
Upcoming Worship Services ~ Sunday Worship begins at 10:30 am

Unless otherwise stated below, childcare and religious education classes are provided for all children and youth during Sunday morning services.

May 17 Hope and Harmony

Sr High Youth Group

The Sr High Youth Group brings you a worship experience on sharing and creating hope with one another. When we allow and encourage hope, does harmony naturally follow? We're pretty sure it does!

Share the Plate: Half of the cash collected in the morning offering will be donated to the Darfur Relief Fund of the Unitarian Universalist Service Committee (UUSC). The fund provides humanitarian aid to refugees and internally displaced people in the Darfur region of Sudan. UUSC has been addressing the Darfur crisis since 2004.

May 24 Honoring Our American Heroes

Jim Booth

Symbolic and nostalgic music and commentary will help us celebrate Memorial Day 2009

May 31 The Life of the Spirit: Creative Tension in Our Faith

Rev. Hilary Krivchenia

How spirit and mind continue to evoke and provoke one another

Share the Plate: Half of the cash collected in the morning offering will be donated to Unitus, an international nonprofit organization working to reduce global poverty by increasing access to life-changing microfinance services.

All are strongly encouraged to stay for the Congregational Annual Meeting immediately following the service on May 31. See details on page 3.

June 7 Out of the Closets, Into the Streets, Down the Aisle

Rev. Hilary Krivchenia

A rainbow story and a proud legacy. Come celebrate. And stay for the Picnic following the service! See page 5.

Flower Communion: Please bring a flower or a few flowers from home to share. A Unitarian tradition, the Flower Communion celebrates the beauty of our diversity and our hope for continued blossoming as a community of spirit.

This is an All-Church Service: Children and Youth will attend services with their families. Preschool-age children will go directly to their classroom, and childcare will be available in the nursery for infants and younger children.

June 14 The Heart of Congregation

Rev. Hilary Krivchenia

Our final "regular" service before summer services begin.

Volunteer Appreciation can be a marvelous thing — or it can set people's teeth on edge. It's not a time to make people feel bad about how much they don't do, but about celebrating all the things - both large and small - that go into making our congregational community. This has been a remarkable year for Countryside — and there have been so many things that have made this place positively lively and creative. Come celebrate this as a small element of our larger service. The musical offerings will be rich and new and marvelous elements are planned.

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Reminder: Pledge Forms Needed

If you haven't yet submitted your 2009-10 pledge form, please do so right away. We would like to have all of them in prior to the Board Meeting on May 19. If you have questions or concerns about pledging, please contact Rev. Hilary or Mike Gilley or Greg Sweigert. We are hoping to continue the optimistic and generous pledges that have come in thus far. Please help make this a strong year.

The Minister's Muse

This past Sunday I talked about the four aspects of the brain that scientists are exploring. We each have all four aspects - though they seem to be inheritances from various epochs of evolution. Learning about these aspects we learn about the different forces at work within us: each aspect providing some strengths and challenges.

The reptilian part of the brain is an inheritance from our salt sea ancestors - it keeps us alive by signaling danger and waking up our reflexes. It helps us jump out of traffic on a busy street, reach for food, seek shelter in a storm. Still, it can get us into arguments and wars, simply because our fear level gets a little high. The Reverend Michael Dowd (author of Thank God For Evolution) has named the four aspects of the brain creatively. The reptilian brain is the Lizard Legacy. The next is the Furry Li'l Mammal - the part of us that wants to bond, get a nice nest, give and receive help. It moves our simple urges into a clearer light and gives us a sharper appreciation of the good things in life - good food, comfort, companionship, snuggling.

The next is Monkey Mind. You may be familiar with this aspect from meditation study - it's the part that we're always trying to quiet. It's where we keep ourselves busy playing and replaying experience, weighing the costs and benefits of each hunger, yearning, opportunity, danger, encounter. It chatters on and on leaping, as Dowd suggests aptly, from one thought to another as a monkey does from branch to branch. It worries and chews over everything - the monkey mind is always darting around keeping us from being in the present. It has energy but no direction.

Finally we have the more recent part - that reasons, that meditates, contemplates, makes careful choices, defies history, and chooses the wellbeing of others or the best interest of the community over the interest of self. Dowd calls this aspect the Higher Porpoise. It's the part that thinks of the future but lives in the present. It defers momentary gratification for long-term gain. It can calm fears in the moment: help us choose diplomatic words instead of the first ones that may leap to mind, enable people to go into burning buildings to rescue others, donate blood, teach in public school, spend more to go green, give generously to this church, recycle though it's easier to throw things out - out of hope for the best for others as well as ourselves. It's the part of the brain that developed the most recently - that has benefited the most from evolution.

The Higher Porpoise can help us harness the power of the other aspects to live good lives that benefit ourselves and others. This takes work because it doesn't pack the physical wallop of the other aspects: no surge of adrenalin, no sharp aches - just that still small voice within. At our best - it's this aspect that we cultivate in spiritual practice. It puts urgency in perspective, makes comfort rise from a sense of at oneness with others instead of meeting individual needs, and lets the chattering monkey know that things will be attended to in their own time. It allows us each to reflect and make choices that will benefit more than ourselves and with which we can live in the long hours of the night and the late days of life. It gives us pleasure in small things - natural beauty, friendship, insight. At its best, congregational life helps us to develop this aspect. It'd be great if this were quick and easy - 5 steps to enlightenment and peace. In fact, it takes a lot of practice. The practice allows the other brains to assert themselves and then have the Higher Porpoise get them into perspective. Practice helps us rewire responses we have developed over a lifetime and give us responses that allow us to respond to life's challenges with grace and calmness. In part, at the Journeys retreat, we will explore the role of this brain in enabling us to evolve and grow as persons of good faith and spirit.

All-Church Survey

Each church household is requested to fill out an environmental survey. The survey is a requirement of the Green Sanctuary program, and it will help establish the starting point for our projects. We need full participation! You can fill out the survey in Atherton Hall on Sunday morning. You can also complete it by email: give us your name and email address at the survey table, write them on a sheet of paper and place in the Green Sanctuary mailbox in the office, or call Gail Wisniewski and she will have the survey emailed to you.

Bowling Bash

Please join the fun and games on Saturday, May 23 at 6:30 pm at Brunswick Zone on Rand Road just west of Quentin in Lake Zurich.

The Bash is all about camaraderie and laughs with the great side benefit of budget balancing. For only \$25 per person your evening includes two games of bowling, pizza, soft drinks, shoe rental and prizes.

Sign up Sundays after service or contact Cathleen Chay. Don't worry if you have never bowled before; we will have someone on hand to give a few lessons. Mark your calendar and sign up this Sunday!

From the Board President: Annual Meeting Announcement

The **Congregational Annual Meeting** will be held in the sanctuary on **Sunday, May 31**, immediately following the church service. Childcare will be provided and coffee and snacks will be served in the Sanctuary. We will be voting on and presenting several very important items that are key to the health of our congregation and our wonderful church facilities:

1. Vote on the budget for 2009-10
2. Vote on the slate of candidates presented by the Nominating Committee for leadership positions
3. Vote to approve expenditures for major building repairs
4. Discuss plans for a capital fundraiser for our building care
5. Discuss Covenant of Right Relationship

Elected Leadership Positions

Article VI of the By-laws states that there shall be no nominations for officer, trustee or the endowment committee from the floor of the annual congregational meeting. Additional nominations may be made by petition of 15 legal members filed with the Secretary of the Board no later than ten (10) days prior to the annual congregational meeting.

The following nominees, if elected, will assume their positions on July 1, 2009. These candidates were thoughtfully selected and recruited by our Nomination Committee and we are confident that they will serve our church well, with both skill and compassion.

Board of Trustees

Nominees for the Board of Trustees:

- * President - Judy Ball (2-year term)
- * Treasurer - Greg Sweigert (2-year term)
- * Secretary - Richard Chay (2-year term)
- * Trustee - Laura Gadley (2-year term)
- * Trustee - Gloria Kinney (2-year term)

Continuing on the Board of Trustees:

- * Vice-President - Laura Mandell (2nd of 2-yr term)
- * Trustee - Marty Farrington (2nd yr of 2-yr term)
- * Trustee - Tom MacTavish (2nd yr of 2-yr term)
- * Trustee - Peggy Simonsen (2nd yr of 2-yr term)

Endowment Committee

Nominee for the Endowment Committee:

- * Chris Smith

Continuing on the Endowment Committee:

- * Richard Chay (fifth year of 5-year term)
- * Beverly Sneddon (fourth year of 5-year term)
- * Bob Atherton (third year of 5-year term)
- * Wayne Stein (second year of 5-year term)

Audit Committee

- * Gary LaBedz
- * Armando Pauker
- * Mark Stamm
- * Judith Schader

Nominating Committee

We will elect three people to serve on the Nominating Committee for two years, as outlined in Article VII of the Constitution: three members of the nominating committee shall be elected at the annual congregational meeting each year. All nominees to be elected by the congregation to the nominating committee shall be nominated from the floor and shall have given prior approval of their willingness to serve. Three people will be continuing in their second year of their 2-year terms and the Board will appoint a seventh person for a 1-year term.

Nominees for the Nominating Committee:

- * Three nominations will be made from the floor. They must have given prior approval of their willingness to serve. In the event that there are more than three nominations, a vote will be required to select the three members. (Note that at this time three people have expressed willingness to serve.)

Continuing on the Nominating Committee:

- * Linda Berry (second year of 2-year term)
- * Karen Epps (second year of 2-year term)
- * Mark Huston (second year of 2-year term)

With respect and appreciation,

Lisa Bohne, President of the Board of Trustees

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For assistance from our Lay or Care Ministries,
please call Ken or Trudy.

Calling all YOUNG ADULTS!

Come to the next young adult conference, CONscientious May 29-31 in Brookfield, WI — hosted by the Central Midwest District Young Adult Steering Committee. Enjoy a number of workshops and worships exploring how our faith plays out in our daily lives. This is a great way to meet other UU young adults and have a lot of fun. If you are interested or have any questions visit <http://www.cmwd-uuyan.org> or call Colleen Vahey, DRE: 847-359-8440 x4. Registration is handled through <http://www.connectuu.com>.

Movies with Meaning

The next movie night will be Friday, June 12 at 7 pm in Atherton Hall. The topic will be *Slow Food and Slow Money*. There are several short selections being considered, including ideas by Carlo Petrini, Michael Pollan, Bill McKibben, and Woody Tasch. There are also several feature-length films in the pipeline, suggested by people in the group.

Song Circle

All are invited to an informal gathering of singers and musicians on Friday, June 5 at 7 pm in Atherton Hall. Bring an instrument if you play one, your voice, lyrics and music if you want others to sing and play with you, and your own beverages and snacks. Any questions, contact Tony Pretto.

Worklife & Career Support Group

In these trying times, many people have already been laid off, downsized, or are in danger of losing their jobs. Some of you are in jobs that do not fit your skills, values, interests. Our initial meeting will be Friday, May 29 at 10 am at Countryside Church.

The purpose of the WLC Support Group is to

1. Provide CCUU members and friends emotional support during their search process
2. Share resources, tools, and insights for managing the transition
3. Provide clarity into our career and vocational pathways

Future meetings will be held at a time and place to be determined by the group. To sign up and attend the meetings, contact Dan Wiseman.

Report from UU-UNO Seminar

In April, I attended an intergenerational seminar located in New York City, hosted by the UU-UNO (Unitarian Universalist United Nations Office). The name of the seminar was *All in the Name of Faith: Rights, Religion, and Responsibility*, and the theme was based on universal human rights. While there, I participated in discussion panels relating to human rights. One of the panels was located in a conference room inside the actual United Nations. At the end of the seminar, our group drafted a Statement which was read aloud and delivered directly to the desk of the Secretary General of the United Nations. The statement can be viewed at <http://uu-uno.org/intergenerational-spring-seminar-2009/spring-seminar-statement-2009.html?Itemid=121>.

After experiencing this seminar, I personally feel more involved in social action and also more socially aware. As well as being a unique learning experience, it was also a good social experience - much like a small Youth Conference - and it was a lot of fun to see New York up close. I definitely recommend the Seminar in the future. The next one is in Spring 2010. It is open to UUs 14 years to adult, and information is available at the UU-UNO website. ...Connor Schmidt

Summer Religious Education

Nature Navigators

Exploring the Interdependent Web of Life

Plan to join us for an exciting series of summer experiences! Our program is designed to foster reverence for nature and take action to protect our planet. We will explore evolution, measure our carbon footprint, tend to a children's garden, and learn "green" initiatives to start today! We offer two classes: Pre/K and Grades 1-6. We'll meet Sundays, June 14 - September 6 from 10:30-11:45 am. Lessons will include 2 units:

Our Sacred Connection to the Earth

- * Planting our Children's Garden
- * Celebration of Darwin & Evolution
- * Native Plant Discovery
- * Celebration of Trees
- * Celebration of Rocks

Protecting our Planet

- * Global Warming
- * Water Conservation
- * Reduce, Re-Use, Re-cycle
- * Where Does My Garbage Go?
- * Many Ways to Compost
- * Eliminate Plastic
- * Saving Electricity
- * Interdependent Web Celebration

More Installation Thank You's

They say it takes a village..... well, an Installation also takes a village. In addition to the folks that Hilary thanked previously, there are some 'behind the scenes' folks who should also be mentioned.

The wonderful Sunday Reception was organized and run by Cathleen and Richard Chay. Here are the MANY who provided the great food: Yuki Juretic, Carol Bobbe, Judy Ball, Peyton Bendix, Barb Braje, Laurie Lantz, Nancy Dempsey, Elaine Ezsak, Kay Gredell, Linda Kuna, Robin LaBedz, Siri Lauren, Debbie Lee, Bev Sneddon, Sharon Wiseman, Jane Matthews, Joyce Swedlund, Laura Mandell, Marge Olszewski, Jeanie Michalec, Pat Palmer, Mary Janes, Linda Shoup, Krista MacTavish, Laura Gadley, Leslie Peet, Joy Simon, Tim Walsh. Some of these folks also helped in the kitchen effort led by Richard Chay (who always gets the glamour jobs).

Laura and Ken Mandell set up, provisioned and staffed the bars on both Saturday and Sunday. They were assisted by: Mark Stamm, John Evans, Tom Kuna, Bruce Bendix, and Rick Juretic.

Bob Atherton was our videographer; Ken Bobbe was the photographer; and Kay Gredell did the PR for the events. Ron Vargason headed up the set up for Saturday along with Jeff Phillips.

Thanks to you all (and anyone else we may have missed)!!

...Carol. Bobbe & Lois Phillips, Installation Co-Chairs

Congregational Picnic on June 7

Rainbow Friends and Countryside's Choir invite all members, families and friends to enjoy a spring, or beginning-of-summer, potluck picnic here at Countryside. After service on Sunday, June 7, we will gather on the North lawn for fun, food and friendship! We will supply the paper supplies, cutlery, plates and cups. You bring food, drink and anticipation of a good time. Please bring food that can be served cold, as grills will not be available. Also, bring lawn chairs or blankets. Help us celebrate the beginning of Pride Month, which will culminate in Countryside's second-year participation in the Pride Parade. Rainbow Friends, the High School Youth group, and other members (ALL ARE WELCOME TO JOIN US!) will be marching in the Gay Pride Parade to be held in Chicago on Sunday, June 28. We have enjoyed an amazing year of fellowship and progress as a church — let's get together after service on Sunday June 7 to celebrate Countryside!! For more info, contact Sue De Luca or Jane Matthews.

Book Discussions

Book Circle

Join a lively discussion on Sunday, May 17 at 6:30 pm in room 6. We will discuss The Age of the Unthinkable: Why the New World Disorder Constantly Surprises Us and What We Can Do About It by Joshua Cooper Ramo.

Last Mondays Book Group

Please note: due to Memorial Day, we will be meeting the FIRST Monday in June and the Last Monday in June.

On June 1 at 7 pm in the Stokes Room, we'll discuss The Guernsey Literary and Potato Peel Pie Society by Mary Ann Shaffer & Annie Barrows (avail in paperback May 5). from The Washington Post: *Though it deals with a dark period in history, this first novel is an essentially sunny work. It affirms the power of books to nourish people enduring hard times...*

On June 29, we will discuss The Ride of Our Lives by Mike Leonard.

Recital Invitation

Youth group member Patrick Kennedy will be presenting a senior piano recital this Sunday, May 17, at 4:45 p.m. in the sanctuary. All are invited.

On Saturday, May 23, Patrick will be the featured performer on radio station WFMT, 98.7. He will be presenting a live program of classical, jazz, and original compositions from 11:00 - 12:00 noon. The performance will also become available on the web at: <http://www.wfmtintroductions.com/>

GoodSearch for Church

What if Countryside Church UU earned a penny every time you searched the Internet? Or how about if a percentage of every purchase you made online went to support our cause? Well, now it can!

GoodSearch.com is a new Yahoo-powered search engine that donates half its advertising revenue, about a penny per search, to the charities its users designate. Use it just as you would any search engine, get quality search results from Yahoo, and watch the donations add up!

GoodShop.com is a new online shopping mall which donates up to 37% of each purchase to your favorite cause! Hundreds of great stores including Amazon, Target, Gap, Best Buy, ebay, Macy's and Barnes & Noble have teamed up with GoodShop and every time you place an order, you'll be supporting your favorite cause.

Just go to www.goodsearch.com and be sure to enter 'Countryside Church UU' as the non-profit you want to support. And, be sure to spread the word!

Job Ministry

If you have questions regarding the St. Hubert Job Ministry events, call Bob Podgorski at 847-925-6005.

Resumé Review: Tues, May 19, 7 to 9 pm, Queen of the Rosary Church, 750 Elk Grove Boulevard, Elk Grove Village. Bring your resume for a personal evaluation by one of six HR, Search, or career counselors who will be on hand to give you their thoughts and suggestions. Bring a friend - This is for all occupations and levels.

Consulting as a Career Option: May 23, 9am to 12 Noon, St. Isidore Church, 432 Army Trail Road, Bloomingdale. Join us as Bob Podgorski talks about starting and running a profitable consulting business. He'll cover start up, customer development, keys to business success and the pit-fall to be aware of. Informal Networking will follow until Noon.

The Dynamic Job Search: Weds, May 27, 7 to 9:15pm, St. Hubert Ministry Center, 729 Grand Canyon, Hoffman Estates. We will be joined by Peter Cahill, Training manager and Director who will present his approach to an enthusiastic and energized job search. This is a real winner and uplifting presentation - don't miss it. Formal Networking follows the presentation.

Resumé Review: June 6, 9 to 11am, St. Raymond's Church, 301 S. I-oka, (Elmhurst road at the 'S' curve) Mount Prospect. Bring your resume for a personal evaluation by one of six HR, Search, or career counselors who will be on hand to give you their thoughts and suggestions. Bring a friend - This is for all occupations and levels.

Taking Care of You in a Job Search: June 8,** 7 to 9:15pm. St. Hubert Ministry Center, 729 Grand Canyon, Hoffman Estates. We are pleased to bring you Elene Cafasso, health expert and counselor who will provide us the opportunity to understand how we can stay alert, in shape and positively active as we search for that next job opportunity. Our health is as important as our attitude - join us for an important topic we all need to pay attention to.

****For The Newcomer:** If you are new to Networking and/or the job search, join us at 6 pm on the second Monday of the month. We'll offer a one-hour program on how to use a networking meeting effectively; the tools you'll need, such as the Elevator Speech; How to do a Handbill; and how to generate the contacts you need.

Building Bridges Workshop

How have Muslims and Arab Americans in the Chicagoland been affected by the erosion of civil liberties since September 2001? And how can UU communities and Arab- and Muslim-American communities come together as allies to create a more just and supportive society?

Join Rev. Alan Taylor of Unity Temple Unitarian Universalist Congregation, Junaid Afeef of the Council of Islamic Organizations of Greater Chicago, human rights activists, and your fellow UU and Arab- and Muslim-American community members for a day of discussion, learning, and relationship-building on critical civil liberties issues affecting Muslim and Arab Americans, and all Americans.

The workshop will be held Saturday, June 6, 9:30 am - 4:30 pm at Unity Temple Unitarian Universalist Congregation, 875 Lake Street, Oak Park. There is no cost for the workshop.

We will hear from local activists about current civil liberties challenges, as well as the advocacy efforts and activism now underway to confront them. Later in the workshop, we will work together to develop an action plan for how to address these issues locally, in a shared community. To register and for more info, contact Cristin Martineau at rsvp@uusc.org or 617-301-4381.

Help Brighten Unitarian Universalism!

As we experience growth in this congregation, it's a good time to reflect on how we can help our whole movement thrive and grow. The Chalice Lighter Fund enables congregations to receive funds to support growth. It relies upon each person to give just a little in order to make a big difference. The Chalice Lighters program supports congregational growth initiatives with the greatest potential for success and long-term impact in extending our Unitarian Universalist faith and principles.

Each Chalice Lighter contributes three times a year - as little as ten dollars each time. Chalice Lighters demonstrates that by walking together in religious covenant we have the ability to make a difference. Check out their history!!!

The funds we raise serve our District congregations to fund new congregation starts, add professional staff, build new or enhanced space or accomplish outreach and public relations programs. Preference is given to congregations with a strong percentage of Chalice Lighters in their membership.

Sign up today at the Central Midwest District website, www.cmwd-uua.org. It will benefit us all!

Hospice of Northeastern Illinois

Mourning to Meaning. Mondays, May 4 and June 1, 1-2:30 pm, McHenry Country Credit Union, 345 E Congress Pkwy, Crystal Lake. No advance registration required.

Grief to Hope. 4th Tuesday of each month, 9:30-11 am, Arlington Heights Senior Center, 1801 W Central Rd. No advance registration required.

Camp Courage, July 6-9, Camp Duncan, Ingleside. Unique day camp for children ages 5-16 who have experienced a loss. Numerous activities including swimming, boating, hiking, sports, outdoor games, storyteller, puppet show, and memorial service. Free. Advance registration required. Contact Nancy Billman at NBillman@HospiceAnswers.org or at 224-770-2166.

For more info, about any of the above, 847-381-5599 or go to www.HospiceAnswers.org.

Church of the Larger Fellowship

Looking to explore your own spirituality? The Church of the Larger Fellowship (CLF) offers online classes and email discussions. Go to www.clfuu.org (click on Resources) or call 617-948-6166. CLF is also a good resource for college students.

Vermont UU Weekend

UU Church of Rutland, Vermont offers its 15th Annual B&B Weekend October 9-11. Enjoy the beauty of Vermont, UU hospitality, and a choice of guided activities: hiking, nature walk, kayaking, bicycling, antiques/arts, cider making historic tour, soaring tour, touring historic sites and quaint towns, and much more. For brochure and registration, go to <http://fallweekend.wordpress.com>.

Intro to Zen Workshop

The Great Plains Zen Center (GPZC) offers this workshop at Countryside Church UU. It provides basic, practical information including how to zazen (Zen meditation), how to practice at home and throughout the day, the aims of practice, and what opportunities for additional practice are offered at GPZC.

Attendance at an introductory workshop is required of anyone who would like to become a member of the GPZC.

Upcoming workshop dates are: May 30, June 13, July 18. The cost for each workshop is \$25 per person. Visit greatplainszen.org/workshops to register or call 847-274-4793.

Upcoming Meetings and Events

A complete calendar of all events and meetings held in the building is on the website: www.ccuu.org. If your church meeting is not listed there, please fill out a room reservation form and submit it to the church office.

Thu 5/14	7:15pm	Church Choir Rehearsal	Wed 5/27	6pm	Making the Most of Our Money classes
	7:30pm	Amnesty International Meeting		7pm	Wednesday Kinship Circle
Fri 5/15	10am	Daytime Kinship Circle		7pm	Worship Council Meeting
	5pm	Journeys @ Univ. of St Mary of the Lake	Fri 5/29	10am	Worklife Support Group
Sat 5/16	8am-5pm	Journeys @ Univ. of St Mary of the Lake	Sun 5/31	9:15am	Open Forum Discussion
	1pm	Youth Service Rehearsal		11:30am	Congregational Annual Meeting
	TBD	Circle Suppers		7pm	Great Plains Zen Center Meditation
Sun 5/17	9am	Buddhist Dharma Group	Mon 6/1	7pm	Last Mondays Book Discussion Group
	9:15am	Open Forum Discussion	Tue 6/2	6:15pm	Motherhood Kinship Circle
	12pm	Social Action Committee Meeting		7pm	Program Council Meeting
	12pm	Coming of Age Parent Meeting	Wed 6/3	6pm	Making Most of Our Money Ctte Mtg
	12pm	OWL (7-9)		7pm	Membership Ctte Mtg
	6:30pm	Book Circle		7:30pm	Menzgroup Covenant Group
Tue 5/19	7pm	Board of Trustees Meeting	Thu 6/4	7:15pm	Church Choir Rehearsal
	7pm	Experiencing God Covenant Group	Fri 6/5	7pm	Song Circle
Wed 5/20	6pm	Making the Most of Our Money classes	Sun 6/7	9am	Buddhist Dharma Group
	7pm	Compassionate Comm. Support Grp		9:15am	Open Forum Discussion
Thu 5/21	7pm	"Thinking Scripture" class		11:45am	Meet the Minister
	7:15pm	Church Choir Rehearsal		11:30am	Congregational Picnic
Sat 5/23	6:30pm	Bowling Fundraiser @ Brunswick Zone		4:30pm	Compassionate Communication Cov. Group
Sun 5/24	9:15am	Open Forum Discussion		7pm	Compassionate Communication Cov. Group
	12pm	Rainbow Friends Meeting			
	12pm	Green Sanctuary Mtg			
	1pm	AFD: Tara Dance			
Mon 5/25		MEMORIAL DAY HOLIDAY-Offices Closed			
Tue 5/26	7pm	Personnel Ctte Mtg			

Upcoming Focus Deadlines

May 26 and June 8

Submit articles by 9 am to ccuu@ccuu.org.