UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST



### May 18, 2016

#### This Sunday

#### Sunday, May 22

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

*Tai Chi: The Supreme Ultimate No Big Deal* Sean Boutin, Pulpit Guest

Greeters: Paul Cutter Todd Moe & Paul Siskind

Worship Associate: Valerie Ingram

Kitchen Cabinet Advisor: Helen Hutchinson

Social Hour Hosts: Jan DeWaters & Stefan Grimberg Gary & Sally Hoose Byron Whitney

Collection Counters: Lonie Bogett Will Siegfried

Library Table: Dave Nelson

This Week in RE

Acting DRE: Wil Rivers

# OUR NEW MINISTER IS CALLED!

CHURCH of CANTON, NY

Last Sunday we joyously and unanimously called the Rev. James Galasinski to be our new minister! Hear James' candidating sermons <u>here</u> and see photos of Sunday's service and vote <u>here</u>.

Welcome James and congratulations Search Committee!

# **Church News**



**Come One, Come All!** Everyone is invited to the Chili Cook-Off and Delicious Dessert Auction this Saturday, May 21, beginning at 5:30. Admission of \$10 per person or \$20 per family includes 10 tickets to vote for your favorite chili. And don't forget to bid on a delicious dessert! Entries are still being

accepted. Click here for more info.

**Sacred Sites Open House:** This Saturday and Sunday, May 21 and 22, from 1 to 3 p.m., our church will be joining with the other member churches of Church and Community Program participating in the annual Sacred Sites Open House Weekend. Learn more here.

**Highway Clean-up:** Please join the Environmental Action Committee to clean up "our" part of Riverside Drive after church this Sunday. **Details here**.

**UShare Update:** We had a great day in the Priest Garden last Saturday. Thanks to Karen Bage we have sign-up sites for adopters for both gardens. Adopting for a week is easy! Visit the **RE Ambassador:** Rhonda Rodriguez

Nursery: Jean Williams Bergen Emma Bentley-Hicks

RE Sunday Planning & Fun Day: Wil Rivers David Bradford Margaret Harloe

#### The Week Ahead

Friday, May 20 12:10pm, UU Dance Event

Saturday, May 21 1:00pm, Sacred Sites Open House 5:30pm, Chili Cook Off!

Sunday, May 22 10:30am, Worship & Children's RE Noon, Spring Cleanup on Riverside Drive 1:00pm, Sacred Sites Open House

Monday, May 23 Noon, Mindfulness Meditation

**Tuesday, May 24** 7:00pm, Stewardship Committee meeting

Wednesday, May 25 10:00am, Library work day

#### Join Our Mailing List!



site for the garden you would like to visit - **Priest Field Garden** in Canton or **Cecilie Garden** in Potsdam and enter your name and click on the week(s) you would like to adopt.

**B&G Summer Worker Needed:** Building and Grounds Committee seeks a hard working youth for various jobs during the summer months. More information **here**.

**Campus Kitchen Summer Help:** If you would like to volunteer for Campus Kitchens this summer while students are away, there will be a program overview/training on Thursday, May 26, at 4:30 p.m., in the Social Room. Contact

socialaction@uucantonny.org for more information.

**Dairy Princess Parade is Coming!** Our church has a proud tradition of joining others in the community to demonstrate our support for GLBTQ rights and issues by marching in the Dairy Princess parade. This year the parade is Saturday, June 4. Mark your calendars and watch for more information.

**Love Music?** Do you like the variety of music we have in our Sunday services? Then we need you on the Music Committee for a special interim-year assignment. **Learn more!** 

#### 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 planning for RE Sunday scheduled for Sunday, June 12. Details about Sunday Here



**Become an RE Volunteer:** The RE Program is recruiting volunteers for the 2016-17 school year. Check out Wil Rivers' comments on <u>Why I Teach in the RE Program</u>. If you are interested, please take a moment to complete this <u>online form</u>.

# May Newsletter - Click here

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