



The UUCC Chronicle

November 2022

Service: Sunday, 10:00 AM

Access codes are available at
<https://uucookeville.org/2020/06/10/new-virtual-service-meeting-information/>
Past service recordings at
<https://uucookeville.org/worship/past-worship-services/>

November 6

“Famous UUs”

Special Historical Guests

November 13

“What is Your Ministry?”

Deanna Lack, CLM

November 20

“The ‘ism’ We Too Often Ignore:
Ableism”

Deanna Lack, CLM

November 27

“A Morning With Two Legendary
‘Johns’ — John Denver and Johnny
Cash”

Ken Sizemore

Reflections: Sunday, 11:00 AM

Reflections is an informal, non-judgmental, small-group discussion of the sermon topic. Participants share thoughts and insights or just listen. All are welcome.

Board Meeting: 12:00 PM Sunday, November 13

Chalice Circle: 6:00 PM

Wed., November 2 and 10

<https://uucookeville.org/events/>

Facilitated by Deanna Lack, CLM

Meditation: 6:00 PM

Wed., November 9 and 23

<https://uucookeville.org/events/meditation/>

Facilitated by Deanna Lack, CLM

Fair Trade:

Sundays 9:30 a.m. – 11:15 p.m.

<https://uucookeville.org/2020/05/22/fair-trade-table-curb-side-pickup/>

Facilitated by Linda Delventhal

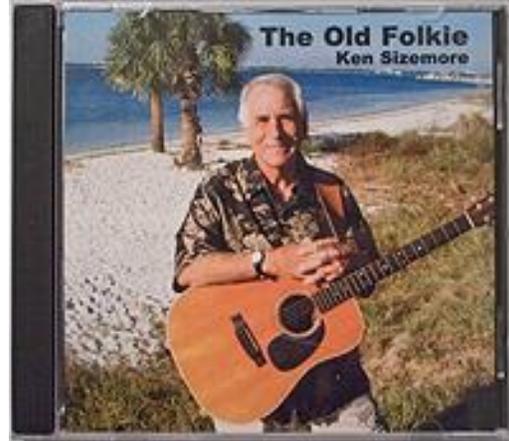
Email: lindadel48@gmail.com

Prison Ministry:

Wednesday, Nov. 9, 7:00 p.m.

At UUC or Zoom (request)

Facilitated by Andrew Smith



KEN SIZEMORE: THE OLD FOLKIE

By Susie Zuller

One of UUC’s favorite guest musicians will be coming again to share his message of sharing, caring, and social justice. On Sunday, November 27, Ken Sizemore, will inspire our spiritual growth with his program entitled “A Morning With Two Legendary ‘Johns’ – John Denver and Johnny Cash.”

According to Ken’s website, “Ken Sizemore has been performing folk and early pop music all over the country for more than 50 years. As a folk singer and guitarist, Ken plays the “classic” folk music of the 50’s, 60’s and 70’s—songs by such artists as Peter, Paul, and Mary, The Kingston Trio, Pete Seeger, Bob Dylan, Woody Guthrie, John Denver, Gordon Lightfoot, Joni Mitchell, Tom Paxton, Simon and Garfunkel, Don McLean, Donovan, Phil Ochs, and many others. Some of the pop artists that Ken includes in his repertoire are The Everly Brothers, Buddy Holly, Neil Diamond, Jim Croce, Harry Belafonte, James Taylor, Roberta Flack, Ricky Nelson, Jimmy Rogers, and even Elvis Presley, and he also pays tribute to country greats by including songs by Johnny Cash, Kris Kristopherson, John Prine, Johnny Horton, Roger Miller, Hank Williams, Patsy Cline, and Merle Haggard.”

Ken last performed for UUC in 2019 with “Songs Of Justice, Equity, and Compassion...the Second UU Principle.” In 2018, he

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Deanna Lack, Lay Minister

Cassandra Gronendyke, Board President

performed “Generations – A Musical Look at Family Ties and Relationships.”

In addition to playing in Cookeville, Ken has performed at Tennessee UU churches in Nashville, Tullahoma, Murfreesboro, and Maryville as well as other states and other venues.

Ken’s website continues, “He has done thousands of concerts, clubs, listening rooms, coffee houses, banquets, musical church services, and festivals over the years and has played for audiences throughout the United States.”

Ken recently moved from his long-time home in Panama City, Florida, to Nashville to be closer to family.

Let us give Ken and his considerable talent a warm UUCC welcome.



SOCM MEETING

By Brian Paddock

The local Roaring River Chapter of Statewide Organizing for Community eMpowerment (SOCM pronounced sock-em) met at UUCC recently. They planned a return to their traditional holiday wine tasting. Good food, wines to sample, music, and more are in the offing in early December. For more information or to receive an invitation via US Postal Service, email bpaddock@twlakes.net.



A FEW QUOTES FROM MARTIN THIELEN’S SERMON Oct. 2, 2022

“Six lessons I’ve learned about doubt (within religion): doubt is unavoidable, doubt is acceptable, doubt is necessary, doubt is painful, doubt is resolvable, doubt is beneficial,” Thielen writes.

“After religion is no more and all of the hay and stubble of humanity’s religious creations are burned up, all that will remain is love.” (Mark Karris, *Religious Refugees*) – from Martin Thielen’s handout.

Thielen summarized, “Authentic faith is...about a way of life.” He ended his sermon with, “I need to live a life of love. It is as simple as that.”

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“We, the member congregations of the Unitarian Universalist Association, covenant to affirm and promote: journeying toward spiritual wholeness by working to build a diverse multicultural Beloved Community by our actions that accountably dismantle racism and other oppressions in ourselves and our institutions.”

Deanna’s sermon on Sun., Oct. 16, concerned the Article II study commission that is rewriting and updating Unitarian Universalism’s Principles and Sources. There’s a draft of their work for review. If you have strong feelings about anything they’ve

FUNDRAISER IS UP AND GOING!

By Susie Zuller

WOO-HOO!

As most of you already know, Chris Bakle donated a week of free vacation in San Antonio for us to raffle off. The site is now up and running at: [https://unitarianuniversalistcongregat.betterworld.org/...](https://unitarianuniversalistcongregat.betterworld.org/)

Going live on October 20, the raffle reads: "Get away for a sunny, warm vacation! UUCS is raffling an 8-day, 7-night (1/27/23 – 2/3/23) stay at a luxury hotel. The Éilan Hotel & Spa, is located in the hill country at 18603 La Cantera Terrace, San Antonio, TX, close to shopping, dining, and entertainment venues. The Éilan boasts indoor and outdoor pools, fitness center, and full-service spa. Your room will have two queen beds to easily sleep up to 4 people. With over 14,000 square feet of event space, you could plan for your wedding or family reunion! The raffle winner will be notified either via email or phone call. The already-reserved room will be transferred over to you. Then you can be on your way to a relaxing week-long getaway! For further info on this great raffle prize, go to <https://www.eilanhotel.com/>. Excludes travel and food. Sponsored by the Unitarian Universalist Congregation of Cookeville, Tennessee."

You may help your faith community raise much-needed funds by purchasing a raffle ticket. For \$10, get one tickets; for \$50 get 6 tickets; and for \$100 get 13 tickets.

Please share this very important fundraiser with your social networks. Remember, the four T's of stewardship: time, talent, treasure, and ties.

Gratitude goes to all who are contributing their stewardship to this fundraiser.



Introducing Khandro Rinpoche: Nun and Tibetan Buddhist Teacher

By Richard Shaffer

My first exposure to Buddhism was from reading *The Life of the Buddha* from my Methodist minister dad's home library circa 1962. Experience with Tibetan Buddhism dates to discovering four 1920s - 1950s era W. Y. Evans-Wentz translations in 1969. These are *The Tibetan Book of The Dead*, *Tibetan Yoga and Secret Doctrines*, *Tibet's Great Yogi Milarepa*, and *The Tibetan Book of the Great Liberation*. Copies of these four books are contained within the UUCS library.

During the 1970s my practice lacked direction and was haphazard. During the 1980s my practice was largely solitary and focused on extensive reading from early English translations of Sanskrit and Tibetan language books.

In 1985 a large active Washington DC area dharma center, Kunzang Palyul Choling, opened and I became serendipitously aware of it during a ride through the Maryland countryside. Available there are a wide range of traditional Tibetan Buddhist teachings, retreats, and regular practice sessions. My first transmission teachings with empowerment and group mediation with chanting occurred there.

Amongst other activity they maintain an unbroken continuous 24/7 practice for world peace since 1985.

In the early 1990s new translations of Tibetan language teachings began to become available. In the mid 1990s an active “cyber sangha” at AOL began. I was an active part of that. Numerous in person teaching retreats became available in the United States, with a some of these occurring in or near DC.

In 1999 my first meeting of, and receiving of in-person teachings from, the Dalai Lama occurred as part of a Tibetan medicine conference in DC. Good fortune enabled my attendance at a number of others with him through 2006. He now provides many practices and teachings on-line where he is a daily presence for me.

During the 1990s I became familiar with Padma Gochen Ling in Monterey, Tennessee. This through the late Rita Frizzell who taught at the AOL cyber sangha. Attending a retreat in the fall of 1998 I met their founder and teacher Palden Sherab Rinpoche. Also his translator and brother Tsewang Dongyal Rinpoche. Inspired to learn what I could from them, I became a regular at retreats and in 2000 pledged to help the center develop from a 2-acre rough hewn hippy style camp to Palden Rinpoche’s vision of a traditional teaching center. Becoming a principal benefactor for its growth into the 12+-acre with Gompa (practice center) and Sangha House (community center) facility it is today. Sadly, Palden’s health declined in the new millennium and he passed away during 2010. Activity there had by 2008 degenerated to a bare minimum. Finishing the building of the dharma center was the reason my wife and fellow student Leeanne and I moved to this area in late 2005. Development was competed in 2006. We are no longer active there.

In 2002, while working in Dayton, Ohio, I found, via a Google search for a place to practice, the newly formed Gar Drolma Dharma Center in nearby Yellow Springs. This started a relationship that continues to today. This center grew from a small one-room storefront location into a large thriving sangha located at a formerly Christian

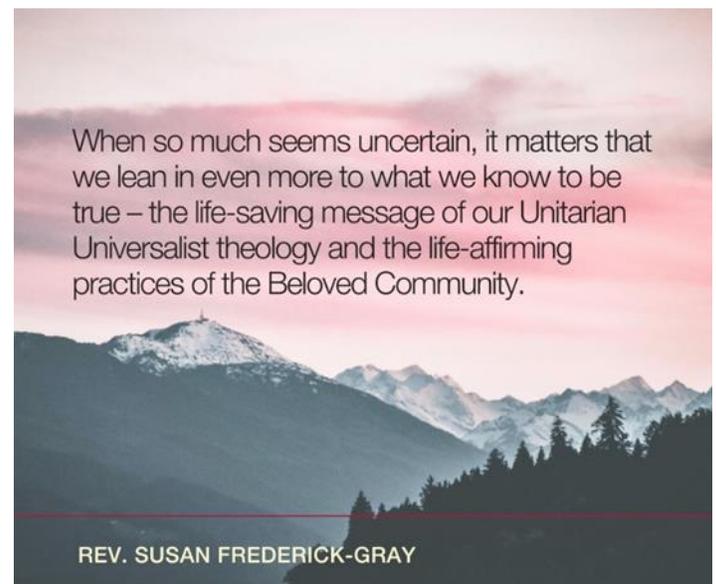
church property. Garchen Rinpoche is the spiritual leader. Practice with him is available on a daily basis at YouTube and on-line.

In 2004 my wife Leeanne and I spent five weeks on pilgrimage in India. While staying within the Tibetan refugee settlement area, at old Delhi, we attended a week-long teaching by a Mindrolling Monastery lama and numerous monks. This formed the basis for a continuing on-line relationship which led us to Khandro Rinpoche. I have visited and practiced solo at Mindrolling Lotus Garden in Virginia.

Leeanne and I now practice together at home and wherever we are, but, primarily interact with teachers on-line.

Hopefully you will enjoy this introduction to Khandro Rinpoche and her teachings.

-  Khandro Rinpoche web site with teachings
<https://www.KhandroRinpoche.org>
-  Mindrolling Monastery India
<https://www.Mindrolling.org>
-  Mindrolling Lotus Garden Virginia
<https://www.KhandroRinpoche.org/Centres/Lotus-Garden-US/>



REPORT FROM THE NAACP FREEDOM FUND RECEPTION 2022

By Deanna Lack, CLM
(Photos by Deanna)



Andrew Smith and his mother Barbara Smith received the “Diversity Award” from the NAACP on Sat., Oct. 22, 2022. Presenting the award is Tom Savage, president of the Cookeville-Putnam chapter of the NAACP.

I had the joy and honor of being invited by Barbara and Andrew Smith to attend the NAACP Freedom Fund Banquet this year, as their guest. The Cookeville chapter gave Barb and Andrew, “the dynamic duo,” they called them, the Diversity Award this year.

It was just a wonderful program. Regina Pullin provided after-dinner entertainment, singing Marvin Gaye in sweet and powerful tones and strolling among the banquet tables, and then she did a moving performance as Harriet Tubman, mixing storytelling, hymns, and exhortations to all of us, one of which has been echoing in my mind ever since: “To whom much is given, much is required” (Luke 12:48). I have never thought about that scripture in the context of privilege before, but I certainly am now. I think I will be turning this performance over in my mind for a long time to come.

The keynote speaker was Councilman JB Smiley from Memphis, who attended TTU and recently narrowly lost a primary bid for governor (unfortunately, in my opinion... I really like him).

His message exhorted us to vote, vote, vote, and take someone with you to vote! This was really highlighted at the banquet, but when you go to the polls, be sure to vote NO on issue 1, which would enshrine the inaptly named “right-to-work” in the Tennessee Constitution. Do you research before you go, friends.

Anne Austin, whom some of you may know from the Putnam County Democratic Party, was honored with the Leadership Award. The Humanitarian Award went to Pastor David Meek of McClellan Avenue Church. Woman of the Year was Diantha McLeod, who pastors three United Methodist churches, one in Cookeville, one in Algood, and one in Sparta. The John Lewis Young Leadership Award was given to Mark Rine, who took over from Andrew as leader of TTU’s NAACP chapter.

For those of you who don’t know Barb Smith, she is Andrew’s mom and a passionate activist who lives in Pleasant Hill and works with us on CMAC/our prison ministry. She is also on NAACP’s board. She comes to UUCC on occasion, so if you haven’t had the chance to get to know her, make sure you do next time she joins us!

In her acceptance speech Barbara talked about how she realized after moving to Tennessee that NAACP is a very diverse organization; the Putnam County organization is very diverse, but the chapter in Detroit 10,000 people attend their freedom banquet and are mostly black. “Let’s keep on working,” she said.

Andrew’s speech really moved me. He spoke of Beloved Community as aspirational and said, “It is but it is also becoming. Over the last six years... there are those who would deny the Beloved Community.” He spoke of forces in our own community of Cookeville, those who demonize our indigenous friends. “These poisons prevent the Beloved Community.... The medicine is radical love in the service of creative protest and practical solutions grounded in social justice. Beloved Community does not build more walls. Beloved Community busts them up. The world becoming more inclusive, especially of those grievously

maligned or marginalized. Beloved Community loves those that look different. Beloved Community includes those that love different. Beloved Community includes the unsheltered, the uninsured, the unemployed, the incarcerated, addicted, and neurodivergent. Beloved Community does not put people in cages simply because they are poor or on drugs. Beloved Community does not force motherhood on a young woman who is a victim of rape or incest, or for whom pregnancy would place their very life in danger. Beloved Community does not deny health care to someone who is learning to be who they truly are. Beloved Community does not put a gun in every single human's hand and expect that a murderous weapon is going to prevent violence. What Beloved Community does is provide food, provide clean water, provide health care, provide housing, provide a living wage, and provides the right to organize with fellow workers for a living wage.... We can't be afraid. We can't look the other way when our friends are hurting, and we cannot lose the soul of this community.

“In this struggle I felt the temptation to hate on the people who were hating on me. I don't want to give them that privilege, that victory. Because the haters win when the haters make us hate them.”

Amen, ashé.

I would really love to see us sponsor a table at the banquet next year, friends, and see more of us involved with what the NAACP is doing in Cookeville. The more we network the more we create that Beloved Community of which Andrew spoke in our little corner of the world. May it be so.



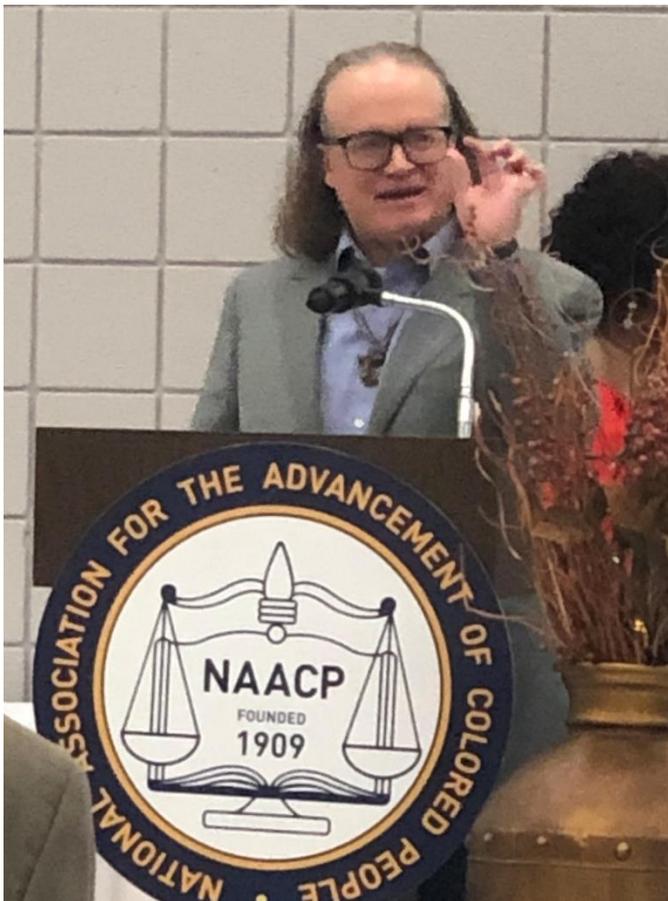
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Barbara Smith accepting her award.



Andrew Smith accepting his award. He spoke of Beloved Community as aspirational.

BOARD HIGHLIGHTS OF MEETING OCTOBER 16, 2022

By Susie Zuller

All Board members were present for the monthly meeting as well as other UUCC members and friends.

The Board discussed but took no action on rearranging the UUCC space, funding for the Prison Ministry, the Jetpack CRM program, and Kathleen’s planned faith education program for youth.

All were updated that the internal financial review of Sat., Oct. 15, went well and all finances appeared to be in order.

Carol volunteered to advertise the “Your Vote Matters” program.

The Board voted on and approved Brian Paddock’s request for SOCM to use the UUCC space on Wed., Oct. 19, for a one-time event for \$50.

After discussion, the Board voted on and approved recommending masking for congregants but insisting on masking when singing and expecting those unmasked not to sing.

They voted on and approved making a donation to the NAACP from funds already in the budget.

A vote carried to allow Susie to proceed with a fundraiser from the one-week vacation donated by Chris.

The Board voted to participate in Pride 2023 and register early so as to avoid the \$25 registration fee.

Treasury Report

September 2022	Jan – September 2022
Income: \$1,505	Income: \$18,592
Expenses: \$1,212	Expenses: \$15,028

Additional Income

Part of the total income for 2022 comes from use of our building by other groups (\$420), the Kroger Community Rewards Program (\$98), the Fair-Trade Project (\$11), and the Amazon Smile Program (\$131). If you have any questions about these programs, please talk to any Board member or consult the posters on display.

Pledged Income

Everyone has tried to stay current with their pledges. After 9 months (September), about 71% of the pledges have been redeemed. Because we are saving to pay the 6 months’ rent check (due November 1), everyone please remember to contribute for us to succeed as a congregation. All together now: GO TEAM!

UCC IS AN HONOR CONGREGATION!

Dear Leader,

Every year, each congregation in the Unitarian Universalist Association is asked to give a financial contribution to support the wider movement and sibling congregations across our Association. This contribution supports the Annual Program Fund, which is the single largest source of income for the work of our UUA. It also strengthens the covenant among us.

Your congregation gave the full amount requested to the Annual Program Fund during this past fiscal year. This means you are an Honor Congregation, honoring the covenant among and between our congregations. **THANK YOU!**

Your giving is a concrete expression of our congregations' covenant with one another, and is a recognition that we are not alone, but are part of an Association of Congregations. This support allows the UUA to serve the diverse needs of the 1,006 member congregations across five regions. Congregational giving through the Annual Program Fund (APF) makes the work of the UUA possible.

Please display this Honor certificate somewhere prominent and share with your congregation my personal appreciation on behalf of all the congregations that your generosity benefits.

Your support strengthens Unitarian Universalism. No individual congregation can possibly tackle the challenges of our society alone; we need one another, and our values are amplified powerfully when we support one another. Thank you for your giving to the Annual Program Fund. You make so much possible.

With deep gratitude,
 Rev. Susan Frederick Gray
 President
 Unitarian Universalist Association
 (Letter is dated September 27, 2022)



FAIR TRADE ITEMS AVAILABLE

By Linda Delventhal

Here is an updated list of fair trade items available:

ITEM	NUMBER	PRICE	OUT OF DATE?
English B'fast Tea	4	\$3.50	N
Mint Green Tea	1	\$2.00	Y
Decaffeinated Coffee	2	\$4.00	Y
Chocolate	Lots	\$3.00	N
Tea	Lots	\$4.00	N
Coffee	Lots	\$8.50 or \$9 (depends on type)	N

When new product is purchased, tea will be \$4.00/box and coffee \$8.50 or \$9.00, and chocolate \$3.00/bar. Please check out the Equal Exchange website as catalogs are no longer available, and let Linda know what you are interested in buying from our table. <https://shop.equalexchange.coop/>

PRISON MINISTRY GUEST SPEAKER

Guest speaker for the November CMAC meeting is Allison Farnum, UU Prison Ministry of Illinois.

CMAC will meet Wed., Nov. 9, at 7:00 p.m. at UUCC and via Zoom. If you wish to join via Zoom, please inform Andrew, CMAC facilitator.

ARTICLE II STUDY COMMISSION DRAFT FEEDBACK SESSIONS (From UUA Dated Sept. 15, 2022)

Copied from:

<https://www.uua.org/uuagovernance/committees/article-ii-study-commission/blog/draft-feedback>

The Article II Study Commission is excited to share a full draft of Article II (PDF, 3 Pages) for feedback. The Study Commission's outreach team will be hosting Zoom feedback sessions in the first half of November, along with gathering feedback through a forthcoming online form for individual comments.

The Study Commission will present its final draft to the Board in January for inclusion on the agenda for General Assembly 2023. It will then be the subject of mini-Assemblies before the initial vote at GA 2023. If it passes that delegate vote by a majority, it will require a 2/3 majority vote at GA 2024 to become the new Article II of the Bylaws.

This draft makes significant changes to Article II. We invite you to read it using one of the practices we have started following in our work:

Read it the first time to observe how it makes you feel.

Read a second time, observe what it makes you think.

Finally read it a third time before thinking about any suggestions.

It will be ideal if you can hold suggestions until the online form is available so that they can be more easily gathered and read. But do feel free to direct questions to changemanager@uua.org

Zoom Feedback Session Registration
Saturday, 11/05 at 3 p.m. Eastern
Sunday, 11/06 at 2 p.m. Eastern
Tuesday, 11/08 at 10 p.m. Eastern
Wednesday, 11/09 at 8 p.m. Eastern
Thursday, 11/10 at 7 p.m. Eastern
Saturday, 11/12 at 3 p.m. Eastern
Sunday, 11/13 at 2 p.m. Eastern
Monday, 11/14 at 9 p.m. Eastern

DRAFT OF THE UUA's ARTICLE II PURPOSES AND COVENANT

Section C-2.1. Purposes.

The Unitarian Universalist Association shall devote its resources to and exercise its organizational powers for religious, educational, and humanitarian purposes. Its primary purposes are to equip congregations for vital ministry, to support and train leaders both lay and professional, to heal historic inequities, and to advance our Unitarian Universalist values in the world. We will transform the world by our liberating love.

Section C-2.2. Values and Covenant.

Love is the enduring force that holds us together. As Unitarian Universalists in religious community, we covenant, congregation-to-congregation and through our association, to support and assist each other in engaging our ministries. We draw from our heritages of freedom and reason, hope and courage, building on the foundation of love. Love inspires and powers the passion with which we embody our values. Inseparable from one another, these shared values are:

Justice. We work to be diverse multicultural Beloved Communities where all people thrive. We covenant to dismantle racism and all forms of oppression within individuals and our institutions. We are accountable to each other for this work.

Generosity. We cultivate a spirit of gratitude and hope. We covenant to freely share our faith, presence, and resources. Compassionate generosity connects us one to another in relationships of mutuality.

Evolution. We adapt to the changing world. We covenant to collectively transform and grow spiritually and ethically. Evolution is fundamental to life and to our Unitarian Universalist heritages, never complete and never perfect.

Pluralism. We celebrate that we are all sacred beings diverse in culture, theology, and experience. We covenant to learn from one another and openly explore the depth and breadth of our many wisdoms. We embrace our differences and commonalities with love, curiosity, and respect.

Equity. We declare that every person has the right to flourish with dignity and worthiness. We covenant to use our time, wisdom, attention, and money to build and sustain a fully inclusive and accessible community of communities.

Interdependence. We honor the sacred interdependent web of all existence. With humility we understand our place in the web. We covenant to care for and respect the earth and all beings by fostering relationships of mutuality. We work to repair the bonds we have broken.

Section C-2.3. Inspirations.

As Unitarian Universalists, we draw upon, and are inspired by, the full depth and breadth of sacred understandings, as experienced by humanity. Grateful for the religious lineages we inherit and the pluralism which enriches our faith, we are called to ever deepen and expand our wisdom.

Section C-2.4. Inclusion.

Systems of power, privilege, and oppression have traditionally created barriers for persons and groups with particular identities, ages, abilities, and histories. We pledge to replace such barriers with ever-widening circles of solidarity and mutual respect. We strive to be an association of congregations that truly welcome all persons who share our values. We commit to structuring congregational and associational life in ways that empower and enhance everyone's participation.

Section C-2.5. Freedom of belief.

Nothing herein shall be deemed to infringe upon the individual freedom of belief which is inherent in the Unitarian Universalist heritages or to conflict with any statement of purpose, covenant, or bond of union used by any congregation unless such is used as a creedal test. In expressing our beliefs, we do so in the spirit of love, in ways that further Beloved Community.

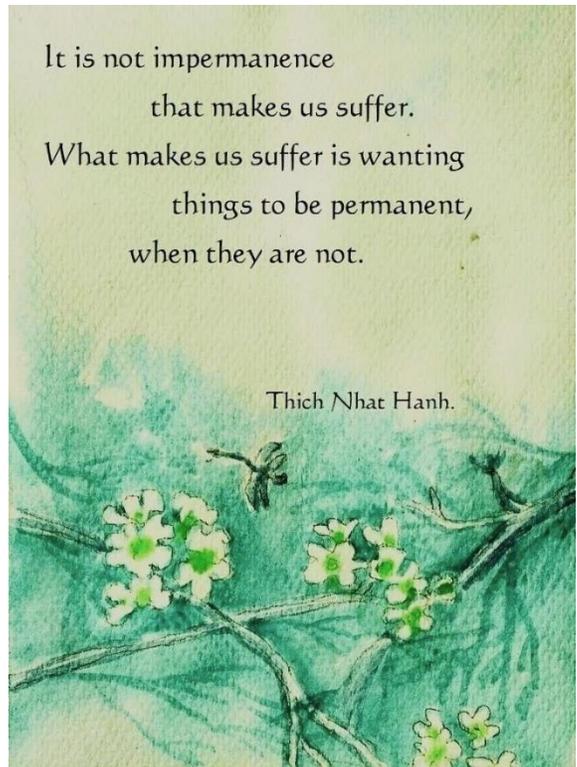
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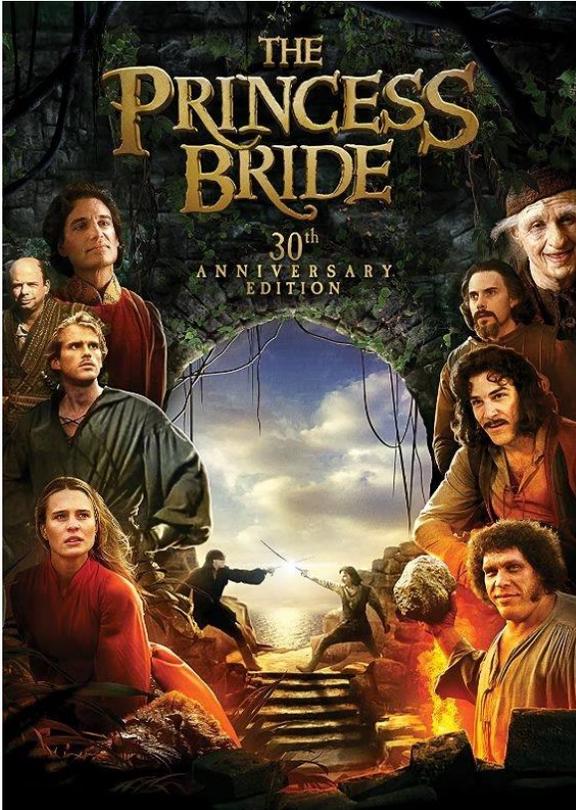
By Leila Howell

I was reflecting on my job as a Children's DRE with the Unitarian church and how big of a job it is. Because the UU is interfaith, DRE's are charged with helping each family develop in their own faith and practices while giving children a broad religious education. This means educating in Sunday School the basics of all faiths in order to be inclusive and then relating those basics back to the seven UU principles. Instead of just studying one faith to teach, it means developing personal knowledge of many faiths in order to properly do our jobs. I love my role at church because it is always interesting, and I am always learning something new. (From October 2015)

It is not impermanence
that makes us suffer.
What makes us suffer is wanting
things to be permanent,
when they are not.

Thich Nhat Hanh.





**MOVIE NIGHT:
“THE PRINCESS BRIDE”**

By Ric Finch

Movie night for November is Monday the 7th, at the UUCC sanctuary; showtime is 7 PM!

We will be screening "The Princess Bride", a truly delightful and refreshing comedic fairy tale. Here's what Wikipedia has to say about it:

“ ‘The Princess Bride’ is a 1987 American fantasy adventure comedy film, directed and co-produced by Rob Reiner and starring Cary Elwes, Robin Wright, Mandy Patinkin, Chris Sarandon, Wallace Shawn, André the Giant and Christopher Guest. Adapted by William Goldman from his 1973 novel of the same name, it tells the story of a farmhand named Westley, accompanied by companions befriended along the way, who must rescue his true love Princess Buttercup from the odious Prince Humperdinck. The film preserves the novel's metafictional narrative style by presenting the story as a book being read by a grandfather to his sick grandson.

The film was first released in the United States on September 25, 1987 and was well received by critics at the time. ...it has over time become a cult film and been considered as one of the best films of the 1980s, and one of Reiner's best works. The film is number 50 on the Bravo's "100 Funniest Movies", number 88 on The American Film Institute's list of the 100 greatest film love stories, and 46 in Channel 4's 50 Greatest Comedy Films list....

In 2016, the film was selected by the Library of Congress for preservation in the United States National Film Registry as being "culturally, historically or aesthetically significant".”

And here's a trailer for you to preview:
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=P9FRDyTerZA>
 Long before the film ends, you'll have a huge smile on your face, one that will last you the rest of the night! Come join us! Remember to mask and to bring your own refreshments.



Remember that election day is Tuesday, November 8. Polls open 9:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m. Remember to bring a Tennessee state or federally issued identification.

During services on Sunday, Oct. 30, Carol encouraged everyone to “phone five.” Phone five people and encourage them to vote.