

UUCL Weekly Update

This Sunday, August 6

9:30 AM - "KC for Refugees," Dr. Sophia Khan

Dr. Khan will talk about her organization's work in helping refugees get resettled.



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 - "Young and Fearless Prophet," Bobby Patton with Worship Associate Rebecca Gant.

The historical figure of Jesus of Nazareth was a rabble-rouser, a speaker of truth to power, and an undaunted advocate for the forgotten and the reviled members of society. What can we learn from his life? How can our understanding of Jesus and his impact inform our work as Unitarian Universalists? Join us!

Sunday Faith Development classes

For Adults at 9:30 am

Faith Like a River – UU Identity: Reason as a Religious Source

Where our treasure is, there our heart be also. And where our heart is there will be our reason and our premises. — James Luther Adams

Throughout history, humans have proclaimed the sources of their religious knowledge as a means to establish a basis of authority for their religious beliefs. The Principles and Sources of the Unitarian Universalist Association include human reason as an important Source of our living tradition. This workshop recounts some historical events and philosophical ideas that shaped the use of reason as a source of religious authority and tracks how this Source became ingrained in Unitarian Universalism.

For children at 9:30 am – all ages including Middle Youth (Spirit Play Center)

Our summer RE curriculum combines paint and rocks with our 7 principles, hide and seek and community outreach. Best of all it is multigenerational! Anyone can join our children for a quick discussion on one of our 7 principles to get ideas flowing for words and images that affirm and represent our principles. Painting uplifting, empowering and even fun images is part of the fun! Near the end of June (when we have painted “a ton” of rocks) we will begin to ‘hide’ our rocks throughout Lawrence for others to ‘discover’, spreading joy and kindness throughout Lawrence. Social media will help us spread the word about the gifts we will be sharing. Finders can participate in the fun too, through photos/stories and possibly re-hiding the rock. Today’s focus and discussion before painting is on the Violet promise (7th principle) “We will care for our planet Earth, our home we share will all living things”

Middle Youth - Grades 6 to 8 (Youth Room)

Michelle and Melissa are taking the summer off! All middle youth should attend either the Program in the sanctuary or join Children’s RE (UUCL ROCKS! Or Summer Science) in the Spirit Play Center.

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.

CONNECTIONS CARD
Help Us Get to Know You

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

Name _____ [Change in Contact Info](#)
Email (please print) _____
Address _____
City _____ State _____ Zip _____
Phone _____
Age(s) of CHILDREN with you today _____ 1st Time Guest
If Guest, how did you hear about UUCL? _____ 2nd Time Guest
 Member
 Regular Attendee

Please place card in Connections Box at UUCL

Announcements as they appeared last week.

TODAY JULY 30 12:20 to 12:50 pm: Hospitality team training in all positions. Meet at the kitchen. Harry Potter Potluck Fri, 8/4 at 6 pm – ALL are invited! Following our meal together we will have a brief Academy of the Sacred Flame Show. IF we have gathered enough socially acceptable Back-to-school clothing in our camp social justice clothing drive, our camp elves will be freed! We will end the evening with a viewing of Harry Potter and the Chamber of Secrets. Come for dinner or come for the evening!

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UUCL Outreach: UUCL has the opportunity to participate in the 2017 Confabularryum, a free community festival of creativity on Saturday, August 5 from 9:00 - 2:00 at Free State High School. We will have a booth making "God's Eyes". Volunteers of all ages are needed! For more information, check the UUCL Facebook group or contact Mary Holm at msholm1@gmail.com or 540-460-6575

UUCL Men's Group The next men's breakfast will be held at Muncher's Bakery, 9th and Iowa, at 9:00 a.m. on Sat., Aug. 5th.

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

A six week program to improve balance, flexibility & wellbeing. Focus on individual practice to improve your health. Yoga for all levels, for beginners & intermediate. (Must have min. of six enrolled for class to proceed. Sign up today!) Dates: Aug. 6–Sept.17 (no class Sept. 3 Labor Day wkend); Time: 12:30-1:30pm, Six week pass: \$42; call 785-691-7662 or email peacelovejoyyoga@gmail.com

UUCL Women's Group Ann Alexander's home, 3101 W. 27th St., on Sat., Aug. 12, from 2-4 pm. Learning different ways to wear scarves - bring a scarf, long or square, so we can all experiment to see what we like best. Also, bring a friend, bring yourselves ready for an enjoyable afternoon, and bring a snack to share if you wish. All are welcome, especially the younger and newer among us. Contact Lynne Bodle, 843-8263 for more information or for a ride.

Black Lives Matter Wristbands are located in baskets just inside the door of the sanctuary.

Faith in Action: A check has been sent to the Peggy Bowman Fund, recipient for May, in the amount of \$1,440.73. Graham Kreicker will present a copy of this check to the president of

the organization who will speak at the Program in August. June Community Connection amount will be reported as soon as the information is available. Thank you, congregation!

July 29-30, Community-wide school supplies collection drive! Collection boxes will be in the coat rack area in the lobby. Please bring in items for school to distribute to qualifying families in Douglas County. Volunteers needed July 24, 31, Aug 4, 7; and to help with distribution of the supplies on Aug 9-11. To volunteer or for more information, **go to www.volunteerdouglascounty.org**

August 6 “March to Give Keystone the Boot”, in Lincoln, NE at the State Capitol Bldg, 1445 K St, 3-5:30 pm, organized by the Sierra Club. See Barb Johnston or email for more information bwjohnston3579@gmail.com

August 21 in Topeka in addition to this date being the day of the historic solar eclipse, it is also the day for Bishop Dr. William J. Barber to speak in Topeka. He is the originator of Moral Mondays in North Carolina and the author of The Third Reconstruction. Please contact Barb Johnston at bwjohnston3579@gmail.com or 816 812 6725, for more info.

July Community Connection: Healthcare Access Our 29-year-old mission is to serve as a welcoming health home in Douglas County for persons with limited financial means. We create access to a continuum of community-based services to promote health and well-being. Through an active collaborative spirit we advocate for healthy people and communities. Our clinic provides comprehensive care with three medical provider teams, counseling, referral and wellness services.

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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.

