Extinguishing

Postlude “The Times They Are A-Changing”

Bob Dylan
YRUU Band

ARE YOU VISITING TODAY?

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

Visit the Welcome Table in the lobby and fill out a visitor's card.

Visit the Connections Hub Table, in Fellowship Hall, to pick up literature and other information about our church community, and to meet some of our current members. 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.

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.

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

“FILLING UP AND SPILLING OVER”

REV. FLORENCE CAPLOW

UUCUC's Child Care team is building. The eNews has already featured the new child care coordinator, Kelsey Libert. This week, we are proud to also introduce the child care providers. If you see any of them, please take a few moments to say hello. If you have child care needs for your upcoming program or church-related meeting, please follow our new child care policy. Providing child care is an important part of this congregation's mission.



Julian Barbieri



Tamia Cobbs



Rachel Luna



Quety Sayles

UUCUC Child Care Policy. Kelsey Libert, Child Care Coordinator

Email childcare@uucuc.org at least 48 hours in advance of your requested date and time of event. Please provide us with the number of children expected and their approximate ages so that we can be best prepared. We do our best to provide child care when needed but know there are times when members of our child care team may not be available. If you submit a request for childcare less than 48 hours in advance, the chance for finding available providers decreases. We will communicate the arrangements once established and let you know if we run into any issues.

Announcements

Today's Hospitality Team A Volunteers! Bellringer: Amanda Owings; **Ushers:** Cathy Cunningham, David Wolf & Pam Richart; **Welcomers:** Mary Barrineau, Jeff Unger, Jenna Zeidler, Natalie Becerra, Matt Stasiewicz & Joe Minarik; **Decorations:** Lan Richart; **Snacks:** Jenna Zeidler, Jennifer Greene, Melissa Minarik

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.

Please join our 4th-5th grade class in Fellowship Hall after service today to help Mount Olive Missionary Baptist Church. A fire completely destroyed their Sanctuary. Please join us by writing a word of hope on an origami crane. Donations will also be accepted.

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 six 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>.

Exploring Immigration at UUCUC, February 10, 3:30pm to 5:30pm, Fellowship Hall. The Social Action Committee has agreed to move forward with a church-wide initiative on immigration. This is exciting, given the immense need to respond to crises at the border and those that exist right here at home. Join us on 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. Interested in knowing more? Call Pam (773) 556-3418 or Claire (217) 356-6710.

UUCUC Upcoming Weekly Calendar

Sunday, February 3

Adult Discussion Group / 9:00 am / Library
Mindfulness Meditation Group / 9:00 am / Library
Children's Choir Rehearsal / 9:15 am / Classroom #1
Worship Service / 10:15 am / Sanctuary
Young Adult Group / 11:30 am / Table in Fellowship Hall

Monday, February 4

Stewardship Committee Meeting / Noon / Library
Bridge Group / 1:00 pm / Children's Chapel

Tuesday, February 5

Board Chairs Potluck / Noon / Fellowship Hall
Personnel Committee Meeting / 5:00 pm / Library

Wednesday, February 6

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

Thursday, February 7

(Many Paths: An Agnostic AA Group) / 6:00 pm / Rm #1
Worship Committee Meeting / 7:00 pm / Library
Finance Committee Meeting / 7:30 pm / Fellowship Hall

Saturday, February 9

Loss of Life Partner Covenant Group / 11:30 am / Library
(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.

Children and Youth Religious Education Opportunities:

Children and youth begin in worship each week and then go to classes. They are always welcome to stay for the entire worship service if desired. Once a month, there is an all-ages worship experience. The next one is February 10th when we celebrate, Generosity.

The following religious education programs do not begin in worship. Instead, they are invited to begin in the classroom unless a special announcement has been made:

- Nursery is available for children ages 0-5 from 10:00 to 11:30 AM.
- PreK class (3-4-year olds) begins and 10:15 in room #4. There may be times they take a field trip to hear the story in worship!
- The Coming of Age class meets in the library beginning at 10:15. There are times that Coming of Age comes to worship particularly when it is a topic that relates to this special journey.

Anyone who wishes to know more about the different religious education opportunities is welcome to visit the religious education welcome table in the basement foyer.

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!