



Welcome to the month of VISION

From the Minister, Reverend Tom Capo

Wayne Dyer writes, “If you change the way you look at things, the things you look at change.” This month is our kickoff month for our Whole Church Ministry. Look for activities around the church between services, an Affinity Group Fair (to sign up for the varied groups at our church), and notice the changes in the Sunday Services and Religious Education program. The reality is that the leadership of the church is not asking you to just look at the specific activities in the church, but to take another look at the church community. Whole Church ministry is about everyone, of every age, of every demographic being invited to engage with one another in a monthly theme in many and varied ways. You might find yourself talking to a 10 year old about their vision of justice or an 80 year old about their vision of love. You might sit next to a person who is in a wheel chair out on our new patio in the back of the church about their vision for our beloved community or engage

with someone from our Welcoming Congregation task force about their vision for celebrating the fifth anniversary of marital equality in Illinois (June 2019). You might build your own chalice while talking to someone you don’t know who is building their own chalice.

Being a People of Vision is our congregational theme for September. The staff and leadership of our church will provide multiple opportunities for you spend time with visitors, friends, and members of this church. Please get involved and talk with people you wouldn’t otherwise talk to. Let your thoughts on this theme start your conversation, but then let the conversations go wherever you find them going. Go shallow, go deep in your conversations, whatever feels right for you. Find similarities and differences between you and others in the church. Get to know people in the church in new ways.

This is not about having to spend time with new people and engage in new

activities. This is about getting to spend time with new people and engage in new activities. I am really excited about this new way of doing church at DuPage Unitarian Universalist Church, and I hope you will find it exciting as well. Don’t sit back and just watch what is happening this fall, find new and different ways to get engaged with your church. Talk with your kids about what they explored in Religious Education about being a People of Vision and tell your kids what the minister talked about in the Sunday Service. Discuss in your small groups questions like “What might it mean to use a new form of perception to connect with the sacred?” or “You see the beauty around you, but are you taking it in?” And then join me at the end of the month for Pizza (bring \$5 per person or \$10 for a family for the pizza) on Sunday, September 30th at 5 PM at church and let’s talk about your experience of Whole Church Ministry.
~Blessings, Reverend Tom

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Newsletter
September 2018

September 2, 2018 @ 9:30 and 11:15 AM

A Multifaceted Vision by Reverend Tom Capo and Steve Cooper, DRE

UU Minister Reverend Suzelle Lynch wrote, "Vision is like passion, it surges up from our roots, from the core of our being. Vision is a force within us based in principles by which we know we must guide our being." Reverend Tom and Steve Cooper will explore many understanding of vision and how having a vision influences our lives. **There will not be a time for Joys and Concerns during this service.**

Sunday Morning Forum, 9:30 AM in the Learning Center.

Science Sundays return starting September 2nd. We meet on the first and third Sundays of each month during the church year to discuss, explore, and celebrate Science and the achievements of those trained explorers of our natural world! On September 2nd we will welcome our 7th year and catch up on some of the amazing occurrences in Science over the past few months. Learn about "rogue planets", the current status of Hawaiian volcanoes, the life cycle of monarch butterflies, and more!! All are welcome, and also invited to bring your questions or new issues that you have investigated or heard about recently for a deeper discussion!

September 9, 2018 @ 9:30 and 11:15 AM

What is a Vision of Justice? by Reverend Tom Capo

American System Scientist, Peter Senge, wrote: "rather than obsess realizing my vision, consider it a force for change, a way of aligning my actions with nature's unfolding." Reverend Tom will explore how we might use our vision for justice to discern the actions we take to make a difference in the world. **There will be a time in the service to share Joys and Concerns.**

Sunday Morning Forum, 9:30 AM in the Learning Center.

Social Justice Forum. The first Social Justice Forum of the year will be Sunday, September 9th, at 9:30 am in the Learning Center. Our first speaker will be Dr. Vincent Gaddis, history professor at Benedictine University. Dr. Gaddis spoke to us last year on the origins of racism, those who attended these forums know he is an impressive speaker and welcomes your questions. Dr. Gaddis will be speaking of gun violence.

September 16, 2018 @ 9:30 and 11:15 AM

Living the Best Vision of Yourself by Reverend Tom Capo

Unitarian Universalist minister, Reverend Lois Van Leer wrote: "Let go of all that binds you, of all that burdens you, of what you carry, of all that shames you, of fear, of trespasses and transgressions, of woundedness. Let go of guilt, let go of anger...let go of ways in which you missed the mark." Sometimes we focus on the vision our ourselves based on all the things we shouldn't have done. What happens when we live our lives with a vision of ourselves based on our best selves? *There will be a special collection for Holiday Meals on Wheels during the service.* **There will not be a time in the service to share Joys and Concerns.**

Sunday Morning Forum, 9:30 AM in the Learning Center. SCIENCE SUNDAY

September 23, 2018 @ 9:30 and 11:15 AM

What you see is what you get: Tuning our vision toward Love by Sarah Cledwyn, MA

How we see the world and our lives greatly influences the reality we live in and the communities we create. What we see can be a habit or a conscious practice. What are our own habits of seeing and looking? When we see things we don't like, how can we tune our vision to look for greater possibility? Drawing on the worlds of spirituality, psychology and physics, we will explore the creative capacity of looking for what we want and co-creating a world of more love and life. Sarah Cledwyn, MA is a Spiritual Director and an energy medicine practitioner from St. Paul, MN. Sarah is a member of Unity Church Unitarian and brings her skills as a healer to her congregation and to the world. Sarah works in private practice assisting individuals, groups and organizations to gain greater awareness, come into conscious alignment with their values, and to make choices towards greater love and life. More information can be found at her website www.sarahcledwyn.com **There will be a time in the service to share Joys and Concerns.**

Sunday Morning Forum, 9:30 AM in the Learning Center.

This will be our first Congregational Life Forum for the year. Learn about Small Groups and the difference between Covenant and Spiritual Direction groups. There will be time to sign up for Covenant Groups.

September 30, 2018 @ 9:30 and 11:15 AM

Vision Lost and Returned by Reverend Tom Capo

Poet David Whyte wrote: "When your eyes are tired, the world is tired also. When your vision is gone, no part of the world can find you." Have you ever lost the vision for your life, your future, perhaps even your church? In 1770 Universalist John Murray left Britain to come to America with the intention of never preaching another Universalist message. Then his ship ran aground off the New Jersey coast. **There will not be a time in the service to share Joys and Concerns.**

Sunday Morning Forum, 9:30 AM in the Learning Center. To be determined.



Sarah Cledwyn, MA



From the Director of Religious Education, Steve Cooper

“New reality doesn’t come into being without first being imagined. Our vision of what can be makes those things real. Without vision we only see what we’ve always seen.” – Rev. Scott Taylor

Welcome to the beginning of our new religious education year as we kick it off with September’s theme of “What Does It Mean to be a People of Vision?” One vision that our church ministry team had recently is that when a

family comes to church together they should spend some worship time together rather than splitting off into different directions after entering the doors. Another vision of the ministry team is that the message in the service and the lesson in the classrooms are the same so that a continued conversation can ensue on the drive home.

For this church year every first Sunday of the month will be a multi-generational service and the kick-off for the new monthly theme. On the remaining Sundays for the month the young people will start in the sanctuary for part of the service and then join their

small group ministry leaders (teachers) for the lesson of the day. The lesson will coincide with the sermon for the day.

Our Sunday Sessions for the theme of VISION play off of the holidays and special events that happen during the month. We explore the connection between vision and justice by remembering the call to be the change we want to see in the world. The Jewish High Holiday of Rosh Hashanah invites us all to embrace new visions of ourselves and others in the coming year. The lens of nature offers the vision of equality through Mabon and the Autumn Equinox. Finally,

the 10-year vision of Thomas Potter highlights the connection between vision and patience and reminds us that our UU faith is a gift of those who came before us and their vision.

We’re very excited about the journey ahead of us all!

See you next Sunday!
Steve Cooper



From Congregational Life Coordinator, Mary

mess you up most in life is the picture in your head of how it is supposed to be.” - Unknown.

Every Summer I have a vision for how the boys and I will spend our days. I check out Pinterest, I create schedules, I talk to the boys to see what they want to do. By July 1st my vision for the Summer has gone completely out the window. In years past the fact that my vision wasn’t being followed used to bug me. This year, I just went along for the ride. It wasn’t easy. But it was important to listen to what my kids’ vision of Summer was and went along with (most) of it. We all have a vision of what our Church year is going to be. How do you want to be different when this church year ends? What do you

want to have done by June 1st? I would love to hear your thoughts and ideas.

Best,
Mary

Our theme this month asks us what it means as Unitarian Universalists to be a people of Vision. Vision can mean different things. As someone who has glasses - an everyday pair & readers. I go straight for the literal definition. I have terrible vision without my glasses. That type of vision is not what we are talking about. :) A quote to think about for this month is “What will



Meditation or Prayer

Reverend Tom offers this prayer for your reflection. It comes from: re-Worship Blogspot.com.

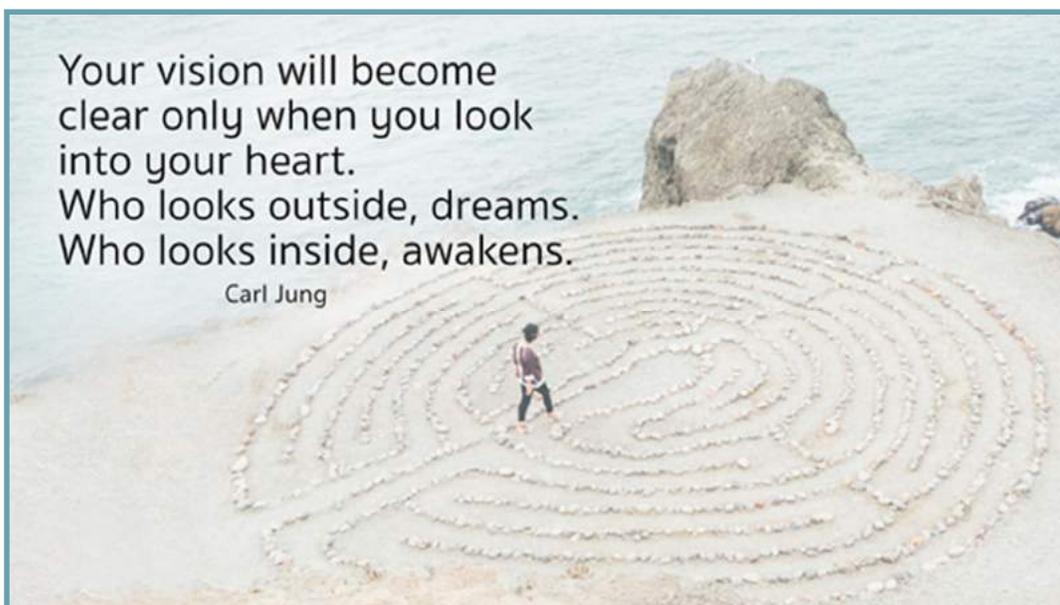
A Wider Vision of the World
[Spirit of Life and Love],
give us a wider vision of the world;
give us a broader view of justice;
give us dreams of peace
that are not defined by boundaries of geography
or race or religion,
or by the limitations of worldly structures and systems.
Open our eyes and our ears
that wherever we go,
we may hear your voice calling us by name;
calling us to serve,
calling us to share,
calling us to praise,
so that we never give up on the promise,
where the world is transformed,
and all can enjoy life in all its fullness.
Amen.

Spiritual Practice

This month spend some time reflecting and writing about your vision for DuPage Unitarian Universalist Church as a beloved community. And then share your vision with one other person in the church.

Rose Nguyen writes, "I sometimes get so caught up with my big dreams... that I forget to recognize all the little dreams I've made come true!... We can get so caught up looking at where we should be, where we aren't, and where others are in comparison that we forget to appreciate where we've been and where we've come from."

How might looking back on how far you've come be a blessing to you this month?





Have you ever helped someone else clean their house and noticed how much easier it is? Experience that freedom on Saturday, 6 October, from 9 to noon, when we gather to wash windows, dust and do other cleaning jobs around our

shared church home. Many hands make light work, particularly when we turn on the tunes/NPR to make time fly. Sign up on the kiosk to reserve your exclusive spot for our regular autumn cleanup extravaganza. Come early to get your choice of tasks. Questions? Email cleanup@DuPageUUchurch.org or talk to Jo Linsley or Roy Gelder.



Special Collection

On Sunday, August 12, 2018, **\$631.00** was collected for Friends for Therapeutic Equine Activities located in Wayne, IL. FTEA provides therapeutic horseback riding lessons for individuals with physical, emotional, cognitive, and/or social challenges. Thank you!



Time to Sign-up for Sunday Flowers!

If you have a special occasion or person you would like honor, please consider providing flowers for Sunday Services during the 2018-19 church year. There

are three ways to donate flowers:

1. Have Sunday Flowers order flowers for you. The cost to reimburse DUUC for an arrangement from Phillip's Flowers is \$35. (Please write "flowers" in the memo line.)
2. Bring in your own arrangement from your garden or favorite flower shop. Flowers must be brought to the sanctuary by 9:15 a.m.
3. On select dates in September and May only, Pat Clancy will make an arrangement for you with flowers from the church grounds. \$20 minimum donation to DUUC is required. (Please write "flowers by Pat" in the memo line.)

In all cases, your dedication will be printed in the order of service, and the flowers are yours to take home after the second service. Please contact Kristen Tang at flowers@dupageuuchurch.org for more information and to request a date. Thanks!

A Unitarian Universalist Bible Study has been canceled for September. Those who are interested in continuing this class, please let Reverend Tom know (revcapo@gmail.com).

Conscious Aging—Please note date change September 27, 2018 at 7 PM

In addition to meeting, we will be discussing whether to continue Conscious Aging and if so in what form will it take—new leadership, new time, new programming.

YUuth Ensemble is Starting!

YUuth Ensemble is open to all young people who play an instrument past the first year level. We'll be playing for the DUUC Holiday Music Services



on **Sunday, Dec. 9.**

Rehearsals will be on the following Sundays from 10:30-11:00 in the Sanctuary: **Oct. 28, Nov. 4, Nov. 11, Nov. 18, Nov. 25, Dec. 2, and Dec. 9 (a 9:00 warm-up before the performances).** We are always looking for new members on any instrument, so if you would like to join us, please contact Karen Campbell at rkcampb37@gmail.com. Hope to hear from you soon!

Public Ministry Committee

still has 3 more openings for local non-profit organizations to receive special collections this coming year, and we need your nominations! In addition to special collections, PMC is in charge of regulating use of the church name when endorsing or sponsoring events or organizations. If you have an event or organization you want to promote with the church name, please run it by us by sending an email to pubmin@duuc.org! We also review and promote Statements of Conscience for study and education, which are affirmations the church agrees on as a whole and are voted on at the annual meeting, such as the "Reproductive rights are human rights" and "Civil marriage is a civil right" poster we have in Kreves Hall. And of course, our claim to fame is the special collections we organize every month to benefit very deserving local, non-profit organizations. If you can think of a worthy 501(c)3 organization that lines up with our principles, please fill out a quick nomination form (which can be found online in the members' section or in the Public Ministry mailbox within the church office) and either send it back to us at pubmin@duuc.org or drop it back off in our mailbox! We thank you so much for helping to keep the church connected to our community!

Christian History and Theology Book Study, formerly the Jesus Seminar Book Club September 16 at 3 PM.

We will complete our discussion of *Face of the Deep: A Theology of Becoming* by Catherine Keller, so please finish reading this book and we will decide on our next book. Bring some suggestions for our next book to the group. One suggestion for our next book is *The Trouble with Resurrection* by Bernard Brandon Scott. All are welcomed to join us. Ask Reverend Tom (revcapo@gmail.com) if you have any questions about the group.

Pastoral Ministry Committee Announcement

DUUC member Bev Becker has an assortment of used durable medical equipment in her basement which is available on loan to DUUC members. Current items include crutches, quad cane, metal cane, walker with tray, rollator walker, polar care ice machine and a transport wheelchair. If you are interested in securing an item or donating any items in good working order, please contact Bev at tovah04@yahoo.com.



September Congregational Life Happenings

Forum on September 23rd will be our first Congregational Life Forum for the year. Learn about Small Groups and the difference between Covenant and Spiritual Direction groups. There will be time to sign up for Covenant Groups.

Affinity Group Fair on September 23rd during coffee hour between the two services (10:30-11:10) in the Founders Room will be an Affinity Group Fair to learn about the various Affinity Groups we have.

Face 2 Face on September 23rd after second service in the Learning Center. This popular activity is a great way to have a deep meaningful conversation with others. Lunch is included.

Do you have passion for helping all animals?

Do you want to create a better world by taking action to build justice and compassion for them? Our Animal Ministry works to build and enlighten our community through educational presentations, vegan potlucks, and other fun events, in order to further the cause of animal liberation. Would you like to learn more? Join us for our monthly meeting on the first Sunday of the month, from 10:30-11:00 in the Lower Annex room, beneath the sanctuary. If you have any questions, you can contact Matthew Taylor, Head of Animal Ministry, at matthew.taylor319@gmail.com.



Check It Out!



Pizza with the Minister Sunday, September 30, 2018 at 5 PM

Come and spend some time with Reverend Tom. All you need to do is bring \$5 a person and \$10 for a family for pizza and beverages. All ages welcome.



DUUC Library and Book Store Featured Books of the Month

DUUC Library: The 2018-19 UUA Common Read Justice On Earth edited by [Manish Mishra-Marzetti](#) and [Jennifer Nordstrom](#). This highly anticipated anthology of essays from fourteen activist ministers and lay leaders presents a powerful and penetrating look at environmental justice.

DUUC Book Store: Reclaiming Prophetic Witness by Paul Rasor. This leading UU theologian dispels the myth that conservative Christianity is the only valid religious voice in the national debates on social policy and is still quite relevant today.

Affinity Group Fair

Are you a member of an Affinity Group? We are doing an Affinity Group Fair between services on 9/23. If your group would like to be represented, please see Mary Law for the Affinity Fair Sign Up Sheet.

A Year of Green: September

In celebration of the Green Sanctuary Statement of Conscience proposal, we'd like to give you information on eco-friendly events. Here are some for September:



People's Climate March, Forest Park, Chicago & other locations

Saturday September 8

Demand action on climate, jobs, and justice

<https://peoplesclimate.org/>

National Drive Electric Event, Naperville

Sunday September 16, 1 - 4 pm, Naperville Dealer Test Track

Electric vehicle owners sharing their experience with others interested in driving electric

<https://driveelectricweek.org/event.php?eventid=1385>

Aurora Greenfest "Something Green is Happening Here"

Saturday September 22, 10am - 4 pm

Family friendly festival

<http://auroragreenfest.com/>

Illinois Solar Tour, various locations

Saturday September 22, 10am - 3pm

Free public open houses

<http://www.illinoissolartour.org/>

And More . . .

DuPage County Forest Preserve, Events calendar

<http://www.dupageforest.org/calendar-of-events>

Sierra Club, River Prairie Group, Activity guide

<https://www.sierraclub.org/illinois/river-prairie/activity-calendar>

FINDING LOVE & UNITY in THESE DIVISIVE, YET HOPEFUL TIMES

You are invited to join us for this inspirational presentation and speaker

Monday, September 17, from 7 to 8:30 p.m.

DuPage Unitarian Universalist Church



Shuddhaanandaa Brahmachari (Baba), a globally acclaimed inspirational speaker, specializing in mindfulness meditation and stress reduction, will talk about how we can join together in unity to begin to heal the divisiveness that is plaguing our world today! We are passing through a critical time in human history as our world is drifting from "peace" to "pieces". As conflicts and terror increase, there is a greater demand for spiritual openness and unity. It is time all of humanity joins together to evoke the spirit of tolerance and love to envelope Mother Earth. Unless we unite as spiritual beings above all economic, cultural, political, and religious differences and conflicts, the very existence of this planet is in question.

Baba has studied and practiced mindfulness meditation and stress reduction for 40 years. He is an author, visionary social advocate and has programs in India serving thousands of poverty stricken individuals. He presents his Course in Mindfulness programs worldwide for corporations, universities, faith communities and social service agencies, including several locations in DuPage County. Baba also has received awards worldwide for his outstanding contributions to humankind. (His website: www.courseinmindfulness.com)

This is an opportunity to learn how to calm your mind, expand your heart and be the change that we all so long for and want to spread in love throughout this world.

(A \$10 optional, love donation is suggested.)

For any questions, contact: Mary Kullman: spiritmk7@gmail.com or 630-388-9409

Images of some of our SMILE students receiving their certificate at the Sunday Service on August 5, 2018.





DuPage UU Church Member, Barb Appelson - Naperville Senior of the Year!

I nominated our volunteer, Barbara Appelson, for the Naperville Volunteer Senior of the Year and she won! The Senior Task Force will honor her at the city council meeting on 9/4/2018 5:30pm. I plan to be there and would like to invite all of you too.

Attached is my nomination letter.

Laura Milligan, Executive Director

Riverwalkadultcare@aol.com

Riverwalk Adult Day Services web site: RiverwalkAdultDayServices.com

305 West Jackson Ave., Naperville, IL 60540

Senior of the Year Nomination 2018

Barbara Appelson is a volunteer extraordinaire! She has been coming to our Center weekly, on Thursdays, for over 2 years to help out with the noon meal served to our participants.

Barbara converses with the participants that have dementia and other challenges, and helps keep them focused on eating their meal. She often tells them stories of her travels and shows them photos. Barbara and her husband Larry are avid bicyclists and have ridden bikes all over the world.

We had a re-branding and renewal of our mission and to celebrate it, Barbara designed and made a lovely quilted wall-hanging featuring our new logo.

It now adorns the south wall of the adult day services room.

Barbara is always willing to help us in any way she can. We recently had a fundraiser mattress sale and Barbara spent a weekend afternoon here, helping out with that.

Barbara and her husband are retired and have grown children. She is very active in her church, DuPage Unitarian, which is one of the local churches that founded us and continues to support our program.

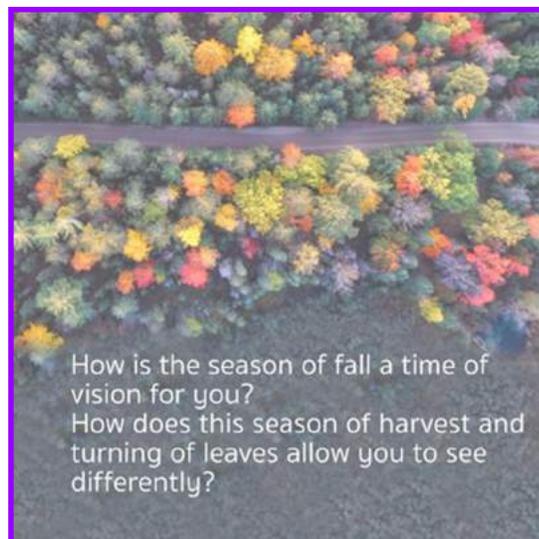
We are pleased and proud to nominate Barbara for this much-deserved honor!

Laura Milligan, Executive Director

Riverwalk Adult Day Services

305 W. Jackson Ave.

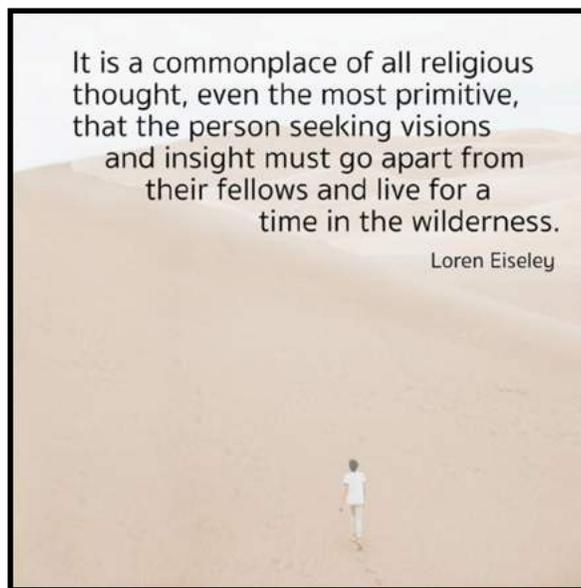
Naperville, IL. 60540.



JUST VIEWS: Free & Open Film & Discussion Program: Friday, September 14, 2018 at 7:20 pm: Reinventing Power: America's Renewable Energy Boom

Please join us for a screening of "Reinventing Power", produced by Transit Pictures for the Sierra Club. This inspiring and empowering film takes us across the country to hear directly from people working on clean energy projects: Rebuilding what's broken, rethinking what's possible, and revitalizing communities. Reinventing Power shows how clean energy offers quality jobs, economic opportunity and planetary security. For more on the film, go to <https://www.sierraclub.org/reinventing-power>.

Then, with the River Prairie Group of the Sierra Club (program co-sponsor) and other representatives of the DuPage Clean Energy Coalition, we'll discuss the film and the Future Energy Jobs Act passed in Illinois. Come learn about the campaign to grow clean energy and energy efficiency, to build a carbon-free power sector, reduce pollution, and combat global warming. Our special honoree on this night is Jean McCollum, lady leading the team initiative to install solar panels on our Just Views' DUUC home site. Just Views Director is Stephanie Hughes 630-420-4233; Associate Director is Carol Tritschler 630-961-0106.



Non-Church Sponsored Events

Invitation from Science of Spirituality Center Sunday September 2 from 2-3:30 PM

The Science of Spirituality Center has invited the members of DuPage Unitarian Universalist Church to tour their new facility. They reached out to us because we are close neighbors. If you are interested in touring their facility, meeting and listening to their guru, and having some snacks, the time above has been set aside for us. Please let Reverend Tom (revcapo@gmail.com) know if you are interested in attending, so he can give them an approximate number that will be attending.

Community Peace Talks

Sunday, Sep 30, 2018, 3:00 PM to 5:00 PM

\$5.00 per person - \$10.00 per family suggested donation

At the Alive Center

500 West 5th Avenue, Naperville, IL, USA

Moms Building Bridges is pleased to offer the Naperville/Lisle/Aurora area a new Community Unity series called "Peace Talks." Our first Peace Talks on Sunday afternoon, September 30th will be for TEENS and will feature engaging conversation among community members of different religions and faith traditions. We are inviting junior high and high school students and adults. Although not limited to families, this is a great opportunity for parents to bring their teenagers to a cross-community-building activity. Our featured speaker will be Naperville's own Sadia Covert who, among other things, directs a local non-profit called UCARE, that works to unite diverse communities together through mutual understanding and respect. To RSVP, please use the following link:

<https://www.eventcombo.com/e/community-unitypeace-talks----an-intergenerational-interfai-32248>



MAKE ANOTHER DUUC CONNECTION!

WHO: All members, visitors, and friends of DUUC

WHEN: Sunday, September 23rd from 12:30 to 2:00 pm

WHERE: DUUC Learning Center

Face-to-Face is an opportunity to get to know friends in our ever-changing community. Pair with an individual in the group and, using your own or provided conversational prompts, take time to talk.

Sign up on the sheet provided in Kreves Hall, or email Bob Harris at oofyprosser@outlook.com, to register.

Pizza lunch and childcare will be provided. This is hosted by the Congregational Life Committee.

DUUC Community Campfire, Tie-dye & Sing-a-long

Saturday, September 8 at
DuPage UU Church

Hot dog Potluck & Tie-Dye at 5:00 p.m.
Sing-a-long and S'mores at 7:00 p.m.



We will supply:

Hot dogs (with veg/vegan alternatives), lemonade and S'mores

You supply:

You! **Everyone** is welcome. A 100% cotton T-shirt or a pair of at least 80% cotton socks if you wish to tie-dye. A side dish to share. Lawn chairs.

We will be in a sectioned off area of the parking lot. Please park in the auxiliary parking lot across the street. Handicap and limited mobility parking will still be accessible.



VEGAN POTLUCK

Hosted by the DUUC Animal Ministry

WHEN?

Saturday, September 15 from 12-4PM

WHERE?

DuPage Unitarian Universalist Church
of Naperville on the back patio

**BRING FRIENDS, FAMILY,
AND A VEGAN DISH TO SHARE!**

RSVP at matthew.taylor319@gmail.com

September 2018

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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2 9:30am Sunday Service 11:15am Sunday Service 9:30am Forum—Science Sunday	3 Office Closed Labor Day	4 4:30pm Tai Chi 7pm COM 7pm Teacher Training	5 6:30pm Facilities Enhancement	6 7pm Teacher Training	7 6:30pm AIM Task Force 7:30pm The Wider Circle	8 8:30am Leadership Retreat 5:00pm DUUC Community Campfire & Potluck
9 9:30am Sunday Service 11:15am Sunday Service 9:30am Forum 10:30am Animal Ministry 12:15pm Public Ministry Cmte	10 7pm Meditation	11 4:30pm Tai Chi 7pm Mosaic Covenant group	12 7pm Youth RE Committee 7:30pm Humanist group	13 7:30pm Mens group	14 7:20pm Just Views	15 9AM Work Session 12 Noon Animal Ministry Vegan Potluck
16 9:30am Sunday Service 11:15am Sunday Service 9:30am Forum—Science Sunday 12:30pm Welcoming Congregation 3pm Christian History and Theology Book Study	17 6:30pm Covenant group 7pm Meditation with special guest	18 1:30pm Spiritual Direction 4:30pm Tai Chi 6:30pm Board Meeting	19 6:30pm Covenant group 7pm Congregational Life/ Visitor Relations Committee	20 7pm Sunday Services Committee	21 7pm FIRE/Spark	22 10am Humanist Board 6:30pm DUUCKIES
23 9:30am Sunday Service 11:15am Sunday Service 9:30am Forum 10:30am Affinity Fair 12:30pm Face to Face 12:30pm Social Justice Cmte 7pm Choir Rehearsal	24 7pm Meditation	25 4:30pm Tai Chi 7pm Pastoral Ministry Associates	26 10am Elder Circle	27 6:30pm Covenant group 7pm Conscious Aging 7:30pm Mens group	28	29
30 9:30am Sunday Service 11:15am Sunday Service 9:30am Forum—TBD 5pm Pizza with the Minister 7pm Choir Rehearsal						

IN THE NAME OF ALLAH THE MOST GRACIOUS & THE MOST MERCIFUL

ISLAMIC CENTER OF NAPERVILLE

cordially invites you to its

Interfaith EID-AL-ADHA DINNER

Celebrating the festival of Generosity
through sacrifice and sharing

Join us for an evening of festivities accompanied with ethnic cuisine to celebrate
Eid-al-Adha
(Muslim festival of sacrifice)

Date: September 16th, 2018

Time: 5:30 P.M. - 7:30 P.M.

Venue: 2844 Ogden Ave, Naperville, IL 60540

Invitation: Family & Friends

RSVP by September 12th, 2018 at rsvp@icnmasjid.org or call (331)-201-3263

Meadville Lombard Theological School's Day of Learning

HOW CAN WE SAVE OUR DEMOCRACY?

Religion And Politics in an Uncertain World

Increase of xenophobia and racism, threats to freedom of the press, anti-climate change policies—it is clear that we are living in a radically uncertain world. How can we save our democracy in times like these? Meadville Lombard Theological School's core faculty will share concepts and practical skills to build resilient democracy and stronger community.



Keynote Speaker

Dr. Mike Hogue

Professor of Theology, Ethics, and
Philosophy of Religion

Rev. Dr. Pamela Lightsey

VP of Academic and Student Affairs,
Associate Professor of Constructive
Theology

Rev. Dr. Nicole Kirk

Rev. Dr. J. Frank and Alice Schulman
Professor of Unitarian Universalist
History

Dr. Mark Hicks

Angus MacLean Professor of
Religious Education, Director of the
Fahs Collaborative

Saturday, October 6, 2018

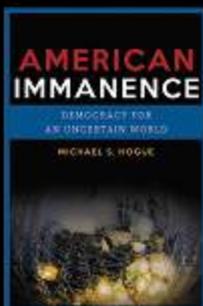
9:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

at **Unitarian Church of Evanston**

1330 Ridge Ave., Evanston, IL 60201

Suggested ticket price is \$30, but in the spirit of building a strong, resilient community, we ask you to set your own ticket price (minimum \$1 to register).

Go to MLEvanston.eventbrite.com to learn more.



Dr. Hogue's book
American Immanence
is available to purchase
at the event

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Our calling is not to be a stern-faced people sticking to their single vision through thick and thin, but a playful people exchanging visions and helping each other encounter new and larger worlds.

- Rev. Scott Tayler



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