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~James Bryce

SERVICES

- July 7th** Coleen Summey, returns to present "7 Principles for the 7th Month". Her program will focus on efforts around the world to save our dear planet by one plastic straw, single use item or piece of garbage at a time. We will explore the Zero Waste movement, what is it and more importantly what ON EARTH you can actually do to make a difference. She will invite the assistance of each person in attendance, in a small or large way - you decide - as our UU faith directs us.
- July 14th** Bill Lazarus returns to present "How Bill Came to UUism." Normally he doesn't do personal presentations, but he will explain how his belief developed and why. Bill is a historian, renowned religious scholar, and one of our most popular speakers.
- July 21st** Dr. Teri Fine returns to present "Stonewall 50 Years Later." Always engaging, Dr. Fine will speak about the 50th anniversary of the Stonewall uprising, June 28th, which was a series of demonstrations which erupted in response to a police raid at the Stonewall Inn in NYC's Greenwich Village. This was a rare establishment open to gay persons, who often struggled to find comfortable places to socialize. Many consider this to be the start of the LGBTQ civil rights movement.
- July 28th** Stetson Visiting Assistant Professor Susanne Eules joins us for the first time and presents "Why Have There Been No Great Women Artists?" Starting on the title of an essay Linda Nochlin wrote in 1971, she will give an overview about the education of women artists and their (non) access to Academies since the Renaissance.

Church Happenings

The Open Covenant Group

1st & 3rd Sunday after coffee. July 7th & 21st
ALL ARE WELCOME Join the group. It will continue as long as individuals attend.

Adult Discussion Group

2nd & 4th Sunday at 9:15 am before church. July 14th & 28th
ALL ARE WELCOME to suggest a topic.
Contact George Crofts at: jorjcrofts@gmail.com

Poetry Potluck Group

July 14th
Attendees are asked to bring a dish to share and a few poems to read.
Newcomers are always welcome.
Location to be determined.
For additional information on the Poetry Group, contact Karen Wolf at: kwolfk99@aol.com



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More Church Happenings

Book Discussion Group

Fri July 19, 10:30 am

For additional information contact Karen Wolf at: kwolfk99@aol.com

Men's Group

Thursdays at 7:00 pm at the church.

For more information, contact Joe Knott at: joeknottjr@hotmail.com.

Collections for the Neighborhood Center

The First Sunday of the month is the designated donation day but food can be donated any Sunday. The Center is urgently in need of food.

Outside Group Meetings at Our Church

Meditation Support Group:

1st & 3rd Tuesdays of the month, July 2nd & 16th at 7:00 pm in the Fellowship Room.

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All are welcome! There is never any charge and no donations are accepted.

The Volusia Buddhist Fellowship:

Every Wednesday at 7:00PM

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Sensei Morris Sullivan

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