

All Souls News

A newsletter for the members and friends of All Souls Unitarian Universalist Church of Shreveport, Louisiana

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AUGUST SERVICES

Worship Service starts at 11 a.m.

Children and Youth are dismissed during the service for Religious Education.

Nursery care is available during Adult RE and till the service ends.

August 2—Rev. Barbara Jarrell is in the pulpit. Board Persons of the Day are Eric First and Kathy Osuch.

August 9—We are pleased to welcome guest speaker **Laura Flett** for her sermon "Daily Practice." *Board Persons of the Day are Ken Peterson and Diane Bundy*.

August 16—Our annual Water Communion Service. We invite our members and friends to bring water representative of their summer experiences, whether from travel destinations, backyard puddles, or their own faucets. In a ritual shared by many of our Unitarian Universalist congregations at this time of year, we will pour the waters together in a common bowl as we each briefly tell the stories of the water. If you do not have water to bring with you, we will have symbolic water on hand for you to pour into the bowl. The water is boiled, filtered, and frozen and combined with the water from previous years for future use in child dedications and other water communions. Board Persons of the Day are Kathy Osuch and Amanda Lawrence.

August 23—Claudia Harris is in the pulpit as we begin our new Religious Education year with Unitarian Universalist Identity. Claudia's message is entitled, "When in Doubt ..." Board members of the day are Bob Jordan and Jocelyn Lanham.

August 30—Director of Lifespan Religious Education **Susan Caldwell** is in the pulpit. *Board Persons of the Day are Eric First and Amanda Lawrence.*

New Ministry Announced: 'Give Away the Plate,' Last Sunday of Every Month

The Board of Directors is pleased to announce an exciting and generous new ministry entitled "Give Away the Plate."

On the last Sunday of every month, All Souls will donate our Sunday morning offering to a select non-profit groups or denominational cause. All unmarked cash and checks will be donated to the selected cause.

Donations and pledges to All Souls can still be made on these Sundays, just be sure to place them in an envelope stating the money is for All Souls and/or designate "All Souls" on the memo line of your check. Checks should still be written out to "All Souls," as the donation will be made in the church's name.

The Board chose to sponsor the North Louisiana Gay & Lesbian Film Festival as our first Give Away the Plate recipient.

The mission of the Film Festival is to recognize the contributions that lesbians and gays have made to our culture; to educate the general population, and raise

awareness of gay and lesbian concerns. This year's event is September 18 to 24.

To submit a
Give Away the
Plate nomination,
please contact a
board or staff
member.
Submitted by
Melissa Gibson,
Newsletter Editor



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FROM THE MINISTER

I Don't Get It—And I'm Glad

By Rev. Barbara Jarrell



I don't get it. Why has America (and perhaps a large portion of the world) become so enamored with raunch?

but frankly I'm glad that I don't enjoy it.

jokes—it seems that for anything to gain popularity in broader circles it has to have some elevated level of gratuitous sex, violence, scatology, or at least general crassness ... most kids movies included.

What is that?

Even allowing for the parts that advance the story, why isn't that enough? I thought we humanoids were trying to become our best, working to improve ourselves, maybe even aspiring to something superlative beautiful.

During the video that we show newcomers to introduce them to Unitarian Universalism there is a segment that talks about William Ellery Channing.

He was one of the most (if not *the* most) prominent Unitarian ministers in the early nineteenth century whose thoughts had a significant influence on the New England Transcendentalists. In the video, one of the speakers

mentions that Channing believed in "salvation by character"

I understand this to mean that Channing thought humankind had the capacity to be virtuous and develop a more noble nature than would be suited Call me what you will, to those hopelessly cursed by the condition of original sin as taught by more or-Movies, books, music, thodox Christian voices.

> Channing also believed that character must be cultivated. As you read the quote that follows I invite you to consider the context. In a sermon he delivered for an ordination in 1828 he said: "I begin with observing, what all indeed will understand. that the likeness to God, of which I propose to speak, belongs to man's higher or spiritual nature. It has its foundation in the original and essential capacities of the mind. In proportion as these are unfolded by right and vigorous exertion, it is extended and brightened. In proportion as these lie dormant, it is obscured. In proportion as they are perverted and overpowered by the appetites and passions, it is blotted out. In truth, moral evil. if unresisted and habitual, may so blight and lay waste these capacities, that the image of God in man may seem to be wholly destroyed."

Just like I believe that both the ease of access to

weapons and the cultural norm across some age groups of practicing killing and injuring humanlike forms whether in reality at gun ranges and paint ball sites or virtually in video games contribute to the likelihood that individuals, even if only unbalanced individuals, will engage in extreme acts of violence against humans—I believe that that with which we fill our minds and time shapes our character.

Garbage in, garbage out.

So why do so many people *want* to fill their heads and time of entertainment with things utterly unlovely?

Doesn't that encourage us toward our least admirable qualities?

Like Channing, I believe such things diminish the human spirit. Truth can be terrible enough. Do we really want to add to the horror in this life?

Along side the word raunchy I place the word vulgar. I realize that vulgar simply means common; but is our lowest common denominator the ground upon which we truly want to build our culture, our future, the world we will leave for our children and their children to seven generations?

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CORNER OFFICE WITH A VIEW

Covenant of Right Relations Helps Us Reach Our Potential



By Susan Caldwell, Director of Lifespan Religious Education

If you have attended services at All Souls a few times by now, you have probably heard the word "covenant" more than once, and usually in the final words of our Unison Affirmation, "Thus do we covenant with each other."

If you were raised in the Jewish or Christian tradition, then you are aware of covenants throughout the Biblical text: between God and the Hebrew people, or the New Covenant between Jesus and those who would come to be known as Christians.

In our tradition, although our views of Ultimate Reality may encompass the full spectrum between Universalist

Christianity and atheism, what we hold in common is our covenant: the sacred promises we make to each other concerning the ways in which we will be together in community.

This is a tradition that comes down to us from the earliest of our congregations on this continent.

Our Seven Principles, though often viewed as touchstones for our individual faith, were written as a covenant among our congregations in association., and are periodi-

cally revisited with input from all of our congregations who wish to offer it.

Our children, youth, and adults all make covenants within our classes, and of course, our covenant groups draw their name from that practice.

What you may not realize, however, is that our congregation also has its own *Covenant of Right Relations*, written by our members in facilitated small group conver-

sations several years ago, and then edited and synthesized into its current form by **Claudia Harris** and **Dennis Lower**.

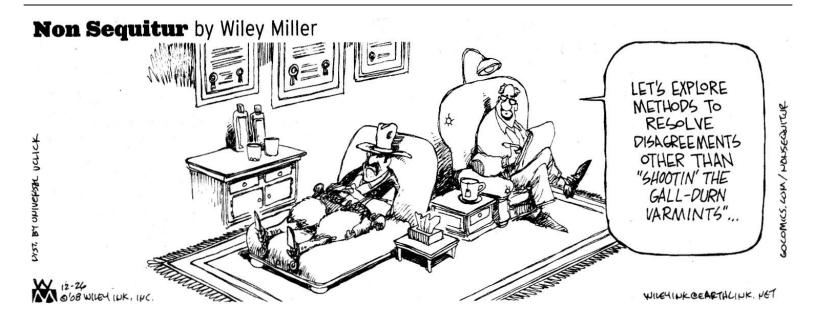
In their words, "A covenant is a promise that mutually binds individuals together. It is different from a contract, as a contract has nothing to do with reaching potential. The letter of the law is too cold and informal for spiritual growth, and legalistic relationships inhibit and

paralyze, whereas covenantal relationships induce freedom and trust. A covenant speaks to shared ideals, shared ideas, shared goals, shared respect, a sense of integrity, and a sense of caring."

The complete text of our *Covenant of Right Relations* is available in a bright yellow brochure in the foyer (look for the new UUA chalice superimposed on the cover text),

You can access the complete brochure on our website at all souls us hreve port.org.

"A covenant is a promise that mutually binds individuals together. It is different from a contract, as a contract has nothing to do with reaching potential."



Auction Against AIDS Slated for August 29



The Board of Directors for the Philadelphia Center invites you to become a part of a night of adventure, wickedness, and wonder.

The Philadelphia Center's Auction Against AIDS is celebrating its 26th Anniversary this August, and we are ready for the fantasy to begin. Come enjoy a mischievous night of recreating Wonderland, including a delectable feast, magnificent silent and live auctions, and wicked entertainment that is sure to captivate all.

This annual event will be held at the Shreveport Convention Center in downtown Shreveport on Saturday, August 29. We will have seating for guests, tables for sponsors, great entertainment, and several exciting contests.

As a benefit to guests, the Hilton Shreveport will have a discount available for Auction attendees. Please visit this link to book your room for August 29.

Tickets are \$50. You can order your tickets online or purchase them at the door.

All Souls is pleased to be a sponsor at this year's event. Thank you to following members for their donations that made this sponsorship possible: Susan Bettinger, Diane Bundy, Steve Caldwell, Susan Caldwell, Eric First, Melissa Gibson, Bob Jordan, Kathy Osuch, Ken Peterson, and Ron Thurston.

All Souls also donated a wedding rental and tickets to our 2015 Annual Gala & Silent Auction to the Philadelphia Center's silent auction.





Highland Blessing Dinner

All Souls Unitarian Universalist Church co-hosts the Highland Blessing Dinner on the first Thursday of every month. On months with five Thursdays, all sponsoring churches are asked to send volunteers.

The intent of the meals is to serve individuals and families who may "fall through the cracks" of social services. Currently, more than 120 meals are being served each Thursday.

Volunteers are needed to host tables, serve, and help in several other capacities—but the cooking is already done.

Sign up with Susan Caldwell or just show up at the Highland Center, 520 Olive Street, at 5 p.m.

Upcoming Meal(s): August 7 & September 3



Publicize #uushreve on Social Media

Did you enjoy Sunday's service? Did you snap a selfie in your Religious Education class? Share your experience at All Souls on social media.

About Hashtags

Hashtags are how we create larger conversations on Twitter and other social media platforms. No matter how many people are following your Twitter account, if you include a hashtag in a tweet, such as #BlackLivesMatter or #UUAGA or #Commit2Respond, when that hashtag is clicked it will pull up every tweet on EARTH that includes that tag.

Unitarian Universalist Hashtags

- #MyUUstory Share your story of becoming a UU or growing up Unitarian Universalist. This is a newly suggested hastag via the UU Social Media Lab. Give it a try!
- <u>#UUSunday</u> Tag tweets related to UU Sunday services so people can easily pull up Sunday service oriented tweets.
- <u>#CradleUU</u> Conversation about and among those



born and raised Unitarian Universalist

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Peter Bowden at http://uuplanet.org/hashtags. The site includes a 20-minute UU Twitter crash course video.

All Souls reminds everyone to please silence their cell phones during our worship service. To tweet about All Souls Unitarian Universalist Church, use #uushreve, you can also use hashtags on other social media platforms, such as Facebook and Instagram. You can follow All Souls on Twitter at @allsoulsshreve.

Submitted by Melissa Gibson, Newsletter Editor; UU Social Media Lab logo by Christopher Wulff (@cwulff); information from UU Planet (used with permission)

DENOMINATIONAL EVENTS

14-18 October 2015 UU Womenspirit Retreat (The Mountain Retreat and Learning Center – Highlands NC). For more information, please go online here: http://www.uuwomenspirit.org/

23-25 October 2015 Heart of Texas YRUU Youth Rally (Location TBD – Central TX UU congregation will host this event). For high school youth ages 14 to 19. Dates for this event are not confirmed yet and are subject to change (see September 2015 church newsletter for updated information). For more information, contact the church office.

13-15 November 2015 SWUUC Fall Harvest Conference (Location TBA – near DFW area). Details to follow. For more information, contact the church office.

15-17 January 2016 Gulf Coast YRUU Youth Rally Bay Area UU Church (Houston TX area). For high school youth ages 14 to 19. For more information, contact the church office. *Submitted by Steve Caldwell, Denominational Affairs Committee*

Collecting Wine Bottles for Butterfly Garden

Kathy Osuch is looking to turn a section of the firepit area into a butterfly garden. The garden is in need of many empty wine bottles, which can be used as borders, paths, and decoration. Please bring your empty wine



bottles to the church and place them in the box in the social hall.

Once the borders and paths are secure, we will be seeking native plants—keep the butterfly garden in mind when you are separating your perennials this fall or spring.

Submitted by Melissa Gibson, Newsletter Editor

FROM THE MINISTER:

If we have the dream, heart, strength, character to work toward building a better world, is it unreasonable to think that awareness of such choices needs to be part of it? The city that replaced Bedford Falls in *It's a Wonderful Life*, Pottersville, appears to become more manifest around us every day.

I'm sorry, but that just won't do.

I have to think that you, too, want to contribute to a more just, beautiful, and compassionate world. Why else would you bother being part of this community?

I do expect there are many points that some of you would enjoy making about all this. All I'm asking is that we make a genuine effort and intention to more consistently feed "the better angels of your nature," our "higher or spiritual nature," and be mindful with our decisions when garbage show up.

Yours in ever evolving faith,

Barbara

Life has a higher end, than to be amused.

Is Income Inequality Ending the American Dream?

Horatio Alger was a prominent writer of the late 1800s whose "rags to riches" stories of young boys in America inspired millions and helped solidify the idea of America as the true land of opportunity, where everyone who "worked hard and played by the rules," as a prominent U.S. President said more than a century later, would do well. The son of a Unitarian minister, Alger's stories resonated with

THE RICH GET RICHER

For every dollar the wealthiest 0.1 percent earned in 1980, they've added three additional dollars in yearly income. The poorest 90 percent have only added one cent.



generations of persons born poor who knew they did not have to stay that way, and that their children and grandchildren would live a better life than they did.

Many are now saying that this dream has become increasingly rare in the United States. Instead, there is a widespread belief that the rich are getting richer, the poor are becoming more numerous, and the great middle class is being hollowed out from each end. The measure of economic justice in America has never just been about actual equality of incomes, but rather true equality of opportunity, freedom, and the security of an adequate safety net available to all when needed.

The evidence for escalating economic inequality is so striking that few are left to argue with this contention (although see Burkhauser, Larrimore and Simon, 2012). The debate continues, however, about the meaning of these changes: is income inequality 2 becoming so extreme that is threatens many cherished aspects of life in the United States?

In 2012, President Barack Obama said, "We are true to our creed when a little girl born into the bleakest poverty knows she has the same chance to succeed as anybody else because she is an American, she is free, and she is equal not just in the eyes of God, but also in her own."

It is striking that he did not say we are being true to our creed, or even coming closer to it, but that this must be our vision for America.

At the 2014 General Assembly, the Unitarian Universalists gathered there chose "Escalating Inequality" as the social justice study issue that UUs throughout the United States would focus on for a four-year stretch of time, in the hopes of impacting the hearts and minds of people all over this nation and through increased recognition of the injustice created by excessive inequality, policy changes would eventually occur.

In this paper, I will address the following topics:

- •Is income inequality increasing?
- •Why has this become an issue?
- •Why has income inequality escalated in the U.S.?
- •What can be done about escalating income inequality?

To read the complete article by Anne Schneider, visit http://www.uua.org/economic/ga/challenging-inequality. Additional infographics available from *The Huffington Post* at http://www.huffingtonpost.com/2013/06/12/inequality-us-n-3421381.html.

I have spent my
life judging the
distance between
American Reality
and the
American Dream.

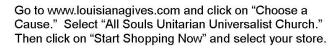
Bruce Springsteen

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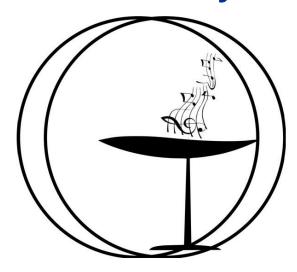


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Louisiana Gives is a partnership between Louisiana non-profits and businesses. When you shop through Louisiana Gives, each store gives a percentage of the purchase (usually 3 to 10 percent) to Louisiana Gives. The donation is then split 50-50 between All Souls and HOPE Ministries in Baton Rouge.



Save the Date for the 2015 Gala & Silent Auction



All Souls Unitarian Universalist Church presents ...



Friday, November 6, 6:30 to 10 p.m.

Tickets are \$20 in advance and \$25 at the door.

Need more information? Contact Melissa Gibson at (318) 550-1296 or melissainkdesigns@gmail.com.

For the latest updates on the event, be sure to "like" the All Souls—Annual Gala & Silent Auction on Facebook.

Karaoke * Dinner * Silent Auction * Cash Bar * Photo Booth * and More

Mark your calendars for the All Souls' largest fundraiser of the year, the Annual Gala and Silent Auction. We're trying it on a Friday this year—
November 6 from 6:30 to 10 p.m. You won't have to miss a football game to attend! No excuses, LSU fans!

Formal invitations will be mailed out the very end of September and tickets go on sale on Sunday, October 4 in the foyer before and after the worship service and will continue to be for sale each Sunday leading up to the event.

Tickets are \$20, if purchased in advance, and will be \$25 at the door.

This year's event will be at All Souls and feature karaoke, dinner, cash bar, silent auction, photo booth, and more. You won't want to miss it!

Not able to attend? We always need a few donated ticket, so feel free to purchase a ticket or two, and we'll reserve them for members needing free or discounted tickets.

We are also considering

Mark your calendars for the offering on-site child care for this year's event. If this would be helpful to you, please contact Melissa Gibson.

We need items for the Silent Auction. What kind of items? Gift cards, original artwork, jewelry, event tickets, services (such as yard care), and parties (host a party—simple or elaborate—and we'll sell off the attendee slots). Ask your favorite business for a donation—you'll be surprised how many say yes!

Items for the Silent Auction are due no later than Friday, October 30. Items must be accompanied by the proper paperwork and be delivered to Melissa's home (unless other arrangements are made).

If you would like to help with gathering donations, decorating, setup, catering, checkout, or cleanup or have any questions, please contact Melissa Gibson via call/text (318) 550-1296 or via email at melissainkdesigns@gmail.com. Submitted by Melissa Gibson, Fundraising Committee

Join All Souls for Family Game Night Every Wednesday

Tired of watching the latest *McGyver* rerun?

Worried that your child has started referring to the computer as Mom or Dad?

Overwhelmed by the endless stream of summer blockbusters at the movie theatre?

Then we have just the thing for you—come and unplug with us at All Souls Family Game Night!

Whether you have a hankering for World Domination, a desire to become a real estate mogul, or simply want to impress others with all the useless facts that have accumulated in your head, we have the game for you.

From well-known games like Yahtzee, Monopoly, and Risk, to lesser know gems (Shreveport-Bossier trivia, anyone?) there's something for everybody.

So, whether you join us as an individual or as a family, please come spend an evening of games with us.

We get together every Wednesday night from 7 to 9 p.m. in the social hall at All Souls, no reservations necessary.

Did I mention that we also have cookies?

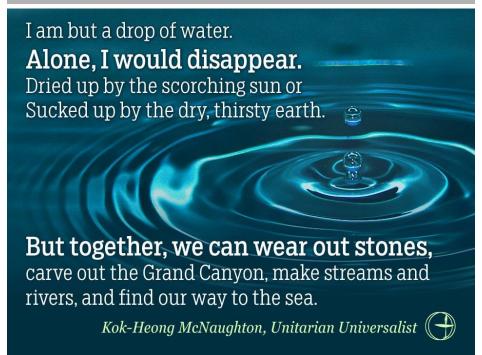
Oh, sooooo many cookies ...

If you would like more information, please call Eric First (318) 294-0945. Submitted by Eric First, Board President









Seeking Religious Education Teachers for New Year

It's time again to put up the Religious Education Teacher Chart and watch it fill up so fast it makes our heads spin with eager volunteers clamoring to get on the schedule to spend six to seven weeks imparting great wisdom and spiritual truths!

But if you aren't clamoring just yet, follow along with me as I endeavor to set your mind at ease, and with any luck, change it in the direction of less worry, more clamoring.

Here are some common concerns and their corresponding reassurances:

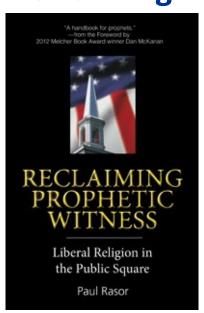
- •I don't know much about Unitarian Universalism.
 - Just about everyone who has ever taught a Religious Education class at All Souls says, "I learned as much as I taught. Probably more." One of the best ways to learn something is to teach it to someone else. I will give you a curriculum you can use "cookbook-style," either following the "recipes" exactly or sticking with flavor. You can also come to a Teacher Training August 22!
- •I don't like missing the service. Few people do, but on the "pillars "calendar we use at All Souls, your teaching commitment lasts 6-7 weeks, followed by an intergenerational service in the last week, and after that, you are free to attend the entire service for the rest of

- the year...unless, of course, you love teaching so much that you immediately sign up for another pillar, and that's perfectly fine, too! While you are teaching, you can, of course, access the podcasts online at allsoulsuushreveport.org.
- •What are "pillars?" Pillars are 6-7 week thematic units that divide our Religious Education year. Though all are grounded in Unitarian Universalist Principles and values, each one focuses on an area of emphasis important to overall faith development: Beginning in the fall, the five pillars throughout the year are Unitarian Universalist Identity; Jewish and Christian Heritage; World Religions; Peace, Social Justice and the Interdependent Web; and Personal Spiritual Growth and Development. Each one ends with a multigenerational service celebrating the theme of that pillar and showcasing the different classes and something each has learned.
- the basic themes but adding your own unique style and •I do better with some age groups than others. Classes available are Pre-K/K-1 (age 4 through 1st Grade), 2nd-5th Grade, Middle/High School. Lessons are geared to deal with spiritual concepts in an ageappropriate way for each group. Sign up early to get the age group you prefer!

Submitted by Susan Caldwell, Director of Lifespan Religious Education

CLASSES → PILLARS & DATES	PreK/K-l	2nd through 5th Grade	Middle School/ High School
UU Identity Aug. 23 to Oct. 11 Intergen Oct. 18	2.	2.	1 2.
Jewish and Christian Heritage Oct. 25 to Dec. 13 Intergen Dec. 20	1 2.	1 2.	1 2.
World Religions Jan. 3 to Feb 14 Intergen Feb. 21	1 2.	1 2.	1 2.
Peace, Social Justice and the Interdependent Web Feb 28 to Apr 3 Intergen April 10	1 2.	1 2.	2.
Personal Spiritual Growth and Development Apr 17 to May 22 Intergen May 29	1. 2.	1 2.	1 2.

Reclaiming Prophetic Witness, UUA Common Read



A Common Read invites participants to read and discuss the same book in a given period of time. A Common Read can build community in our congregations and our movement by giving diverse people a shared experience, shared language, and a basis for deep, meaningful conversations.

Each year's Common Read is chosen by a committee including both headquarters and field staff of the Unitarian Universalist Association (UUA). Anyone may nominate a book.

Reclaiming Prophetic Witness: Liberal Religion in the Public Square by Paul Rasor (Skinner House Books, 2013) asserts that conservative Christianity is not the only valid religious voice in our national social policy. The 2014-15 Common Read invites Unitarian Universalists to explore and claim our contribution, as religious liberals, to the pressing moral and ethical debates of our contemporary world.

More information on Reclaiming Prophetic Witness, ordering information, discussion guides, and how to nominate a book are available at http://www.uua.org/re/adults/read.

Information from UUA website

Congregation Collects \$307 for James Reeb Fund

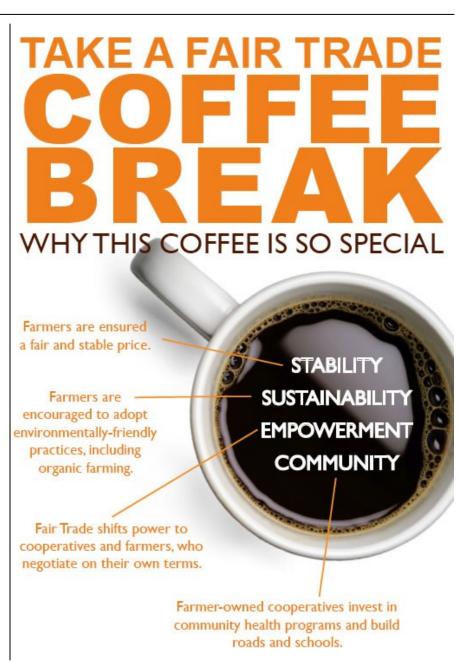
James Reeb (1933-1965) joined many Unitarian Universalist ministers who answered the call of Rev. Martin Luther King, Jr., to come to Selma in the wake of Bloody Sunday. While leaving a black-owned Selma diner with two other



Unitarian ministers, Reeb was beaten by white assailants. He died of his injuries two days later.

On July 19, All Souls collected \$307 for the James Reeb Fund for Multicultural Ministries and Leadership. The fund supports the Unitarian Universalist Association's justice work, including voting rights campaign, training and mentoring programs for religious professionals of color, and community-based initiatives for racial justice.

Thanks to all our members, visitors, and friends who donated so generously. Submitted by Melissa Gibson, Newsletter Editor; Information from UUA website



Membership Matters

Visitors Welcomed to August 30 Info Session

By Ron Thurston, Membership Committee



This month's Newcomer Information Session will be August 30, following the worship service. Grab a cup of coffee after the service and join questions, and we will share spiritual us in the middle/high school classroom—the one with the couches.

The meeting is open to anyone interested in exploring more about

Unitarian Universalism and membership at All Souls. It is held in the high ley, Carrie Raney, Michael and Deschool classroom—the one with the couches.

We will share ongoing activities at All Souls, ways to get involved, and these fine folks and welcome them to our membership process. Staff and members will be present to answer journeys, as you are comfortable.

At the July 12 Newcomer Information Session, the following people signed the Stepping Stones Book:

Kari and Hank Belding, Jeni Dudnise Fox, Renee Burkhalter, and Zoe Williams.

Please take the time to get know All Souls. Signers are eligible for membership 30 days after signing the Stepping Stones Book.

If you have questions regarding membership, please see me before or after church or contact me at (318) 300-9509.

Normand Family Named Volunteers of the Month

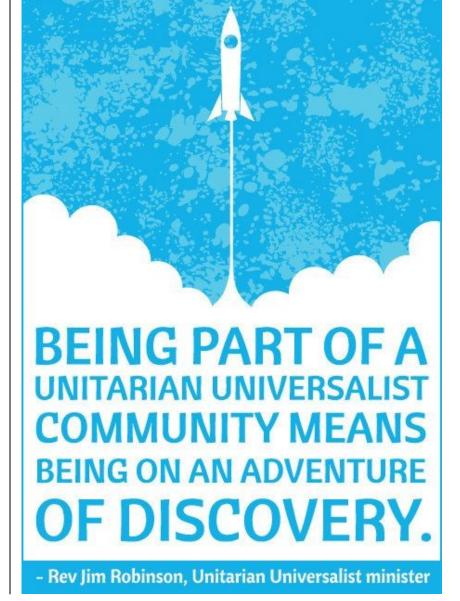
Sometimes, an entire family steps up so often that we need to honor them all, and that has certainly been the case this past year with the Normand family.

Alice has taught two pillars of religious education and subbed on several other occasions. Sam has helped her mom on numerous occasions, and also stepped up a couple of times on her own this summer.

The entire family offered a cool summer activity, duct tape wallets, for our children and youth, and for two summers,

Alice, Neil and Samantha have brought Camp Montessori Village to All Souls. For giving so freely of their time and energy to our All Souls community, we are proud to make the Normand family Volunteers of the Month for





Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat 1 10:30 AM Meditation 3 PM ADF
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23 11 AM Worship / RE 11 AM Worship / RE 12:30 PM Newcomer Info Session 30	24	25 7 PM Great Questions Group 8 PM Newsletter Deadline	26 5:30 PM Choir 7 PM Family Game Night	27 5 PM Support Group	28	29 10:30 AM Meditation 3 PM ADF



SWIM PARTY

After the service on August 16

At the home of Laurie Lyons and Henry Walker, 441 Drexel in Shreveport

Bring a dish and drinks to share!