



THE FIRST UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST CHURCH OF WEST VOLUSIA

Monthly News and Programs

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SUMMER SOLSTICE:

"May the long time sun
shine upon you and all
love surround you."

~ Snatam Kaur (sing it!)

LGBT PRIDE MONTH:

"The only queer people
are those who don't love
anybody."

~ Rita Mae Brown

SERVICES

- Jun. 7th** "A Renewal of Faith." Matthew Johnson, Sr. Minister of the UU Church in Rockford, IL, presents on renewal. "Open yourself to be renewed. Open your heart to all that is holy everywhere, every-now. Open yourself to life and love....life is a gift not a project."
- Jun. 14th** "To Be a Friend." Artist, musician, and retired college professor Dan Gribbin returns again to present. More than ever we need to be a friend.
- Jun. 21st** "A Summer Solstice." Our own Religious Education Director and full time Goddess Suzanne Southard will present a program to celebrate this special day.
- Jun. 28th** "Belief." Writer, historian, and grandpa Bill Lazarus returns to discuss belief, with his usual wit and wisdom. You may come away with more questions than answers, but you will definitely have something to think about!

Church Happenings

Zoom!

For our safety, the church has committed to holding Sunday Services on Zoom for the next several months. The link is <https://zoom.us/j/94230930661>. You'll find full instructions below on page 2. In addition, small groups are meeting virtually. Details below.

Sharing of Responsibility (Offering)

It's more your responsibility now than ever, because you will need to send a check to the church. Thank you so much for your continued support! PO Box 592, Deland FL, 32721.

UU General Assembly

It is not too late to register for General Assembly and attend virtually. Look at the workshop and speaker offerings here <https://www.uua.org/ga/off-site/registrants>.

Adult Discussion Group

The TUESDAY following the 2nd & 4th Sunday of the month (June 16th and 30th) at 11:00 am.
For information and Zoom link, contact George Crofts at [jorjcrofts@gmail.com](mailto:JORJCROFTS@GMAIL.COM).

The Open Covenant Group

The TUESDAY following the 1st and 3rd Sundays of the month. (June 9th and 23rd) at 11:00 am.
For information and Zoom link, contact Karel Herrington at karel.edith@gmail.com.



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More Church Happenings

Poetry Group

Time/Date/Zoom TBD. Contact Karel Herrington at karel.edith@gmail.com.

Book Discussion Group

The 4th Friday of the month at 10:30 am.

For June, bring an idea for a book you are currently reading and would like to share.

For information and Zoom link, contact Karen Wolf at 763-213-2403 or kwolfk99@aol.com.

Men's Group

Every Thursday, 7:00 pm

For information and Zoom link, contact Joe Knott at: joeknottjr@hotmail.com

Outside Group Meetings at Our Church

All outside group meetings at our church have been temporary suspended until further notice.

Zoom Instructions (Super Easy!)

Click on the meeting link, which for Sunday Service is <https://zoom.us/j/94230930661>. Follow any prompts to redirect, open, launch, or join as needed. **If you have never used Zoom before** it will lead you through a download first and then to the meeting. This "how to" article and video tutorial may be useful: <https://support.zoom.us/hc/en-us/articles/201362193-Joining-a-Meeting>

If at any point you are asked for a **Meeting ID**, please input the meeting number (94230930661).

If you do not have a computer or smart device, or just want the simplest way to join, you can call either of these numbers and enter the **Meeting ID** when prompted: 301-715-8592 OR 253-215-8782. **Audio only phone call connection:** (not to be confused with using Zoom app on a smartphone).

If you or someone you know needs technical or moral support, contact **John Cupak at 603-305-6056** or **Judith Southard at 386-848-1873**. They are available on Sunday morning!

Quarantine Tip of the Month

How to be UU – on Social Media!

Post and Share happy thoughts, quotes, and events from your day. It's a simple way to pay a kindness forward. And for everyone's safety do NOT post COVID content if the source is unreliable!!

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