



October 12, 2016

## Annual Meeting

The Annual Meeting of the congregation will be held on **Sunday, October 23**, immediately following the service. The purpose of the meeting is to elect the 2017 Church Council. The Nominating Committee has proposed this **slate of candidates**. All are welcome to attend the Annual Meeting, but only members may vote.

An all-church potluck will follow, to which everyone is invited! Please bring dishes to share according to your last name: A - G: dessert; H - R: salad/side dish; S - Z: main dish. And don't forget your potluck packs!

## CHURCH NEWS

**B&G Feedback:** In the **October newsletter**, the Building & Grounds Committee solicited feedback about landscaping plans for the front of the church. Please share your thoughts with them at **building@uucantomy.org**.

**More Coffee & Conversation:** On Sunday morning, October 16, Jon Rosales will share his knowledge and experience of climate change on indigenous villages in the Arctic. Several short videos that illustrate the extent of the impact are available at **www.aksik.org/documentaries**. CC&More begins at 9:15 a.m. As always, childcare is available. We hope you can join us!

**UU 101:** Next Tuesday, October 18, at 7 p.m., James' series about what Unitarian Universalism is and how our church works continues. The third session will focus on Living our Faith: Social Justice, and you don't need to have attended the previous sessions to participate. Learn more **here**.

**Jazz Circle:** The initial gathering of the Jazz Circle will be on Wednesday, October 19, at 7:30 p.m. in the sanctuary. Learn more **here**.

**Handbell Choir Looking for Ringers:** Do you enjoy making music with others? Come ring with us! The Handbell Choir is looking for a few additional ringers to join our ranks. It is helpful if you can read music (or can at least keep a steady count). We practice most Thursdays at the church from 4:30-5:30pm. If you are interested in joining us, contact our new director, Ron Berry, or contact the office by email or phone.

**Dreams for the Future:** The 2017 canvass kicks off this month. Canvass sessions, are scheduled for October 22, 26, 29, and 30. Sign-ups will begin after church next Sunday - please bring your calendar. Learn more or sign up online **here**. Childcare will be available during canvassing.

**Mark Your Calendars:** The Welcoming Committee invites Newcomers to a Get-Acquainted Coffee before church on Sunday, October 23. Details **here**.

You will find more detailed news in the **October Newsletter**

## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS

**This Sunday:** Our children and youth will be celebrating

water, learning about healing the earth, continuing to create a webpage, exploring our UU values and planning for the year. [Details here](#)



**Register Your Child(ren)!** Please take a moment to register your child(ren) for the 2016-2017 religious education year by clicking [here](#).

## COMMUNITY NEWS

**Prism Potluck:** There will be a potluck dinner for Prism on Sunday, October 16, at 6 p.m., in the Social Room. Bring a dish to pass. The discussion topic will be activities for the group for the coming year; members of the local college communities are encouraged to attend. Please contact the [church office](#) for more information.

### THIS SUNDAY

**Sunday, October 16**

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

**[Loosening the Generosity Stopper](#)**

The Rev. James Galasinski

**Greeters:** Pete & Kathy Wyckoff, Becky Van de Water

**Worship Associate:** Valerie Ingram

**RE Ambassador:** Rhonda Rodriguez

**Social Hour:** Louise Bixby, Lonie Bogett,

Lorraine Olendzenski & Tim Nolan

**Collection Counters:** Jon Montan, Lorraine Olendzenski

[Click here](#) for the full schedule of Greeters & Social Hour Hosts

### THIS WEEK IN RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

**RE Ambassador:** Rhonda Rodriguez

**Nursery:** Johanna Lee, Brook Stevenson

**Spirit Play:** Evelyn Barton, Lois Cutter

**Our Caring Community:** Anna Sorensen, Kathy Wyckoff

**Maker Space:** Gwen Cunningham, Carol Pynchon, Sally Hoose

**Coming of Age:** Rajiv Narula, Helen Hutchinson

**Youth Group:** Leo Burger, Desiree LeBoeuf, Carol Zimmerman

### THE WEEK AHEAD

**Thursday, October 13**

4:30 p.m., Handbell Choir Practice

7:00 p.m., Worship Committee Meeting

**Friday, October 14- Saturday October 15**

Our Whole Lives Retreat

**Sunday, October 16**

9:00 a.m., Choir Practice

9:15 a.m., Coffee, Conversation, & More

10:30 a.m., Worship and Children's RE

Afternoon, UShare at Cecile Garden

**Monday, October 17**

Noon, Mindfulness Meditation

7:00 p.m., Chalice Circle

**Tuesday, October 18**

7:00 p.m., UU 101

7:00 p.m., Stewardship Committee Meeting

**Wednesday October 19**

6:30 p.m., Religious Education Committee Meeting

7:30 p.m., Jazz Circle

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