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April 2 – “Minding Our Emotions”

Rev. Dr. Julie Kain

Under pressure, our emotions can become more volatile than usual. The service title has a double meaning - when our emotions are bothering us, and those times when we are able to tend to our emotions with an attitude of mindfulness.

The honor of your presence is joyfully requested at the
Ordination of Maggie Lovins
as a Community Minister with the
Unitarian Universalist Church of Pensacola Florida
Sunday, April 9, 2017 4 O'Clock
Light Reception to Follow (see page 4)

April 9 - "A Changing World"

Rev. Dr. Julie Kain

Is it possible that the world is undergoing a dramatic shift unparalleled in half a century? Let's take a look and see what that might mean for Unitarian Universalism. **Sunday Sweet & UU Booktable** after service!

Annual Easter Flower Communion
Bring a flower for the community table!

April 16 – “Finding Beauty in the Brokenness”

Rev. Dr. Julie Kain

We draw inspiration and strength to bring our own courageous love to the broken places in our lives with a flower communion to celebrate Easter.

April 23 – “Saving the Earth”

Rev. Dr. Julie Kain

Now more than ever, we are all needed to help protect the beautiful planet we call home. In honor of Earth Day, this service for all ages will celebrate how our Unitarian Universalist principles empower us for this important commitment.

April 30 – “Thank God for the Workers!” Sara Green, Intern Minister

On May 1st, workers across the world gather to remember the Haymarket affair, a labor protest turned violent by the state. The workers during May 1886 were fighting for the eight-hour work day. What does it mean to see ourselves, as individuals and a church, as part of a class struggle? And what does that mean for our spiritual lives? Join us as we explore justice, equity and compassion in our lives as workers, organizers and spiritual people. **Fifth Sunday “Share the Plate”** auction winner Maddie Anzaldo Satterwhite’s selection (see page 9)

May 7 – “Shifting Worldviews”

Rev. Dr. Julie Kain

Many of us are becoming increasingly aware of a clash of worldviews happening all around us. How do we make sense of it? What is the connection between our core values and the lenses through which we see the world?

Julie's Jazz Notes

It seems the first quarter of the year has already flown by and it has felt like a whirlwind for many of us. I have been noticing that the high anxiety we have been watching play out on the national and international landscape seems to be sending a rippling effect through other levels of our lives. Emotions are running wilder than usual. It's challenging to filter out the larger stresses long enough to listen to the wisdom that our own hearts have to offer for our personal lives.

Meanwhile here at church, we have entered into new territory in our congregational life. With the arrival of Sara Green as an intern minister, and the ordination of Maggie Lovins as a community minister with UUCP, we are venturing into uncharted waters and doing

some innovative trailblazing as a Unitarian Universalist congregation in the Southern Region.

Our community is growing in new ways – more families, more younger and diverse folks among us – and some of the “newness” is being experienced as growing pains. My hope is that we take full advantage of the learning opportunities that we are being offered for building an expanded vision of Unitarian Universalism for our times and for the future.

It's an exciting time full of opportunity, but it is also, frankly – stressful. So take good care of yourselves and be sure to find a space, in the sometimes-frantic times we are living in, to listen to the counsel of your own wise heart. Tend to your emotions too! Listen to what they have to tell

you, and don't let them whirl you about to the point that you can't think clearly.

In times like these we need each other more than we know! Let's try to remember to hold ourselves and each other lightly...

*With deep gratitude for our community,
~Rev. Julie~*



Our Caring Community

Our loving thoughts go to **Priscilla Lamore**, an honorary lifetime member of our congregation, who is in hospice care at her apartment in Roseville, California. Priscilla's daughter Ann has been providing us updates on Priscilla's mostly upbeat spirits. Priscilla's spunky style of living her values continues to be an inspiration to many of us.

Congratulations to **Jill Cicero** on the publication of a children's ebook "A You and Me Day" which is available on Amazon. Jill's "Roses are Red, Violets are Blue, UU Principles" poem that we

shared in recent Sunday services can be found in this issue of the Light on page 8

We offer our condolences to **Alan Nitzman and Brenda Goebel** on another family loss, Alan's sister-in-law, so soon after the loss of his sister. Wishing you and the family some comfort and peace during this difficult time.

Annabelle Miller has returned home after a knee replacement. We hope for a quick recovery and look forward to seeing her back at church soon. Thanks to church member Nadine Hubble, and other

friends of Annebelle's, for offering support during the healing process.

Special Thanks to **Emma Mulvaney** for coordinating the spring Family Camp Out at Big Lagoon State Park, and to everyone who turned out for the beautiful weekend weather and lots of outdoor activities. A FUN time for all!

Correction from last month's Caring Community column: **Ryan Ardoin** was accidentally listed as "Rick" when he was thanked as one of the testimonial speakers in our budget drive campaign. Sorry, Ryan!!



President's Notes:

Monthly column from our Board President, Audrey Preston



Hello Beloved UU Community!

I must apologize for my recent absences from our Services and gatherings. As many of you know, I own and operate Pensacola Parade People, the Mardi Gras Store, with my mother. Every year in January and February, our lives become a blur of beads, boas and everything else purple, gold and green! We had a wonderful Mardi Gras season and I look forward to reengaging fully here at UUCP.

Spring is always a busy time in our congregation and, in true form, a lot has been going on here at UUCP! I love seeing all the gatherings and social events being offered, including the inception of Friday Nights Live, the showing of "The Sharp's War", our monthly potlucks, entertaining concerts, the CRE Family nights and the upcoming campout (which may have already happened by the time this goes to print). With the political landscape leaving many of us feeling disconnected and drained, there is no better time to come together in loving community, so I encourage everyone to make time on your calendar to enjoy a little fellowshiping and rejUUvenation!

I look forward to seeing you all soon,
Audrey

February Board Meeting Synopsis:

The Board reviewed, revised, and approved an Affiliation Agreement among the UUCP, Rev. Dr. Julie Kain, and (soon to be Rev.) Maggie Lovins, which sets out the relationship among the parties and the expectations of each in their roles. The document was drafted after research by Maggie and Rev. Dr. Julie of similar agreements between other community ministers and congregations, as no standard agreement is available. The Board also reviewed and approved the Community Ministry Covenant that will be included in her ordination ceremony.

Treasurer Laurie Winterberg presented an update on the Budget Drive which concluded on March 5: Ten new members pledged this year. The goal was to raise \$128,400 in pledges; \$106,000 in pledges have been received to date. The Finance Committee will meet on April 5 to prepare a draft 2017-18 budget to be presented to the Board at its April meeting. Regarding the current year's budget: A small surplus created by the transitions in the Office Administrator position were repurposed to cover an unexpected increase in Worker's Compensation insurance premiums and a shortage in the Sunday Music budget.

A motion that UUCP sign the UUA/UUSC Declaration of Conscience as a congregation will be added to the agenda for the Annual Meeting in May.

Mark Beyerl and Audrey Preston will serve as UUCP's official delegates at General Assembly in June.

UPCOMING DATES:

The next Board meeting will be April 17, 2017, at 6:00 p.m. Members of the congregation are always welcome to attend. Full meeting minutes are available in the church office.

Do you ever wonder what goes on at board meetings? There is a 3-ring binder in the church office with all the meeting minutes and you're welcome to attend! We want to make sure our UU family is informed and up to date!

If you have any questions or input be sure to contact Audrey Preston, Mark Beyerl, or Rev. Julie!



Sara's Sayings

Monthly column from our own Intern Minister, Sara Green

Here's the thing- I'm not surprised. I'm not caught off guard. I am not in disbelief about the recent events in the UUA in regards to the hiring process and organizational culture. To bring people up to speed, a qualified and competent candidate for a UUA regional staff position was turned down because she, a woman of



color, was not the "right fit". Many people, including the leaders of Black Lives of Unitarian Universalism, recognized this coded language and began to articulate the statement's roots in dominant white culture. I have been weaving in and out of white spaces for quite some time and have learned to never underestimate the grip that white supremacy has on white organizations, particularly white faith-based organizations. I know, from observation, the dominant culture of the UUA and its churches and the attempts to push back and add to the mix. Meeting other religious professionals of color and singing the Black National Anthem are all marvelous occasions, but they are just that, special occasions. White supremacy and dominant white culture are present in the way we worship, in the ordination process and how congregations participate in ministerial search. At every point of critical engagement with the system, I am aware that I am expected to have mastered the art and finesse of this culture. What keeps me here are two things. The first being that I am rooted in my identities as a Queer, Black woman and prioritize my livelihood and wellbeing over an organizational affiliation. I trust myself to know when I need to adjust and/or leave. Secondly, I know and believe in the power of organizing for change. In Pensacola, I've been working to start a Showing Up For Racial Justice (SURJ) chapter, which deals with facing the hard truths about white supremacy and how it shows up in our personal/professional/spiritual lives. In covering topics around governance and accountability, I am part of a group that is committed to wrestling with the narratives that unconsciously govern our lives. And THAT work speaks volumes

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to me. I am overjoyed at the possibility of being in community with some of you who are also interested in that work and invite you to join at the next SURJ meeting, April 6th 6PM at Peter Shark's home (contact me with more specifics). James Baldwin, in *The Fire Next Time*, writes "love takes off the masks that we fear we cannot live without and know we cannot live within. I use the word "love" here not merely in the personal sense but as a state of being, or a state of grace - not in the infantile American sense of being made happy, but in the tough and universal sense of quest and daring and growth." Let us love one another.

In love and solidarity, Sara



Important News From Your Finance Team Co-Chairs

At the conclusion of the annual Budget Drive, the goal for members and friends pledges to support full programming at UUCP for 2017-18 fell short by approximately 18%.

As this edition of the Light goes to press, the Finance Team and Board members are working hard on how to address our budgetary needs for the next year.

It is important that you 'stay tuned' for more information as it becomes available. Read the weekly emails from the church as well as the announcements insert in each week's order of service.

If you have any questions, or concerns, please contact Finance Team Co-Chairs Marylee Donnelly or Laurie Winterberg.

UUCP SPRING YARD SALE FRIDAY, MAY 5TH AND SATURDAY, MAY 6TH



1. Bring items to the church beginning **Sunday, April 9** or arrange to bring your items when someone is at the church during the week. Kitchen items, linens, toys, children's books, outdoor items, furniture, electronics, shoes, purses, hats, knickknacks, tools, jewelry, pictures, collectibles, appliances, gardening, and pet items are all good sellers. Items can be placed in the back hallway. If you can put the items in **stackable boxes**, that would be a "big help." Because of a wedding reception just prior to the Yard Sale, we are renting a "pod" to store items.
2. Bring us your **portable folding tables by Sunday, April 30**. Be sure to put your name on underside. Items sell better that are displayed on tables easy to see and examine. Tables can be picked up on Sunday, May 7. We always need more tables!
3. Contact Georgianna Bryant if you have a vehicle such as a **pick up truck** that can be used to pick up heavy items from members' homes that are unable to get these items to the church. If you don't have a truck, but can help with pick-ups, the truck driver always needs helpers. Also contact us if you need large or heavy items picked up and brought to the church.
4. Plan to **stay after church Sunday, April 30** to help with initial setup. Help is needed to set up some long tables and to bring items from storage (the pod outside) to the church foyer. Just thirty minutes or an hour or so would help a lot. ☺
5. Volunteer to help with setup and pricing of items on **Monday, May 1, Tuesday, May 2 and Wednesday, May 3** beginning at **9:00 a.m.** (until about 4:00 p.m.) – any shift during these times will be appreciated. A sandwich lunch will be provided. Other food donations appreciated. We need lots of helpers just to organize items so they will sell better. No expertise required. Remember, volunteer helpers find the "early bargains." We may also work **Thursday, May 4** if we don't get done on Wednesday.
6. Volunteer to help with actual sale on **Friday, May 5 and Saturday, May 6**. Any shift you can work between 7:30 a.m. and 1:00 p.m. would be great. Help will also be needed on Saturday from about 1:00 p.m. until 2:00 p.m. to help pack up any remaining items for donation to charity.

**Any and all assistance is
GREATLY
APPRECIATED!!!**

Georgianna Bryant,
Yard Sale Coordinator
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GATHERINGS



Easter Potluck Luncheon Sunday, April 16

Enjoy food, fun and fellowship at our potluck luncheon after the service. **Volunteers are needed for setup and cleanup – the sign-up sheet is on table in the foyer.** We'll provide the beverages. Please bring a covered dish according to the following:

- Last name begins with A - D:**
vegetable, salad, or appetizer
- Last name begins with E-L:**
dessert or bread
- Last name begins with M - Z:**
main dish or casserole

We often have guests so please be generous with your contribution.

Before Service and Second Hour

Before the Service

9am Every Sunday, in the Library:
"Coffee and Conversation"



Second Hour:

April 2: Newcomer Hospitality Welcome with Rev. Julie and members. This informal 'Meet and Greet' will be held for all interested - new Members and Guests alike- in learning more about our congregation and Unitarian Universalism.

April 9: Sunday Sweets & UU Booktable!!!

April 16: Potluck Luncheon (see left margin)

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UUCP LUunch BUunch

Wed. April 12, 1pm

But before I tell the plan, please read the details/etc. On 8 March, some had difficulty finding the somewhat obscure PCK, later agreeing that there was probably enough info in the Light to find it. ... Most of us have Smart phones or access to Google Maps or similar, and can preview our road trip; or add the phone number of the new eatery, who can explain their own location. ... And while you're on-line, please scan the menu to get the details of these non-standard local shops to which we introduce ourselves .

For Wednesday, 12 April, those willing and able will try End of the Line Cafe, 610 Wright St., (429-0336) between 6th & 7th Ave., right across from our main rail line, 2.5 blocks west of 9th Ave. I was quickly enamored of the good aromas when I dropped in for a take-out menu (also on the web site). This is a smallish place, probably 25 seats with random tables inside and varied tables in the backyard (some with inside type chairs). The menu is vegan, meaning NO dairy, meat/fish or eggs (but you probably won't notice). Please advise of your likely attendance by Monday, 10/4, to Hugh T., 478-2373 or hurn@juno.com; reservations are loose but they know we're coming. And you order at the counter.

seats outside at three rough picnic tables (but you can bring inside chairs to an outside table), which was where we sat. From the look of the served plates, many went for the German style entrees, some sandwiches, both substantial in quantity; my vegetarian order would not be repeated (too noodle-y), but it would be worth going back, ... but not to sit outside, where the traffic noise was probably getting to more folks than just me. (They're open M-F, 11-2.)

WOMEN'S SPIRITUALITY CIRCLE

Wed. April 19, 6:30 pm

Q&A—Audrey Preston
(audreyloupreston@gmail.com)

"Our mission is to create a safe and welcoming space for women to experience spirituality in community."

Snacks begin at 6:30; bring some to share. Please consider staying to help with cleanup. All women are encouraged to be respectful of our collective time by being mindful of our start time of 6:30 and our ending time of 8:30, so we may clean up and be out of the building at 9 pm.



For Wednesday 8 March, we journeyed to Warrington, the Pensacola Cooks Kitchen at 3670 Barrancas Ave. (between Jamison and Fleet). Several of our 14 LB'ers drove past the first time to find the small operation - 18 seats inside (14 at the bar) and 18



Children's Religious Education News:
WAY Cool Sunday School!

March 2017 news!

CRE Goals are to engage Children, youth and teens in meaningful exploration of our Unitarian Universalist Church of Pensacola community through simple interactions with their surroundings and to develop a sense of our UU identity and a personal commitment to living our seven Unitarian Universalist Principles.

What's Around the Corner for OWL!

The Our Whole Lives (OWL) K-1 session wrapped up in March with 6 kids participating. This marks the end of our second OWL session at UUCP this year. Emma Mulvaney and Lauren Anzaldo have completed the 7-9/10-12 grade levels trainings. We hope to offer the 25 session 7-9 grade level OWL course in the spring 2018. Due to the church-wide budget shortfall, the OWL program needs your help! We will need supplies such as anatomical models and birth control devices. We are also in need of more trained leaders (and money for training)! The OWL program is totally unique to our area. It is an amazing community outreach for UUCP. The OWL program has received positive national press in non-UU publications such as U.S. Catholic and The New York Times. The OWL team is marketing our program to other churches and like-minded community groups to draw more non-member participants. Please help us spread the word and look for future announcements on specific ways you can help make OWL at UUCP a success!

written by **CRE Team Leader, Melissa Ardoin.**

Find out more about OWL at <http://www.uua.org/re/owl>

April Schedule:

- April 2: Children's Chapel
- April 9: Classes
- April 14: Good Friday
- April 16: Easter Sunday Time For All Ages/ Classes
- April 23: Earth Day Service For All Ages
- April 30: Classes

Please feel free to contact Sarah Stubbs or Melissa Ardoin with any questions!

Please take time to get involved and support WAY Cool Sunday School!

Children's Religious Education (CRE) Advisory Team

Coordinator: Sarah Stubbs (437-5979) mssarahstubbs@gmail.com

Team Leader: Melissa Ardoin melissabardoin@gmail.com

Team Members: Lauren Anzaldo,
Donna Harwell, Jill Cicero &
Jennifer Morris

**UUCP's
FAMILY CORNER**

Looking for awesome opportunities to spend Family Time together outside of the home?

Visit the *Pensacola Family Events & More* Facebook Page managed by UUCP Member Jennifer Morris!

[Click here or the Image for the Facebook Page](#)



Check out their *Google Calendar* to see the upcoming events geared toward the entire family ... from Newborn to 99+

NAVIGATORS at UUCP?

Please take a look at this exciting youth program and see if you know of someone who could be a leader!

A Navigators chapter requires two adults, male and female preferably. All the program materials exist and are ready to go. UUCP has offered the building as a meeting location for a UUCP Navigators chapter. The Humanists of West Florida will provide funding for sponsorship of the chapter, which primarily covers the liability insurance. Some program fees would be extra. This is a UU developed program that is intentionally inclusive and fully secular. Check out their website - Navigators USA www.navigatorsusa.org.

*Please let **Buz Ryland** know if you or someone you know is interested. He can be reached at bamoteun@yahoo.com or 850-293-9824.*



Welcome New Member Shea Winterberger

The Coast Guard brought Lt. Shea Winterberger to Pensacola. Her parents brought her to Unitarianism at age 5 in Anchorage, Alaska.

Currently the executive officer of the Cutter CYPRESS, stationed at NAS, Shea has spent some five of the past eight years driving ships over 200 feet long. She's been stationed at San Francisco, Charleston (SC) and Juneau (AK). Says Shea, "I love the opportunities the Coast Guard has provided me in terms of travel and variety of experience. Over the past eight years I have run the gamut of missions the Coast Guard has to offer, from helping with the Deepwater Horizon clean-up efforts and conducting fisheries law enforcement, to maintaining aids to navigation and carrying out search and rescue missions." She'd like one day to return to school for a master's degree in the sciences.

Meanwhile, she notes, "Attending UU churches and

fellowships at all of my different duty stations has been a cornerstone to my very transient life, which I couldn't have done without."

While she does enjoy Pensacola, there are some reservations: "I could do without the months of June, July and August. Can we fast forward through those somehow?" 😊 More seriously: "I love all of the state parks and opportunities to get out on the water."

When off-duty, Shea enjoys geocaching – "like a scavenger hunt using satellites" – open-water swimming, hiking and reading. Among special interests: volunteering at animal shelters and for groups promoting animal welfare. She also used to play the trombone, but hasn't found time for practice lately.

Shea's parents are retired from the Forest Service and divide time between Anchorage and Missoula (MT). Her sister, Bryn, is



Shea Winterberger

completing her bachelor's degree in Missoula, with plans to continue her education in nursing; she works at an Alzheimer's care home and is interested in working in hospice care.

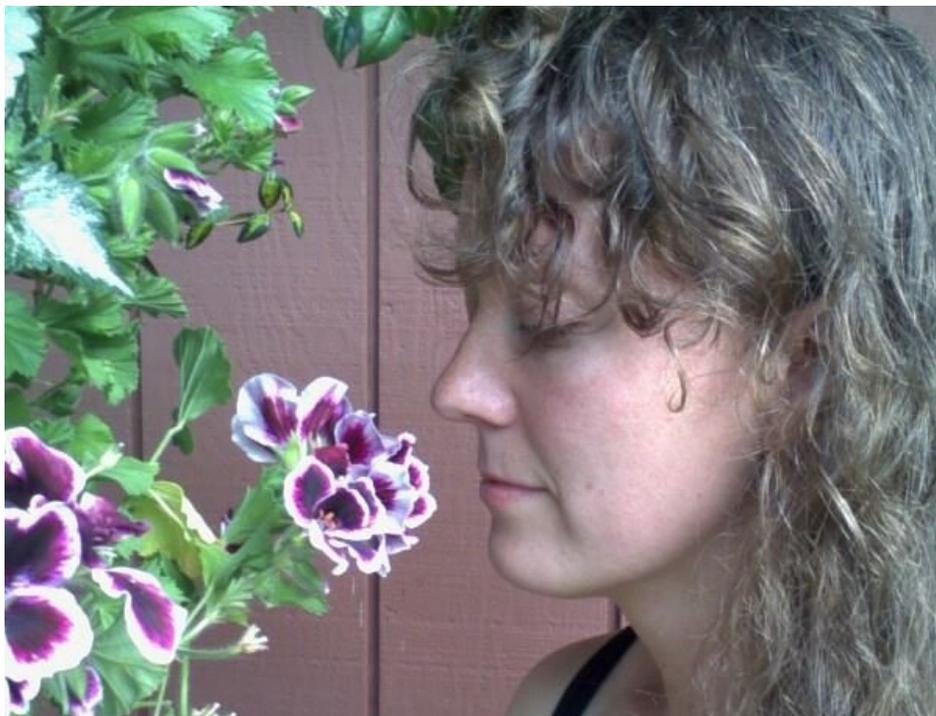
About Shea's introduction to UU: "I was at the stage of asking uncomfortable faith questions about the meaning of life and who god was exactly and whether we should believe in god, and my parents started hunting for a faith home. Lucky for me (and them) they found the Anchorage UU Fellowship. I've been through the RE program and OWL, and I've attended UU churches and fellowships at all of my different duty stations.

I love the welcoming atmosphere here at UUCP. Between snowbirds and the military, you get a lot of turnover and it is apparent that your more permanent members really want to make everyone feel welcome."

Shea is eager to participate as a UU volunteer. In fact, she has already taken her first turn as a UUCP Sunday service leader, on March 12. "I was one of the rotating lay leaders at my last fellowship (which had no permanent minister). I would also be interested in helping with yard work and grounds maintenance."

Welcome aboard, Lt. Winterberger!

~Charlotte Crane



Shea Winterberger



Yes, there's an 'app' for your smart phone for Simple Church! Available for either iPhones or Android devices! Easy to navigate and you'll never be without your fellow UUCP members' and friends, contact information.

AND, you can phone anyone on your Simple Church directly from the app!

~UUCP Treasurer~

Seven Principles Poem

By UUCP Member Jill Cicero

1st Principle:

Roses are red, violets are blue. I am important, and so are you.

2nd Principle:

Roses are red, violets are blue. Treat all people fairly, and be kind to them, too.

3rd Principle:

Roses are red, violets are blue. Learn all we can; accept all into the crew.

4th Principle:

Roses are red, violets are blue. Each one of us is free to search for what is true.

5th Principle:

Roses are red, violets are blue. We must all have a vote from our own point of view.

6th Principle:

Roses are red, violets are blue. Working for equality and peace is just what we do.

7th Principle:

Roses are red, violets are blue. We care for our earthly home, a task we're up to.

ATTENTION NEW (or Returning) MEMBERS!!!

If you HAVEN'T had a Welcome published yet, please contact Charlotte Crane or the Church Office as we'd love to feature you!

Sincerely,
YoUUr Beloved Community
uucp@bellsouth.net

WHAT'S UUP @ UUCP?



Members & Friends,

Maggie Lovins' ordination presents us with an opportunity to affirm our covenant with her as our UUCP Community Minister and to host a joyful reception to honor this momentous occasion. We encourage all of the UUCP community to attend and to help us radically welcome those who will be visiting from near and far.

Your donations of finger foods for the reception will be appreciated. If you prefer not to cook or bake, we will gratefully accept monetary donations, or you can volunteer to help clean up after the reception.

What a wonderful opportunity for us to welcome Maggie's family/friends, UUs from other congregations, and Religious Professionals from our UUA. And of course to celebrate our congregation sharing our principles through Maggie's services as UUCP's Community Minister!

Please contact Marcy at 478-0991 or morelandmarcia@gmail.com to donate.

*Thanks for your generosity and remember,
"It's a great day to be a Unitarian Universalist!!!"*

*Peace, Maggie's Ordination Planning Team
Honor Bell, Rev. Bob Eddy, Lisa Hudson, Marcy Moreland, & Kate Wolverton*

FRIDAY NIGHT LIVE: PASSOVER SEDER

JOIN THE UU CHURCH OF PENSACOLA
APRIL 7TH
FROM 7-9!



Passover Seder is a Jewish ritual meal that recounts the story of the Hebrews through slavery and exile. Join us for a night of storytelling, song and food that connects us to ancestors and the struggle for justice worldwide.

Please R.S.V.P. to Sara Green, Intern Minister, by April 2.
Suggested Donation of \$10 or dish.

Friday Night Live April 21, 7-9pm



Game Night

Friday Night Live is another opportunity for us to fellowship, build community and dive deeper into our Unitarian Universalist practice. It is a chance to bring new people into our community and explore our UU sources through hands-on activities. Twice a month, we'll gather for a short multi-generational and interactive activity followed by potluck snacks.

If you have ideas about activities we should do for May contact our

Books for Prisoners: This nonprofit organization provides reading materials to inmates free of charge around the state of Florida. *Look for the box in the South exit to donate your reading materials.* Books for Prisoners is sponsored by **Open Books**, a collectively owned, non-profit bookstore started by a group of people involved with the Prison Book Project. **Open Books**, 1040 N. Guillemard Street, at the corner of Guillemard & Desoto. Visit them on the web at: www.openbookspcola.org



2017 April Calendar of Activities

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
2  Coffee & Conversation 9am Sunday Service 10am 	3	4	5	6	7  Friday Night Live 7-9pm (See Page 8)	8  UU Spring Camping Trip (see page 6) 1
9  Coffee & Conversation 9am Sunday Service 10am Maggie Lovins' Ordination UU Book Table Sunday Sweets	10	11	12  LUUNCH BUUNCH 1pm (See Page 5)	13	14	15
16  Coffee & Conversation 9am Easter Sunday Service for All Ages 10am Potluck Luncheon	17  Board Meeting 6:30-8:30pm	18	19  Women's Spirituality -6:30pm- (See Page 5)	20	21  Friday Night Live 6-9pm (See Page 8)	22
23  Coffee & Conversation 9am Sunday Service 10am	24	25	26	27	28	29
30  Coffee & Conversation 9am Sunday Service 10am						

Second-Hour* - Check Page 5 for posted Second-Hour events

SOCIAL JUSTICE NEWS



Restore Felons' Rights!

Florida is one of only three states that does not restore voting rights to persons convicted of a felony after they have completed their sentences. This failure on the part of the state of Florida deprives these persons of one of the fundamental rights of citizenship. There is a petition drive underway, sponsored by the ACLU and supported by Florida UU Social Justice. The petitions are available at the church. Paula Montgomery brings them around on Sundays. During the week, they can be found on the Social Justice bulletin board. If you are registered to vote in the State of Florida, please take the time to sign the petition. If you are going to be in the company of registered voters who are not church members please take several copies, get them signed and bring them to Paula.

Many thanks for your efforts to extend social justice.

Paula Montgomery, UUCP Social Justice Team Co-Leader



April's Fifth Sunday

Share the Plate Offering

Madailein Anzaldo-Satterwhite was the Silent Auction winner for the Fifth Sunday Share the Plate Offering. Madailein will donate the offering to her Girl Scout troop to use in support of her service project for her Silver Award, the second-highest award in Girl Scouting.

Madailein's project focuses on preservation of natural resources. She will be working to install low-flow toilets in high-use restrooms. Replacing older toilets with low-flow models can save as much as 4 gallons of water per flush!

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Deadline for submissions
for **MAY LIGHT**:
APRIL 18

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MANNA

FIRST SUNDAY REMINDER

Manna Memo

In the second half of February & first half of March, UUCP collected 37lbs of animal and human food for Manna Food Bank! The need is great so please give wholeheartedly!

Please keep donating generously in the beginning of every month. Thank you for your support!



SUNDAY SNACKS

Please consider donating snacks for the fellowship time after the Sunday Service one week. The sign-up sheet is on the table in the foyer. Snacks will not be needed on days when Sunday Sweets are for sale or on Potluck Sundays.