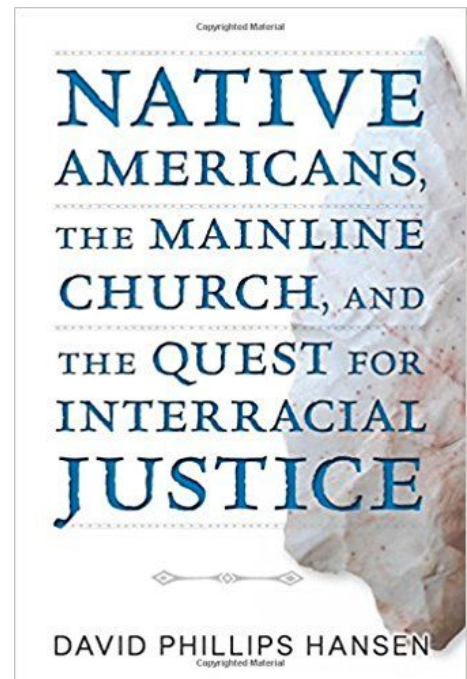


UUCL Weekly Update

This Sunday, August 27

9:30 AM - "Native Americans, the Mainline Church, and the Quest for Interracial Justice" Dr. David Hansen, UCC, Interim Pastor, Pine Valley Christian Church (Disciples of Christ), Wichita.

"Mainline Protestant denominations in the United States have apologized to Native Americans for their anti-Indian past, rejected the use of negative and demeaning Indian stereotypes, renounced the historic mission to "civilize and Christianize" indigenous peoples, and repudiated the Doctrine of Discovery. But do these bold actions mean that the mainline church is prepared to stand in deep solidarity with Native Americans in their quest for self-governance?" Dr. David Hansen, author of this quotation from his recent book, will explore these ideas further at the UUCL Program on Sunday.



Art in Founder's Hall: Peter Johnson's work includes drawings, paintings, and prints. His show will be up through August 27.

11:00 AM - "Not Your Parents' Sunday School" with Reverend Jill Jarvis, Director of Faith Development Bonnie Blosser, and Worship Associate Travis Wells.

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Sunday Faith Development Classes – Aug 20th

No Adult Faith Formation programming this morning.

Children and Youth:

For children at 9:30 am

Due to circumstances (convergent scheduling and unforeseen), our “Fall Roll Out” RE orientation and registration breakfast has been cancelled. We will have a RE class for children in the Spirit Play Center lead by Barb Thompson.

RE Service with Teacher Dedication at 11:00 a.m.

Children will remain and participate in the service (infants and toddlers are welcome to be cared for in our nursery).

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Help UUCL Grow

Please remember to put your name on a Connection Card every Sunday, so that our Connections Team can accurately track our attendance, growth, and visitor follow-up.

WE'RE SO GLAD YOU'RE HERE!

CONNECTIONS CARD
Help Us Get to Know You

9:30 Program 11:00 Worship
 9:30 Adult R.E. 9:30 R.E. Teacher

Name _____ [Change in Contact Info](#)
Email (printed) _____
Address _____
City _____ State _____ Zip _____
Phone _____
Age(s) of child(ren) with you today _____
If Guest, how did you hear about UUCL? _____

1st Time Guest
 2nd Time Guest
 Member
 Regular Attendee

Please show card to Connections. Box 20, 2nd fl.

Announcements as they appeared last week.

POOR PEOPLE'S CAMPAIGN: National Call for Moral Revival Mass Meeting-see additional insert www.poorpeoplescampaign.org, Rev. Dr. William J. Barber will speak to the gathering, hoping for a thousand to show up. Asking for volunteers for registration, ushering, childcare, music, etc. Please contact theaperry@gmail.com if you're interested. Letters to the editor **regarding misconceptions about poor people and "telling your story" would be great.**

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New to UU class, begins Sept 3 Thinking of becoming a member of UUCL? New to UU welcomes newcomers into Unitarianism Universalism and UUCL. Class runs for 6 weeks from Sept. 3 9:30 a.m. in the Library. Participants will learn and discuss the spiritual, non-creedal focus of Unitarian Universalism, UU and UUCL's history, our philosophy of religious education, social justice goals and practices, UU and UUCL governance, and the benefits and challenges of UUCL membership. To register contact Deb Russell (deb@ks-russells.com) or Ted Wilson (theodrewilson675@gmail.com).

UUCL Fall Yoga August 6 - Sept. 17: Fall yoga session is here!

A six week program to improve balance, flexibility & wellbeing.

(Must have min. of six enrolled for class to proceed. Sign up today!) Dates: Aug. 6–Sept.17 (no class Sept. 3 Labor Day wknd); Time: 12:30-1:30pm, Six week pass: \$42; call 785-691-7662 or email peacelovejoyyoga@gmail.com

Didn't order a new UUCL t-shirt? No problem! We ordered extras and they are available for \$10. If the cost is an issue, let me know. We've got you covered. ;-) See Shannon VanLandingham in the lobby or email at shannyvan@gmail.com.

Sep 8 & 9, For Your Ears Only annual Audio Reader auction at the Douglas County Fairgrounds. Anyone with vinyl records, CDs, gently-used audio equipment or musical instruments gathering dust in their homes is encouraged to donate them to the KU Audio-Reader Network, 1120 W. 11th St on KU Campus, or bring to UUCL for pickup by Barb Johnston. Please call 785 864 4600 for additional information

Independent citizen survey being conducted to provide information for Lawrence Police Department The LPD plans to use the results of this survey in their ongoing strategic planning regarding Recruiting & Hiring, Officer/Civilian Development, Citizen Engagement and Measurement & Evaluation tools. The survey runs from 8/7 to 9/15/17 and is accessible online: <http://www.surveymonkey.com/r/X5TH3NV>

Social Justice Team will meet next Sun. Aug. 27, in the library at UUCL after services, 12:15pm. Snacks available and everyone welcome!

Fri, Nov. 10 is the date for the next annual ACLU dinner Floyd Abrams, billed as America's best known First Amendment Lawyer, will be the speaker. He is the author of several books on the subject. The event is at the Doubletree Hotel in Overland Park. More information coming

August Community Connections: Willow Domestic Violence Center and the Sexual Trauma and Abuse Center (funds split).

The Willow, a safe space for people of all sexual identities and gender expressions, dedicated to restoring the health and safety of people who have experienced domestic violence or human trafficking by providing safety, education, and advocacy. All services are free of charge, confidential, and available to all survivors of domestic abuse and human trafficking who live in Douglas, Franklin, or Jefferson County in Kansas.

The Sexual Trauma & Abuse Care Center founded in 1972 and was the first rape crisis center in the state of Kansas. The agency has expanded services to Dg Co and farther out to Jefferson and Franklin. 2015 was a year of growth, with the expansion of youth services, therapeutic services, and the education program.

Pastoral Care Associates Deb Russell Deb@Ks-Russells.com
or Rev. Jill Jarvis, 816.853.6530 or jjjarvis1@kc.rr.com.

UUCL Transportation Connection for rides to/from UUCL or medical appointments, call (785)842-7529 and leave a message.

Please be considerate of all those who have chemical and fragrance sensitivity and abstain on Sunday mornings from scents of any type. Thank you for your thoughtfulness.

