UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST



### April 27, 2016

### This Sunday

#### Sunday, April 24

10:30 a.m. Worship Service & Children's RE

Does it Really Matter? -Robin Collen

**Greeters:** Kathy Curro Stevie Michaelson Wil & Rebecca Rivers

Handbell Introit: Carina Cook Pat Gengo

Social Hour Hosts: RE Committee

**Collection Counters:** Ruth Baltus Valerie Ingram

**Library Table:** Joan Kepes

#### This Week in RE

**RE Ambassador:** David Bradford

**Nursery:** Arthur Freeheart Barbara Beekman

# **Church News**

**The days of May are nigh!** The UShare Committee will meet this Sunday morning at 9:30 in the upstairs room. After church we'll be getting the Priest Garden ready for the season. Please join us to clear the beds and spread fertilizer. Please bring appropriate gardening attire (gloves, sun hat).

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**Membership Book Open Sunday:** If you are ready to join this UU congregation, the membership book will be open after church this Sunday. You must be a member to vote for our new settled minister on May 15. Learn more.

**RE Sundae Sunday:** Join us this Sunday, May 1 to make your own ice cream sundae. We will also be inviting you to volunteer for the 2016-17 RE Program. **Yummy details**.

**Candidating Week:** Our ministerial candidate James Galasinski and his family will be here the week of May 8 to 15. Check out the **plans and schedule** and be sure to participate in as many events as you can!

**Coffee, Conversation & More:** The last Sunday morning discussion before a summer break will be on May 8 at 9:15 and will focus on end-of-life choices. **More info**.

**Spring Work Day:** Help us finish outdoor work and clean and reorganize the block room on Saturday, May 14, from 8:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. **More info and sign up**.

**A Day's Work:** The Social Action Committee is joint sponsor of a film and panel discussion this Saturday, April 30, at 11 a.m. at Massena High School. **Details and more**.

**Love Music?** Do you like the variety of music we have in our Sunday services? Then we need you on the Music Committee

**Spirit Play:** Margaret Harloe Tim Nolan

**Signs of Our Faith:** Susan Powers Pete Beekman

Toolbox of Faith: John Tyo Pete Wyckoff

Building Bridges: Relani Prudhomme

**Youth Group:** Wendy Bachhuber Dwight Stevenson

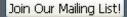
#### The Week Ahead

Thursday, April 28 4:00pm, Interim Shared Ministry team meeting 4:30pm, Handbell Choir rehearsal

Friday, April 29 12:10pm, UU Dance Event with Kathy Montan

Sunday, May 1 9:30am, UShare meeting 10:30am, Worship & Children's RE 11:30am, RE Sundae! Noon, Priest Garden work day

Wednesday, May 4 10:00am, Library work day 6:30pm, Church Council meeting





for a special interim-year assignment. Learn more!

**Fun UU Dance Event:** Join Kathy Montan on two Friday afternoons - April 29 and May 20 - from 12:10 to 12:50 in the Romer Room for some simple dance movements to world music. Enjoy community, reduce stress, and have fun with 40 minutes of low-impact aerobic dance that will lift the spirit. No dance experience necessary - all are welcome.

**SAC Volunteer Opportunities:** The Social Action Committee is updating its network of volunteers who would like to know about occasional opportunities for social action. If you haven't already joined, please **click here** to review the purpose of this email network and to register.

### **Religious Education News**

This Sunday: Our children and youth will be hearing a story about color and emotions, examining different decision-making processes, creating bluebird boxes for Indian Creek Nature Center, and dancing a Maypole. Details about Sunday's classes here



**RE Sunday Help Needed:** We are looking for a few folks who have passion for working with children and youth and supporting them in creating the worship service for Sunday, June 12. We will be rehearsing on Sunday, May 22, and again on Sunday, June 5. If you would like to help, please contact Carol via **email**.

The <u>May newsletter</u>, which is full of information about Candidating Week, was delivered to your inbox yesterday.

## WHAT?

You didn't open it? You don't know what you're missing!

(click <u>here</u> and find out!)

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