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OUR MARCH SOUL MATTERS THEME EXPLORES

RENEWING FAITH ...

"Faith is homesickness. Faith is a lump in the throat." -- Frederick Buechner

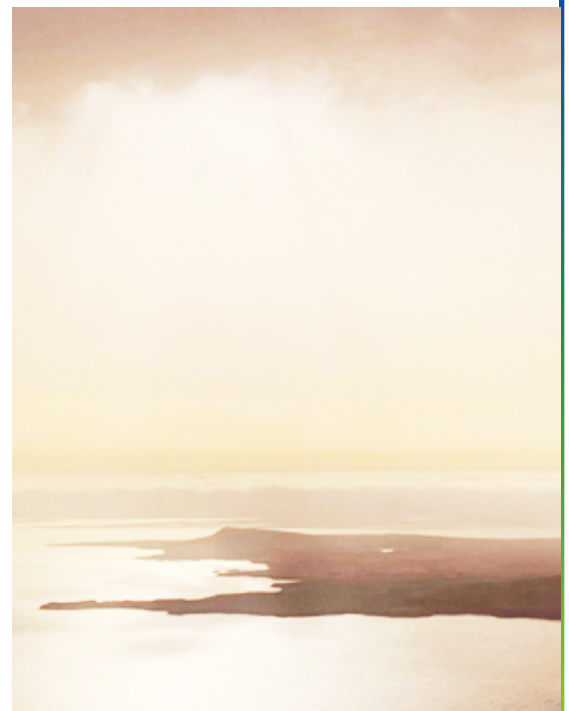
"Once a reporter asked A J Muste, 'Do you really think you are going to change the policies of this country by standing out here alone at night in front of the White House with a candle?' Muste replied softly: 'Oh I don't do this to change the country. I do this so the country won't change me.'" -- Frederic and Mary Ann Brussat

How do we renew our faith
when so much is falling apart?
In these fragile days,
we, who assess life through "the fire of reason,"
find so little reason to trust
that everything's going to be ok.
The climate is collapsing.
Racism so often morphs more than it is removed.
Politics divide more than they unite.
Don't tell us it's slowly getting better.
Don't ask us to deny this feeling of despair that feels so real.
On so many days, we have lost our hope for a better day.

But we do long for it!
Don't we?
Despite the setbacks and slowness,
there remains something inside that continues to say,
"It can be better!"
"More is possible!"
"I need to believe that goodness is real."
It's a longing that lingers no matter what.

Maybe that's what the preacher meant
when he spoke of faith
as a hunger for home.
Maybe faith is more about remembering
our longing for what we love and who we want to be,
more than it is an act of restoring our trust
that everything will work out well.

Maybe the peacenik was right:
We must remain faithful to the fight
not because change is guaranteed
but to ensure that we are not changed.



MARCH 2022 SUNDAY SERVICES

OUR SOUL MATTERS THEME IN MARCH EXPLORES
RENEWING FAITH

MARCH 6 "THE DANCE OF VALUE"

Pastor Isabel kicks off our 2022 stewardship campaign by imagining an economy based on dance rather than exploitation. Our convener is Sarah Desmet at sarah.e.desmet@gmail.com.

In-person attendance resumes at UUFM on Sunday, March 6. Those attending in-person are required to wear a high-quality mask, such as a KN95 or N95. Suitable masks are provided at the Fellowship, if needed. Concurrent virtual services on Zoom will remain available after in-person services resume.

MARCH 13 "WHERE ARE WE GOING?"

Pastor Isabel reflects, "We wrap up our exploration based on the chant 'Where Do We Come From? What Are We? Where Are We Going?' with a vision of our future. Let's renew our faith in all that is possible while focusing on our shared hopes for the future." Our convener is Ken Embers at kenembers@yahoo.com.

DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME: Remember to set your clocks forward one hour when you go to bed on Saturday, March 12.

MARCH 20 "FEMINISMS FOR THE FUTURE"

Pastor Isabel speaks, "What does it mean to be a woman today? Someone who cares about women? A feminist? Join with us, whatever your gender, to recommit to a future liberated from patriarchy." Our convener is Cathy Hedge at catherinejeanhedge@gmail.com.

MARCH 27 "VIOLA LIUZZO'S RENEWED FAITH"

Fellowship member Susan Rensing asks, "How did many white mothers take part in the 'massive resistance' to the civil rights movement? Why did Viola Liuzzo choose a different path? And what role did her membership in the First Unitarian Universalist Fellowship of Detroit play in her story?" Our convener is Amelia Richter at shartuga@gmail.com.

HIGH-QUALITY MASKS, SUCH AS A KN95 OR N95, ARE REQUIRED
in the Fellowship building for everyone age 4 and older,
regardless of vaccination status.

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SUNDAY SERVICES begin at **10:45 AM** at
<https://zoom.us/j/92604313401?pwd=OXlyeW1RQ0I4U1cxQ1FpU0x2TlZqdz09>

or, join us at the Fellowship building,
at **481 ZEANDALE ROAD.**

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COMING UP ...

Join us on Zoom for **ACTION WEDNESDAY** (AWed), Wednesday, **MARCH 9**. More on page 5.

Join a **SMALL GROUP DISCUSSION**. Share your ideas for the 2022 Stewardship Campaign. More on page 7. Read a **REPORT FROM THE BOARD**, on page 6.



UUFM is a
WELCOMING CONGREGATION
Learn more about the Welcoming Congregation initiative at
www.uua.org/lgbtq/welcoming/program

A NOTE FROM PASTOR ISA -- REV DR ISABEL CALL

Dear Ones,

There are many glorious exciting things on the horizon and just beyond: spring, being together in-person, what else? Still being relatively new to the Fellowship, I'm eager for mask-less conversations with you in the sunshine--with snacks--and the opportunity to dream together about all we can do and be as a community. Before I arrived, you articulated a new vision and mission, and at the start of the pandemic you were poised for new creative endeavors! As we look toward spring and ministry together, let's remember those lovingly crafted words:



VISION: A vibrant, inclusive congregation, UUFM is widely known as a safe haven and a force for social justice.

MISSION STATEMENT: A diverse, evolving spiritual community acting for a better world.

The Board and I had the opportunity to immerse in the mission and vision last month over two Saturday retreats. I'll be sharing more about our work during upcoming Sunday Services and at our Annual Meeting on April 10th. In short: I'm excited! But if you're *not* feeling excited, I don't take it personally. It's been a stressful couple of years, with so many promises of "new normal" around the corner. It's hard to get hyped up for another one. I'm certainly tired of talking about being tired. So our monthly theme Renewing Faith is right on time. Last month we reflected on the meaning of faith. As I gently nudge you toward brainstorming and rebuilding for the future, I invite you to smile. We're here together with love. We're doing this all for love. I have faith in the deep love and capacity for joy that I sense throughout this community. What do we need, individually and collectively, to renew our faith?

We'll be asking this question in small groups throughout March as we launch our Stewardship Campaign. Stewardship--that means money, right? Yes, but so much more! We bring so many gifts to the community: our presence, perspective, time, authenticity, commitment. This month, I invite you to meet with others in facilitated conversations to reflect on our shared values and the many ways we bring them into reality through collaboration and resource sharing. You can learn more at <https://uufm.net/stewardship-2022/>. We're not trying to shake you down, but rather tap into "the immense healing power of even the smallest amount of

money when we use it to express our humanity," in the words of author and philanthropist Lynne Twist. Our budget is a moral document. Funding it is an act of collaboration and consensus-building. It is sacred work--and your Finance Team is working to make the process fun.

Also this month, as part of Women's History Month, I want to hear about the amazing women in your personal history. Many of you have told me stories about your mothers and other women who have influenced you. Join me Saturday, March 12, 3-4:30 pm, for *The Women Who Shaped Us* to share more. I'll be recording and editing our conversation and using it for our Mother's Day service May 8. If you're interested, sign up at <https://tinyurl.com/WomenWhoShapedUs>.

"The Women Who Shaped Us" is part of a larger effort to include more voices in our Sunday Services. Whether or not you are interested in being "up front" on a Sunday morning, I'd love to include your perspective as we prepare for our Sunday Services. If you would like to gather with conveners to reflect on the theme for next month's services and share ideas, please join us at the Sunday Reflection Circle on the third Wednesday, 7pm. The theme for April will be Awakening. Email me for more information.

As always, I am available for one-on-one conversations about the Fellowship or to support you through a difficult passage. Please email, call, or text.

With love, faith, and trust,

Pastor Isa

Contact Pastor Isabel at pastor@uufm.net, or call or text 785 748-2533.



LITTLE APPLE PRIDE 2022

Come help UUFM participate in the annual Little Apple Pride Parade and Festival, Saturday, APRIL 23, from 11 am to 4 pm. Walk in the parade with rainbow flags and our UUFM banner, staff the UUFM table at City Park, or help with set-up or take down. Please let Marisa Larson know how you'd like to participate and when you can volunteer, at 240 305-0895 or marisa.larson@gmail.com.



OUR WHOLE LIVES (OWL) FOR 7TH TO 9TH GRADES

Our Whole Lives (OWL) class for 7th-9th graders is happening in person at the Fellowship. Sixteen students are meeting in the sanctuary so they can keep a safe distance apart along with masking. We ask that folks clear the sanctuary as quickly as possible following Sunday services so that OWL facilitators can set up the room.

This centerpiece of the OWL series provides a variety of engaging activities so that participants build values, interpersonal skills, and knowledge. The comprehensive approach speaks to participants' needs today and helps prepare them for a healthy and meaningful tomorrow.

OUR WHOLE LIVES (OWL) FOR 5TH AND 6TH GRADES

We anticipate offering the OWL 5/6 class next winter (January through March 2023). If you've got a student in that grade range and are interested in participating, please let Sandy know so that planning can begin. Contact Sandy at 785 341-0135 or dre@uufm.net.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES

Do you have an interest in engaging with our youth in a new way? Leading a class is a wonderful opportunity for both you and them! Please contact Sandy so we can start a conversation, at 785 341-0135 or dre@uufm.net.

ALUMINUM CAN COLLECTION CONTINUES!

Did you know that Michael Oldfather has been helping the RE kids collect aluminum cans for recycling--FOR YEARS? The money made from turning in the cans has provided funds for several causes dear to the kids' hearts. WE ARE STILL COLLECTING CANS! Have some cans to donate? Delivery is best, but we can arrange a pick up if you prefer. Contact Michael (mou812@ksu.edu) or Sandy (dre@uufm.net) for all the details.



EASTER IS AROUND THE CORNER!

We're cooking up a project and need your help. Contact Sandy ASAP, at 785 341-0135 or dre@uufm.net, if you might be willing to make an Easter Bunny delivery. Shhhhhh ... it's a secret!

REGISTER YOUR CHILD(REN)

Remember, all children must be registered for the 2021/2022 school year. Registration forms are available at <http://form.jotform.us/form/51486475507160>.

DRE'S SCHEDULE

Director of Religious Education Sandy Nelson will be available in the Fellowship office on **TUESDAYS** and **THURSDAYS**, from 3:30 to 4:30 pm.

Contact Sandy at 785 341-0135 or dre@uufm.net.

ACTIVITIES AND EVENTS – EVENTS ARE OPEN TO ALL

The Wednesday **LUUNCH BUUNCH** meets virtually EVERY WEDNESDAY, at 12 noon. If you would like an invitation to this Zoom gathering, please contact Kathleen Oldfather at 785 537-3738 or kjoldfather@gmail.com.

The **UU COFFEE GROUP** meets on Zoom THURSDAYS, at 9:30 am. Join us for morning coffee and conversation. Contact Jane Pelletier for an invitation at 785 537-0954 or mjanepelletier@gmail.com.

The UUFM **BOOK DISCUSSION GROUP** meets Friday, MARCH 25, at 10 am. Currently we are meeting on Zoom. To request a Zoom invitation, contact Susan Adamchak at sadamchak@kansas.net.

ACTION WEDNESDAY ON ZOOM

We're gathering for Action Wednesday (formerly, the AWed potluck), now MEETING ON ZOOM, on the second Wednesday of each month, from 6 to 8 pm. On MARCH 9, we'll begin at 6 pm, with music curated around our monthly Soul Matters theme, *Renewing Faith*. Listen while cooking and eating dinner, camera on or off. For a shared food experience, you may want to try the *Spicy Quinoa Lentil Wraps* recipe, provided at uufm.net/awed-gathering. Please register now at <https://tinyurl.com/AWedUUFM>.



FIREFLY OPEN CIRCLE – SATURDAY, MARCH 26

For 2022, the Firefly Open Circle will be exploring religious and seasonal celebrations from cultures around the world. We meet at the Fellowship on the last Saturday of each month from 5 to 8 pm, beginning with a potluck dinner and craft or story based on that month's culture, followed by ritual. Text Mandy at 785 223-2383 or email her at miriamemele41@gmail.com with any questions.

RACIAL JUSTICE TEAM

Pastor Isabel invites all to participate in the UUFM Racial Justice Team. We'll be meeting on Zoom, Sunday, MARCH 20, at 4 pm, and all are invited. Join the meeting at <https://tinyurl.com/UUFMRacialJustice>. The passcode is 483641. Learn more from Pastor Isa at pastor@uufm.net.

THE WOMEN WHO SHAPED US

As part of Women's History Month, Pastor Isabel wants to hear about the amazing women in your personal history. Join Isabel Saturday, MARCH 12, from 3 to 4:30 pm, on Zoom for *The Women Who Shaped Us*. Isabel will record and edit the conversation for our Mothers' Day service on May 8. Register to attend and receive a Zoom link at <https://tinyurl.com/WomenWhoShapedUs>. Learn more from Pastor Isa at pastor@uufm.net.

SOCIAL ACTION NEWS

HELPING HANDS

In MARCH, Helping Hands contributions will be gathered for **WONDER WORKSHOP**, providing opportunities for growth and learning to area children. Learn more at www.wonderworkshop.org.

In February, Fellowship members and friends contributed Sunday morning collections to the Kansas Abortion Fund. THANK YOU all for your generous donations!

Donate on-line to Helping Hands, or give to UUFM's General Operating fund, at uufm.net/donate/.



FAIR TRADE COFFEE

Equal Exchange whole bean, ground, and decaf coffees, and chocolate and tea are available for purchase at the Fellowship on Sundays. Learn more from Anne Cowan at 785 340-5001 or anne_cowan@sbcglobal.net.

Equal Exchange works in collaboration with the Unitarian Universalist Service Committee (uusc.org), following the standards and principles of fair trade on 100 percent of its products.



UUFM **BLESSING BOX**

UUFM is sponsoring a **BLESSING BOX** and **LITTLE FREE LIBRARY** at Wonder Workshop. Doug Walter reports our box has received notably increasing demand, especially in the past few weeks. To contribute shelf-stable food, cleaning and hygiene products, or children's and youth books, contact Doug at kbsi@cox.net. Or, drop by Wonder Workshop, at 506 S 4th Street, and stock the boxes with your items. Please remember, *financial support is vital to maintain a regular stock of staples*. You can donate funds to help support the boxes at uufm.net/donate/.

SOCIAL JUSTICE / ANTI-RACISM RESOURCES

Find a list of social justice and anti-racism resources at uufm.net/social-action-2/social-action-resources/. If you would like to suggest resources to add to the list, or have questions, please contact Marisa Larson at marisa.larson@gmail.com.



UUFM COVID RESOURCES

In an effort to keep our beloved UUFM community safe and informed in this time of COVID 19 SARS CoV-2 the following links to reputable sources have been compiled. Topics include testing, vaccine availability, isolation and quarantine as well as actions to take to help prevent the spread of the COVID virus.

CDC - COVID INFORMATION

<https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/index.html>

PROTECT YOURSELF AND OTHERS

<https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/prevent-getting-sick/prevention.html>

LOCAL CASE RATES RILEY, GEARY, POTTAWATOMIE

<https://www.covidactnow.org/us/metro/manhattan ks/?s=27181605>

LOCAL TESTING RESOURCES

<https://www.rileycountyks.gov/1869/Get-Tested>

CDC - HOW DO I FIND A COVID-19 VACCINE?

<https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/vaccines/how-do-i-get-a-covid-19-vaccine.html>

QUARANTINE AND ISOLATION

<https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/your-health/quarantine-isolation.html>

UUFM COVENANT OF RIGHT RELATIONS AND CONFLICT RESOLUTION PROCESS

<https://uufm.net/wp-content/uploads/2011/07/Covenant-right-relations.pdf>

UUFM BOARD REPORT – FEBRUARY 2022

I hope you all are well and staying reasonably happy during this crazy winter/pseudo summer we have been experiencing. There is so much to be wary of, unhappy about, and stressed by. I hope that you are taking time to breathe, and to do whatever it is that helps you to relax and rejuvenate.

Since Christmas, most of the Board's energy has been expended on formalizing guidelines to help make decisions about in-person gatherings. This has been mind-boggling and mind-numbing work. I want to give accolades to our COVID Advisory Panel (Kathleen Tanona, Les Loschky, Rob DeLong, and Stacey Broughman) plus Amy Betz and Dan Swenson for all the work they have done on this. I believe these guidelines will be available for use following the March Board meeting.

We will resume hybrid in-person and on-line services on March 6, with several restrictions. Masking is required and there will be no food or drink and no singing in the building. The use of surgical, KN95, or N95 masks is strongly recommended as is social distancing.

Also on March 6, we will be kicking off our annual Stewardship Campaign with Chris Bailey at the helm. Watch for your invitation to one of several "kitchen table" conversations to be held in March [see page 7, *Stewardship Campaign*].

The Annual Meeting will be held on Sunday, April 10, at 1 pm, via Zoom. You will be provided with an agenda, the proposed 2022/23 budget, and a slate of Board candidates before March 25.

Pastor Isabel and the Board have been meeting with a facilitator from the MidAmerica Region to set some guidelines for our ministry together and to get a strong start to Pastor Isabel's ministry here. We are happy with the job that she has been doing and look forward to taking our shared ministry to a new level.

As always, thank you for trusting us to make decisions for the good of the Fellowship. If you have any questions, never hesitate to contact any one of us: Rob Morrison, Past Chair; Amy Betz, Chair-Elect; Cathy Hedge, Secretary; Dan Swenson, Treasurer; Marisa Larsen, Member; Ruddy Benavides, Member.

In Friendship and Peace,

Judy Nickelson, Board Chair

Learn more about the UUFM Board and their work from Board Chair Judy Nickelson at 785 304-0086 or judynickelson@gmail.com.

HELPING HANDS SELECTION COMMITTEE FORMING

The UUFM Helping Hands Committee will be selecting ten recipients for the monthly Helping Hands offerings. Applications have been mailed and emailed to all nominated organizations with a deadline of March 31. We will meet early in April to decide which we should sponsor for FY 2022/23. Please contact Kathy Swenson at 785 341-2846 or swenson.home@gmail.com to volunteer for the selection committee. List some dates in early April that work for you, and if you prefer to meet in person or on Zoom.

Newly nominated organizations are: Katie's Way, Konza Student Table, Manhattan Mutual Aid, Manhattan Afghan Resettlement Team, National Federation of the Blind, International Rescue Committee, and Riley County Verde Clovers. Ten of last year's recipients are also on the list: Riley County Humane Society, Project EXCELL, Kansas Abortion Fund, Wonder Workshop, Fairy Godmothers, Boys and Girls Club of Manhattan, Sunflower CASA, The Guardians, and Flint Hills Community Clinic. Two organizations are recipients every year: Shepherd's Crossing and Manhattan Emergency Shelter, Inc.

2022 MIDAMERICA REGIONAL ASSEMBLY

Registration is now open for virtual MidAmerica Regional Assembly (Saturday, APRIL 30, 9 am to 1 pm CT). There is a sliding fee scale between \$25 to \$50 and scholarships are available. Register on the Regional Assembly registration page at <https://tinyurl.com/MidAmericaRegistration!>

The keynote speaker is UU educator, consultant, and facilitator CB Beal. The day will feature worship, keynote presentation and conversation, lunch break, business meeting, and time for social connection.

AFGHAN REFUGEE RESETTLEMENT EFFORT

Some of you have expressed an interest in donating funds to help the Afghan refugees coming to Manhattan. We have set up a fund at the Fellowship for that purpose. You can make out a check to UUFM and note [in the memo line] that it is for the Afghan Families Fund. Or, donate electronically at uufm.net/donate.

Susan Adamchak is collecting and storing sheets, blankets, comforters and towels for the families. Currently, floor and desk lamps are needed. To arrange pick up or drop off of your items, contact Susan at sadamchak@kansas.net.

In addition, Kitchen Restore will accept donations of kitchen items, and sort and pack them into kits we can distribute to each family or living group. Learn about most needed kitchen items and where to bring them at <https://tinyurl.com/KitchenRestoreFlyer>.

2022 STEWARDSHIP CAMPAIGN

"Stewardship" refers to our practices of caring for our community, particularly with an eye toward our long-term thriving. Our amazing community has a strong culture of stewardship, and that has allowed us to navigate the past few years with remarkable grace. We're well-situated to rebuild in the coming months and years, thanks to our collective responsiveness, creativity, curiosity, generosity, flexibility, dedication, goodwill, steadfastness, and joy!

Our stewardship campaign is an opportunity to reflect on our resilience and dream together about our future. It will take place throughout March and into April, with the following activities:

- MARCH 6: Stewardship Kickoff Sunday Service, "The Dance of Value"
- MARCH 8 – 20: Stewardship Conversations in small groups
- MARCH 21 – 31: Pledge Drive, the time to return your pledge card
- APRIL 3: Stewardship Roundup Sunday Service, "A Life of Abundance"
- APRIL 10: Annual Meeting

Financial stewardship is a key component of our resilience and care. To that end, as part of our stewardship campaign, we will share information about our financial needs and invite you to renew or adjust your annual pledge.

But we value many other types of contributions, too: participation on committees, questions and insights during coffee hour, tidying the kitchen and shoveling snow, reaching out to a member in need, welcoming a newcomer, formal and informal leadership ... This year, our stewardship campaign begins with small group conversations to express our appreciation for all the gifts we have received from the fellowship—the fruits of past contributions of our members. Then we'll reflect on the kind of future we are looking forward to. From this place of possibility, we'll each assess how we can contribute, financially and otherwise, in order to bring a beautiful future into being.

Select a small group conversation session and register at <https://tinyurl.com/StewardshipConversations>, or contact Chris Bailey at meadbailey@gmail.com or 785 341-8997. Childcare is available by request for all sessions at the Fellowship--email Sandy Nelson at dre@uufm.net, if childcare will help. Group facilitators will share notes from your conversations with the Finance Team, the Board, and Pastor Isa so that we can "listen in" on your collective wisdom and incorporate your perspective into planning for the future. The amount of money you pledge will figure into the budget we'll vote on at the Annual Meeting.

Let us come together in purpose and in joy to conjure a world that truly reflects our values.

GREETING TEAMS

March 6: Sylvia and Dick Beeman,
and Lindsay Smith
March 13: Jessica Goehring, Taryn Warner,
and Deirdre Greeley
March 20: Shirley Hobrock, Ana Franklin,
and Sarah Desmet
March 27: Kathleen and Michael Oldfather,
and Dan or Kathy Swenson

Our coffee and greeting teams are springing back into action creating a warm and welcoming atmosphere on Sunday mornings. Learn more about coffee and greeting volunteers from Shirley Hobrock at 785 776-3175 or shirleyhobrock2@gmail.com.

BUILDING USE AND SCHEDULING

The UUFM building is now available to reserve, with limited group size, length of use, and the expectation that those using the building will practice reasonable social distancing and cleaning following use. Please contact Susan Turner to schedule your meeting space, at 785 537-2349 or office@uufm.net.

Administrator's Schedule

Tuesday, March 1 - 12 to 5 pm
Thursday, March 3 - 12 to 5 pm
Monday, March 7 - 12 to 5 pm
Tuesday, March 8 - 12 to 5 pm
Thursday, March 10 - 12 to 5 pm
Monday, March 14 - 12 to 5 pm
Tuesday, March 15 - 12 to 5 pm
Thursday, March 17 - 12 to 5 pm
Monday, March 21 - 12 to 5 pm
Tuesday, March 22 - 12 to 5 pm
Thursday, March 24 - 12 to 5 pm
Monday, March 28 - 12 to 5 pm
Tuesday, March 29 - 12 to 5 pm
Thursday, March 31 - 12 to 5 pm

Drop in at the Fellowship during Susan Turner's office hours or call 785 537-2349. She may be reached at any time at office@uufm.net.

HELPFUL INFORMATION FOR MEMBERS AND FRIENDS

Contact Fellowship administrator Susan Turner at 785 537-2349 or office@uufm.net to **UPDATE YOUR MAILING ADDRESS, PHONE, or EMAIL**, or to **CANCEL YOUR SUBSCRIPTION** to this newsletter. You may also contact Susan to learn how to join our private **COFFEE AND CONVERSATIONS FACEBOOK** group.

If you are considering **BECOMING A MEMBER** of UUFM, learn more from our Welcoming chair Shirley Hobrock at shirleyjhobrock@hotmail.com or 785 776-3175.

Fellowship members may receive **UU WORLD MAGAZINE**, without cost.

An audio version of *UU World* is available for those with vision or reading difficulties. To subscribe, contact Susan Turner at 785 537-2349 or office@uufm.net. Everyone can read *UU World* articles online at www.uuworld.org.

Join in discussions of interest; receive information on community events, and last-minute updates and announcements on our UUFM **EMAIL LIST**. Contact Susan Turner at office@uufm.net to subscribe.

Consider the convenience of **ELECTRONIC GIVING**. UUFM relies on the financial support of our congregation and automatic monthly contributions offer a simple and easy way to give on a regular basis. Learn more from Fellowship bookkeeper Sandy Nelson at 785 341-0135 or sandralounelson@yahoo.com. You can also make pledge payments, contribute to our General Operating fund, or give to our Helping Hands recipient directly, at uufm.net/donate. *Thank you!*

SUNDAY ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please contact fellowship administrator Susan Turner at 785 537-2349 or office@uufm.net, **NO LATER THAN WEDNESDAY EVENING** with announcements and information for inclusion in the Sunday morning order of service, and Sunday announcement slides.

CARING FOR MEMBERS AND FRIENDS

Providing support to one another is one of the most important things we do as religious community. Our Caring Team is ready to support you, or help you in supporting others. If you're sick and could use someone to do errands, or can use any kind of assistance or support, please let us know at 785 537-2349 or office@uufm.net.

APRIL NEWSLETTER DEADLINE

The deadline for submissions to the April 2022 edition of *The UUFM Voice* is Tuesday, **MARCH 15**. Submissions received later may not be included in the newsletter. Send your newsletter contributions to Susan Turner at 785 537-2349 or office@uufm.net. *If you cannot get your submission in by the March 15 deadline, please contact Susan to arrange a deadline extension.*



MARCH 2022 at UUFM

Sunday

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday

Saturday



1

12 TO 5 PM
SUSAN TURNER
3:30 TO 4:30 PM
SANDY NELSON at
Fellowship, 785 537-2349

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12 NOON LUUNCH BUUNCH
Kathleen Oldfather
kjoldfather@gmail.com

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9:30 AM
UU COFFEE
Jane Pelletier
mjanepelletier@gmail.com
12 TO 5 PM
SUSAN TURNER
3:30 TO 4:30 PM
SANDY NELSON at
Fellowship, 785 537-2349

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7 AM HAPPY
KITCHEN breakfast
St Paul's Episcopal Church
Tom Phillips, twp1@ksu.edu

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10:45 AM SUNDAY SERVICE
Dance of Value
Pastor Isabel

7

12 TO 5 PM
SUSAN TURNER at
Fellowship, 785 537-2349

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12 TO 5 PM
SUSAN TURNER
3:30 TO 4:30 PM
SANDY NELSON
4 PM STEWARDSHIP
SM GROUP CONVERSATION
Lorn Clement, UUFM
7 PM BOARD MEETING
Judy Nickelson
judynickelson@gmail.com

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7 PM STEWARDSHIP
SM GROUP CONVERSATION
Mark Mayfield, UUFM
12 NOON LUUNCH BUUNCH
Kathleen Oldfather
kjoldfather@gmail.com
6 PM ACTION WEDNESDAY
<https://tinyurl.com/AWedUUFM>

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9:30 AM
UU COFFEE
4 PM STEWARDSHIP
SM GROUP CONVERSATION
Judy Nickelson, Zoom
tinyurl.com/StewardshipConversations
12 TO 5 PM S TURNER
3:30 TO 4:30 PM S NELSON
at Fellowship, 785 537-2349

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7 AM HAPPY
KITCHEN breakfast
St Paul's Episcopal Church
Tom Phillips, twp1@ksu.edu
5:30 PM STEWARDSHIP
SM GROUP CONVERSATION
Kathy and Dan Swenson home
tinyurl.com/StewardshipConversations

12

3 TO 4:30 PM
WOMEN WHO SHAPED US
share your stories on Zoom
tinyurl.com/WomenWhoShapedUs

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10:45 AM SUNDAY SERVICE
Where Are We Going?
Pastor Isabel

14

12 TO 5 PM
SUSAN TURNER at
Fellowship, 785 537-2349
6:30 PM STEWARDSHIP
SM GROUP CONVERSATION
Michael Oldfather, UUFM
tinyurl.com/StewardshipConversations

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12 TO 5 PM
SUSAN TURNER
3:30 TO 4:30 PM
SANDY NELSON at
Fellowship, 785 537-2349

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12 NOON LUUNCH BUUNCH
Kathleen Oldfather

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9:30 AM
UU COFFEE
Jane Pelletier
mjanepelletier@gmail.com
12 TO 5 PM
SUSAN TURNER
3:30 TO 4:30 PM
SANDY NELSON at
Fellowship, 785 537-2349

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7 AM HAPPY
KITCHEN breakfast
St Paul's Episcopal Church
Tom Phillips, twp1@ksu.edu

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10:45 AM SUNDAY SERVICE
Feminisms for the Future
Pastor Isabel
4 PM RACIAL JUSTICE mtg
tinyurl.com/UUFMRacialJustice

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Kathleen Oldfather
kjoldfather@gmail.com

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7 AM HAPPY
KITCHEN breakfast
St Paul's Episcopal Church
Tom Phillips, twp1@ksu.edu
10 AM BOOK DISCUSSION
Susan Adamchak
sadamchak@kansas.net

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5 TO 8 PM
FIREFLY OPEN CIRCLE
Fellowship fire circle
potluck; Mandy Ryan
miriamete41@gmail.com

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10:45 AM SUNDAY SERVICE
Viola Liuzzo's Renewed Faith
Susan Rensing

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SUSAN TURNER at
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12 TO 5 PM
SUSAN TURNER
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SANDY NELSON at
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