

September 9, 2020

THIS SUNDAY September 13, 2020

10:30 a.m. <u>Waters of Renewal: Ingathering</u>

The Rev. James Galasinski and Carol Zimmerman, DRE

<u>Click here</u> for instructions on how to join virtual worship on Sunday

CHURCH NEWS

Expanding Our Reach: Would you like to be part of team that helps guide Council with technology and equipment recommendations for the future? If so, please **email Jenn Whittaker** to learn more.

Teaching Ministry Workshop - The Religious Education Program will be exploring new methods of ministry and we value your participation. Please join us for one of the available workshops via <u>Zoom</u> tonight Wednesday, September 9 at 7pm or Saturday, September 12 at 9am.

Stuffed Animal Sleepover: Even though we humans aren't able to gather during this time of social distancing, stuffed animals still can! There will be a Stuffed Animal Sleepover at UU Canton the weekend of September 18-20. Please register your stuffed animal in advance, so we can have a name tag for them. Use this online form - <u>https://forms.gle/nVcVscJH5kjNNzhN8</u>.

<u>Venmo</u>: If you are looking for an easy way to <u>donate</u> to the cash offering on Sundays, or pay your pledge, we now have an <u>account with Venmo</u>.

The North Country Art, Land and Environment Summit (September 9 - October 2, 2020) provides a virtual way to join community members from the Kaniatarowanénhne /St. Lawrence River Watershed, Haudenosaunee Territory to discuss sustainable and regenerative solutions for the Climate Crises. The Summit will feature a series of outdoor exhibitions, film screenings and online panel discussions. Learn more <u>here</u>.

BREATHE Act: The Faith in Action Group encourages you to attend webinars offered by the UUSC regarding the BREATHE Act.

BLM rallies are still happening in Potsdam everyday at 6 p.m. in front of the Potsdam Post Office. RSVP and share the event on Facebook <u>here</u>.

THE WEEK AHEAD NOTE: The church building remains closed. Most gatherings will take place virtually.

> **Thursday, September 10** 7:00 p.m., Worship Committee

Sunday, September 13 10:30 a.m., Worship

Monday September 14 Noon, Mindfulness Meditation 7:00 p.m., Faith in Action Meeting

Wednesday, September 16 12:30 p.m., Budget & Finance Committee Meeting 1:30 p.m., Communications Committee Meeting 6:30 p.m., Religious Education Committee Meeting

FAITH ENGAGEMENT NEWS

Faith Engagement at Home

Books and Cooks - This is our final session. Hear the story Matzo Ball Moon and learn about the Jewish celebration of Passover. Then make tasty matzoh ball soup. Check it out on our <u>Facebook Event</u>



page for all the details and links. You don't need a Facebook account to access it.

Faith Engagement Package - We have created a take home faith engagement package for families to keep connected to our faith values. These packages contain a gratitude activity, coloring sheets, a UU principles card game, a 6 sources beach ball and much more. Please contact Sara by <u>email</u> or calling 315-386-2498 if you would like to schedule a time to pick up your package.



Nature provides a free lunch, but only if we control our appetites.- William Ruckelshaus

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