

Humboldt Unitarian Universalist Fellowship



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A note from the minister

As I write these thoughts, Charlottesville, Virginia is embroiled in the tension stirred by a resurrection of racist energies in people who fear our new multi-cultural, multi-racial, multi-religious, multi-sexual reality. The President of the United States has been reluctant to clearly separate himself from the Alt Right but eager to threaten nuclear violence against North Korea and perhaps even Venezuela.

Last year was the warmest year on record for the Earth, and ocean and soil temperatures rise. Who knows what will happen between the time I send this “Note” to the editor (thank you, Steve) and the time you receive it, but this we do know: Our values make a difference in this world. Standing for our values with others makes a difference. Teaching our values, learning our values, continuing to deepen in our values and living out our values makes a difference. The embodiment of our deepest values is the purpose of this Fellowship.

Though the world around us is challenging. I look forward to the future, and in particular to the next year in our Fellowship community. We have deep roots and we have new life. We have wonderful long-standing members and vibrant new members. We’ve been blessed with fine staff in the past and now with two amazing new staff members for the year ahead – our new Administrator, Bridgette Garuti, and our new Acting Director of Religious Education, Therese FitzMaurice. The power of life and creativity is strong within us and among us, and I have no doubt that together, we will meet whatever challenges come our way and serve, not only our own needs, but also the needs of the world around us. This Fellowship makes a difference in the world.

And I am very much looking forward to seeing each of you again soon.

Yours in the faith,

Rev. Bryan Jessup

Introducing Our New Administrator

I am very happy to introduce to you our new Office Administrator, Bridgette Garuti. Bridgette is a longtime Humboldt County resident, a mother, an artist and a chef and now, an Office Administrator extraordinaire. She is pleased to be a part of our HUUF community and feels truly blessed by the warmest of welcomes from all of those she has already met. Bridgette says: “Your dynamic and unique personalities amaze me. I look forward meeting the rest of you soon.”

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Apologies for the calendar this month. Bridgette and I have yet to figure out how it was done.

Stephen Sottong

People



We're happy that **Aiko Uyeki** is recovering well after emergency surgery for a hernia.

Archie Mossman is recovering his energy after hospitalization this summer for viral pneumonia.

Sylvia Shaw, too, was hospitalized for pneumonia which kicked off an a-fib event. She is doing fine now.

Best wishes to **Anne Weiss**, who had foot surgery in mid-August.

Bill Hansel will have surgery on vertebrae in his neck at Stanford on September 19 to remove bone spurs and restore nerve function. Bill and Bernie expect to be at Stanford for several days before coming back to us. They are in our thoughts.

Our thoughts are also with **Darsty McAlinn**, who will have knee replacement surgery in Santa Rosa in early September.

Steve Sottong is recovering from knee problems.

Happy adventures for **Ann King** and **Kathy Layton**, traveling in Italy in September.

Anna Mae Botley was thrilled that her daughter and family from New Zealand could visit this summer.

Happy birthday to **JoAnn Howell** on her 85th.

Roxana Hand is with Hospice and residing at the Eureka Rehabilitation and Wellness Center. She welcomes cards and visitors. Her telephone number is 267-4667.

Condolences to **Andrea Pickart**, whose father died in July.

Mary Freedlund passed away this summer. Our condolences to **Allie Freedlund** and family. Information about a memorial for Mary will be passed along as soon as we find out about it.

Kurt Newman passed away peacefully this summer. His sister, Gretchen, had been down visiting over the weekend, so they had an opportunity to spend some quality time together before his death. A memorial service will be held October 15, 3 p.m. in the redwoods.

One of our founding members, **Noel Harris**, died in July. His wife, **Ina**, continues to live in their Eureka home. A memorial service is being planned for the afternoon of October 20. Both Noel and Ina have great history as labor organizers and social activists.

It is with heavy heart that we wish happy trails to:

Debi Cooper, who found a place in the Bernal Heights neighborhood of San Francisco and moved August 4! Visitors are welcome for short stays. Her heart surgery went well in Michigan. She had three focal atrial tachycardia ablations and is hoping she won't need to repeat the procedure in the future.

Margot Julian, who is moving to Dearborn, Michigan, at the end of September to be near family. She has already found a ride to the nearest UU church from a fellow quilter who lives in the same independent senior living community.

Virginia Chatfield, who is moving to Corvallis, Oregon on September 11 to be with children and grandchildren.

The HUUF Stoners, who are mostly in their 80s, are gathering memorial garden biographies for publication. Please contact Barbara Barratt, Nancy Cook, Thea Gast, Anna Mae Botley, Beverly Allen or Judy Rishel if you have information on persons memorialized on our memorial stones and grounds.

Sylvia Shaw

Introducing our new Acting Director of Religious Education

The Board and RE Committee are very happy that Therese FitzMaurice is our new Acting Director of Religious Education. Therese has served the community for sixteen years as a professional educator in the roles of high school and sixth grade English teacher, preschool director, and parent educator. Her most recent work focused on offering mindfulness practices to children and educators. She and her family have attended the Fellowship for the last ten years. As a mother, wife and poet, her daily routine is tuned to the rhythm of life on the rocky bluffs above the Baduwot River in McKinleyville, where she lives with her husband and two children.

Rev. Bryan Jessup

Religious Education

RE Program Kick Off

Hello! I'm thrilled to be writing my first welcome letter as your new Acting Director of Religious Education. Supporting and nurturing families and youth is a revolutionary act in service of love. I invite anyone inspired to actively participate in the RE Cooperative to contact me or drop in during my "office hours" on Tuesday from 9 a.m. - 2 p.m. I'm also available to help families connect with resources and inspiration to create and sustain loving homes.

This year, the RE Cooperative and the hiring committee have charged me with the task of facilitating an evaluation of the program. While we are reflecting and visioning for the future, the Sunday program will continue under the previous structure.

Exploration 1st & 3rd Sunday: Meet by age level with our hired teaching staff.

All-Worship 2nd Sunday: All ages will meet in the CARE building.

Service 4th Sunday: All ages will work on a community service project.

Friendship 5th Sunday: Come play with your Fellowship friends and make new ones.

Teen Group 2nd & 4th Sunday: Meet during the service, plus additional movie nights and other fun activities.

I look forward to working with you all this year!

With gratitude, Therese FitzMaurice Acting Director Religious Education



September RE Theme: Welcome

What does it mean to be a welcoming community? How can we welcome all people and hold clear boundaries around what behaviors are not welcoming? To build on the enthusiasm of the Soul Matters groups that formed last year, we will utilize the Soul Matters youth curriculum every Sunday and explore the monthly theme. If you would like to find out more visit the website, soulmatterssharingcircle.com or feel free to contact me or Jamila Tharp, communityvisionhealing@gmail.com or 840-4801.



RE Calendar:

Sept. 16 Fiesta Night Program Kick Off at 5 p.m.

Sept. 17 First Exploration Sunday with our Teaching staff

Sept. 27 Service Sunday: All ages are invited to join our youth as we work on indoor and outdoor beautification projects to create a welcoming environment.

Fiesta Night, Saturday, September 16, 5 - 7 p.m.

We'll kick off this school year with the annual Potluck Taco bar Fiesta Night. Anyone who would like to learn more about the Religious Education program, the Soul Matters Curriculum, meet this year's teachers, volunteer with the cooperative, or just get to know the youth of our community is welcome and encouraged to attend. From 5-5:30, we will get to know one another, raise our voices in song, and introduce the teaching staff. The potluck starts at 5:30, followed by drop-in activities for all ages in the classroom. Please let Sonya Woody know what you would like to bring, and if you can help set-up or clean-up (glasserkey@yahoo.com or (434) 409-9782).

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RE (cont.)

Meet this year's Teaching Staff

Preschool: **Lorraine Duran**

Hello HUUF families. I will be a returning RE teacher while I complete my last semester at Humboldt State, where I am studying child development. I have experience teaching preschool, infants, toddlers, and I've worked with children who have exceptionalities.

K-2: **Viviana Martinez**

I was born and raised in Los Angeles and moved to Arcata in 2011 to attend HSU where I obtained my BA in Child Development. My favorite book series is Harry Potter.

3-5: **Alanna Reyes**

I'm a graduate of HSU with a major in Child Development and currently teach preschool in Arcata. As an infant, I was dedicated at the Mt. Diablo UU congregation where I attended and eventually worked with their RE program. I'm happy to continue that passion here at HUUF.

6-8: **Chris Bean**

I'm an HSU graduate with a degree in child development currently working on my Special Education Teaching Credential. I love sports, being outside and hanging out with my friends.

Teen Coordinators: **Kit Lynn & Sandy Lynn**

Kit is a former member of the HUUF teen group, has attended cons (conferences) for over eight years, and been trained in worship leading and con chaplaining. Kit has also been involved with con leadership for several years. Sandy has been a teacher for the intermediate group, and has helped with the teen group in past years. She has volunteered as an adult advisor at teen cons for three years.

Childcare Coordinator: **Jen Mager** will be returning for her 6th year.



HUUF proud to support ordination of Jamila Tharp

On Saturday, October 7, at 2 p.m. the congregation of the Humboldt Unitarian Universalist Fellowship will ordain our own Jamila Tharp into the Unitarian Universalist ministry. Ordinations are wonderful events, but they have costs associated with them: the mailing of invitations, the printing of programs, travel expenses for speakers, food and hospitality, and more. Your donation to help cover the costs will be a great sign of your love and support. Jamila will be grateful and so will we all.

This is a real honor for our congregation and we want to give all our members and friends an opportunity to contribute to the event. You can contribute to Jamila's ordination by writing a check to the Fellowship with "Jamila's Ordination" in the memo line. You can mail it in or you can drop it in the offering basket on Sunday. Cynthia Chason will also be at a table in the foyer after services to collect donations.

Rev. Bryan Jessup

CLASSIFIED ADS

Dylan is back! Our wonderful friend from Santa Rosa, Dylan Graham, is back in Humboldt and looking for a place to stay for the rest of the year.

Contact him at dylanthomgraham@gmail.com for more information. Your help is appreciated.

Linda Vinson is offering her conscious care house/pet sitting service. Available after October 12. Contact linvinson@yahoo.com or 808-987-7323.

OWL needs help

On October 1, we start the third seventh-and-eight-grade Our Whole Lives sexuality education class facilitated by Debby Harrison and Shawn Nichols. As part of the seventh and eight grade class we are planning two overnight retreats, one in November and one in January. We need the support of the Fellowship in providing two male and two female chaperones who stay overnight with the students, set out breakfast, and help with kitchen cleanup Saturday morning. Chaperones will need to complete a background screening and LiveScan as determined by the Board. Other ways the Fellowship can support these students is by providing items for sundaes on the first night, and items for breakfast and lunch on the second day of the retreat.

The larger vision is to expand the OWL program until we are offering it for all age levels in a regular rotation. In order to achieve this and make the program sustainable, we need people who will attend facilitator training. Training on the West Coast generally happens in the summer from a Friday night to Sunday afternoon. It requires travel and potentially taking some time off from work. Training expenses, gas money reimbursement, and money for meals during travel up and back are paid by the Fellowship. Meals and home hospitality are provided during the training by the sponsoring Fellowship.

As the program expands, we need to broaden the base of support through an OWL working group (yes, a committee) to help create policies, establish ways to recruit and screen potential facilitators, publicize our programs, help engage and organize support for OWL retreats, and provide support for our facilitators. If you would like to be part of the OWL Parliament (that's what they call a group of owls), e-mail me at kjmoor2@gmail.com.

Kim Moor



The Loving Gathering

Gather with your friends and neighbors who support racial justice. ShowUp Humboldt presents The Loving Gathering to create a just community on Friday, September 15, from 6-9 p.m. at the Hatchcomber Cafe in Bayside. This party-with-a-purpose will feature art, music, food, drink, and people. Music will be by the magnificent DJ L Boogie.

ShowUp Humboldt is an inclusive, anti-racist and anti-oppressive community-building and action group. The gathering will raise funds to support Justice for Josiah.

Richard Kossow



Women's One-Day Retreat

All women are invited to an all-day retreat here at the Fellowship on Saturday, September 30, from 9 a.m. to about 5 p.m. Arrangements are being made for childcare. This is a great opportunity to introduce your women friends to the vibrant supportive environment here at the Fellowship. Come to the first planning meeting on Sunday, August 27 after the service, to help shape this event. Further information and registration forms will be posted on the website as soon as plans are solidified. If you want to be a part of the planning committee and can't make the meeting, contact me at bertijo@humboldt1.com or 476-0654.



Berti Welty

True North Action on Immigration

The meeting will be held Monday, September 11, from 7 to 8:30 p.m. at the Eureka First Methodist Church at 520 Del Norte Street. We will hear how the old story of "Legal vs. Illegal" immigration uses the labor and lives of workers but denies them voice and standing, hear testimony from workers themselves, and will ask City and County employees to take a stand against cooperating with ICE, tearing families of working people apart and driving them into the shadows. Come and join the work of HUUF as a Sanctuary Congregation.

Rev. Bryan Jessup, for the Social Action Committee

Sunday Services

Sunday, Sept. 3 – 10 a.m.

Labors of Love – Rev. Bryan Jessup

In honor of Labor Day, Rev. Bryan Jessup will lead a service celebrating the gifts we all bring to the world and the challenge to create a world where all gifts are honored.

Sunday, Sept. 10 – 10 a.m.

Gathering of the Waters — Berti Welty, Therese Fitzmaurice and Bryan Jessup

We warmly invite you to participate in our annual fall ingathering. In this intergenerational service, we will contemplate and name what watered and nurtured our spirits this past summer. As we raise our voices in song, individuals and families will fill our community well with their personal offerings. You may bring water from a personally significant source or use the vessel available at the service. It is our intention to hold space for voices of all ages to joyfully celebrate our conscious choice to gather together in community. Afterward, join us for a potluck picnic. You may drop off your culinary delight in the kitchen prior to the service.

Sunday, Sept. 17 – 9 and 11 a.m.

Who Are We Now And Why Are We Here? – Rev. Bryan Jessup

The Operational Purpose of the Humboldt Unitarian Universalist Fellowship was created by the board last June. It spells out what the mission of the Fellowship is within each of us, among us as a beloved community, and beyond our walls in the world around us. In this service we will explore what the Purpose calls us to do. A Social Action potluck and a workshop on dismantling racism will follow.

Sunday, Sept. 24 – 9 and 11 a.m.

The Sacred Feminine – Pat McCutcheon

Contemporary men and women have long forgotten that millennia ago, the Sacred Feminine was considered and celebrated as part of all of us. “Cakes for the Queen of Heaven” is a curriculum designed to explore this important history. Members of the Fellowship will share their prior experience of raised consciousness gained from participating in this study and will discuss what it has meant to them. There has been great interest in this particular Sacred Feminine curriculum, so we will be offering it again this fall.

Office Staff, Rentals

Sep 2017 (Pacific Time)

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
27 10am - Sunday 1pm - Teaching and	28 8:30am - Private	29 9am - Storage Shed	30 10:30am - Members	31 7pm - Thursday	1	2
3 10am - Sunday 12:30pm - SAC 6:30pm - *Sufis @	4	5 9am - Storage Shed 6:30pm - Arcata	6	7 7pm - Private Event 7pm - Thursday	8	9 9am - Storage Shed
10 10am - Ingathering 10am - Sunday 11:15am - Board 11:30am - Ingatheri 1pm - Teaching staff	11 8:30am - Yoga @ 7pm - Mycological	12 5:30pm - Board 7pm - Mycological	13 7pm - Mycological	14 7pm - Mycological 7pm - Thursday	15 7pm - Mycological	16 9am - Storage Shed 4pm - Taco Fiesta @
17 SAC Brunch @ Main 9am - Sunday 11am - Sunday 1pm - The Heart of 6:30pm - *Sufis @	18 8:30am - Yoga @ 10:30am - Memb.	19 6:30pm - Arcata	20 7pm - Choir 7pm - Mycological	21 9am - Storage Shed 6pm - Fall Equinox 7pm - Thursday	22 2pm - Private Event	23 Melody Gray
24 9am - Sunday 11am - Religious 11am - Sunday	25 8:30am - Yoga @	26	27	28 9am - Storage Shed 7pm - Thursday	29	30 womens retreat

Storage buildings update

In the last newsletter, we had a picture of the groundbreaking ceremony for our new storage buildings, built with volunteer labor. As of this writing, the deck-level building is approaching completion. Doors were just installed. The siding needs to go on and the roof should be weather-tight by the time you get this newsletter. All this has been accomplished by just a handful of mostly elder volunteers. Come check the progress.

Construction on the garden shed will begin in early September. We hope to have that watertight before the rains. Assistance is needed by volunteers of all kinds. You can be part of this project. Those working on the buildings can sign their names on the inside of the building they helped construct. You can show grandchildren what you built when you were young and hardy. We'll have another signage area for trusty souls who sort items needing storage or disposal.

JoAnn Huffman is scheduling volunteers. Let her know your contact information, what you prefer doing, and your availability. Once you're on her list, you'll receive emails telling you the scheduled workdays (9 a.m. to 1 p.m.). We usually work two days a week. Tentative workdays for September are every Tuesday (5, 12, 19, 26), Thursdays (21 and 28) and Saturdays (9 and 16). NOTE: Only two Saturdays are available in September.

Contacts: Scheduling - JoAnn Huffman: jaahuffman@gmail.com or 510-586-1415. Questions - Berti Welty: bertijo@humboldt1.com or 476-0654

Berti Welty - Building Guru



Autumn equinox celebration

Join us Thursday, September 21 from 7-8:30 p.m. as we celebrate the autumn equinox (Mabon). We'll honor the harvest of our gardens and the desire to share the bounty with others. We'll acknowledge a time of balance between night and day, the height of fall, and the entry into an inward-turning phase of the year.

Bring something seasonal — fruits, vegetables, flowers, leaves that are turning colors — or other items sacred to you to grace the altar. Drums and rattles are also very welcome.

Ahead of time, on three separate pieces of paper, write your answers to these questions:

- ◆ What have you accomplished since the last autumn equinox?
- ◆ What do you currently give thanks for in your life?
- ◆ What have you learned in the past year?

We'll offer these thoughts to the universe through the fire, one person at a time, silently or speaking them out loud. We'll sing, chant, and affirm our mutually loving relationship with Mother Earth. We hope the weather will allow us to be outside on the patio around a fire pit, so dress in colorful fall layers.

Margy Emerson

Transportation talk

Hello, this is Nancy Cook, HUUF's Transportation Coordinator, introducing this new column into the newsletter. Providing rides to HUUF activities is one of the many services under the Caring Circle umbrella.

A hearty and thankful welcome to new drivers who signed up earlier this summer. We have 15 on the list, but need many more. The summer lull is over and as we go back to two services and many night events, the need for drivers will increase dramatically. Please consider being a volunteer driver. You will not be signing up for every Sunday, just an occasional call. Ideally, we would like to establish regular routes and not go through a weekend scramble.

There is a small stipend for gas and vehicle use of \$5 per round trip. If a driver has a regular Sunday passenger and one or two during the week, drivers could nicely supplement their income. HUUF assumes no liability for volunteer drivers. If an incident occurs, you and your insurance carrier will be the responsible parties.

Persons requesting a ride are strongly encouraged to call as soon as possible: 822-8264. My answering machine is set for six rings. You will get a "Cookhouse" response; leave your message. Call if you need a ride and call if you'd like to be a volunteer driver.

The Heart of the Matter

This will be a conversation about white privilege held on Sunday, September 17, after the Social Action Potluck, about 1 p.m. This conversation will be led by Zera Starchild and Jill Larrabee. We will talk about how the system we live in has been designed to give advantage to white people and to keep black people and other people of color in a place of disadvantage and danger.



Rev. Bryan Jessup for the Social Action Committee

The Bulletin Boards

The Aesthetics Committee wants suggestions about posting information. The largest board most recently served for social justice/action information and to post items about HUUF people in the news. There was also a board for business cards; the committee hasn't yet found a solution to more than one card per person being displayed.

There was also a board for Children's Religious Education. There will now be three small boards so that the different ages will be able to post.

A place is needed to post the legal stuff of HUUF and UUA, etc. We also post community information and events that fit UU values and interests.

Large posters have been hard to post. The committee is thinking that the new board closest to the back door might serve this purpose.

We're taking suggestions about the boards until September 6. Then we'll have an Aesthetics Committee meeting to finalize the project and label each board. All are welcome to attend this meeting. Meeting time and place are to be arranged. Contact me at 826-7107 or clrau@sbcglobal.net

Thanks from the Aesthetics Committee.



Cheryl Rau

Cakes for the Queen of Heaven

There has been great interest in a Sacred Feminine curriculum called "Cakes for the Queen of Heaven," so it will be offered this fall. Contemporary men and women have long forgotten that millennia ago, the Sacred Feminine was considered and celebrated as part of all of us. "Cakes for the Queen of Heaven" is a curriculum designed to explore this important history. It will be introduced at the September 24 services and will begin on Sunday, October 8 from 4-6 p.m. and continue for eight Sundays.

Pat McCutcheon

Mediator training

Noon, September 5, is final chance to enroll in Humboldt Mediation Services' Community Mediator Training. One tuition-free slot remains available for a HUUF staff or member.

This 34 hours of enjoyable challenges and reflection among friends begins on October 2 and concludes October 14. Ask me for a detailed schedule: chipsharpe@sbcglobal.net or 599-6009.

Register at www.humboldtmediationservices.org or call 445-2505.



Chip Sharpe

Let's SoulCollage©

Would you like to try SoulCollage©? It's the process of making collages on 5 x 8 cards. The images "come straight through your soul, bypassing the mind" says the website. You can journal and dialogue about the cards. People make a deck of cards in suits such as the Committee Suit reflecting your internal voices; the Community Suit which honors beings that are helpful or connected to you; the Companions suit which represents the seven Chakras; and the Council Suit which represents your spirit guides and guiding archetypes.

I first experienced Soulcollage© at a conference and have taken one additional online course. I am not an expert or a trained facilitator, but I'm willing to share what I've learned so far. Perhaps others in the Fellowship have experience with this program?

I think it would be fun and community-building to engage in this process together. All you need are some images, pre-cut boards, scissors, and glue. I will bring images and plain cards to the first meeting. If you'd be interested in meeting once or twice a month to do this, please e-mail me at kjmoor2@gmail.com. Let me know what days and times of day work best for you and we'll see if we can get together. For more info, check out www.soulcollage.com or www.kaleidosoul.com.

Caring Circle outreach

Kim Moor

Members and friends of the Fellowship are here to care about each other. In this spirit, the Caring Circle invites you to share with us the name of anyone who needs a friendly call. Please contact Marianne Pennekamp at 442-6212.

Jeanne L. Chapin for The Caring Circle

Emergency Information Sought

One of Awanna Kalal's many projects for the benefit of our community was to collect emergency information from members and friends so that we might be of use in times of need. The Caring Circle would like to complete this project. Beginning in September, there will be a table with forms so that people can share emergency contacts and information with us. These forms will be kept in a binder in a secure yet accessible place. You are invited to fill out a form on Sundays or take one home and return it at a future service.

Jeanne L. Chapin for The Caring Circle

Deadline info

Deadline for the **October** issue of the newsletter is Wednesday, **September 20** at 5 p.m. Send committee reports and articles to newsletter@huuf.org (email only).

While many file formats are acceptable, .doc, .docx, .rtf and text are preferred, and .pdf and .pages cannot be used. Late submissions are not accepted without prior approval.

Stephen Sottong, editor

Becoming a member

If you are ready to become a member of HUUF, please talk to a greeter and we will schedule a time during the week for you to sign the Membership Book. There is a pamphlet available in the lobby which explains some of the details of becoming a member. We'd love to have you join us when you're ready.

Membership Committee

CLASSIFIED ADS

Classified ads are 10¢ per word. Send your check to the HUUF office and the text of your ad to newsletter@huuf.org (email only).



In Spirit-Crushing Times, Read a Book:

favorites from the July 9, 2017 HUUF program

Person suggesting	Title	Author
Carol Newman	<i>We the Eaters</i>	Helen Gustafson
	<i>The End of Stress</i>	Don Goewey
Cheryl Rau	<i>My Stroke of Insight</i>	Jill Bolte Taylor
Pat McCutcheon	<i>Mules of Love</i>	Ellen Bass
Joanna Welsh	<i>What Happened, Miss Simone?</i>	Alan Light
Nina Haedrich	<i>Price Paid</i>	Beth Sellars
	<i>Love You Forever</i>	Robert Munsch & Shelia McGraw
Darsty McAlinn	<i>Outlander</i>	Diana Gabaldon
Stephen Sottong	<i>On Tyranny</i>	Timothy Snyder
Bob Bilstrom	<i>The Hazards of Being Male</i>	Herb Goldberg
Lynne Ables	<i>Sweet Medicine</i>	Panashe Chigumadzi
	<i>All the Odes</i>	Pablo Neruda
	<i>The Powwow Highway</i>	David Seals
Katherine Almy	<i>A Dog's Purpose</i>	Bruce Cameron
	<i>The Dog Master</i>	
Ginger Kossow	<i>All the Light We Cannot See</i>	Anthony Doerr
	<i>The Book Lover's Journal</i>	Rene Smith
Joanne McGarry	<i>The Art of Stillness: Adventures in Going Nowhere</i>	Pico Iyer
Bonnie MacGregor	The Commissario Brunetti Mysteries	Donna Leon
	<i>Homegoing</i>	Yaa Gyasi
Navarra Carr	<i>Dune</i>	Frank Herbert
	<i>Redwall</i>	Brian Jacques and Gary Chalk
	<i>American Gods</i>	Neil Gaiman
Marianne Pennekamp	<i>From the North Pole to the South Pole</i>	unknown
	<i>The Invention of Nature</i>	Andrea Wolf
Ruth Davis	<i>Revolution From Within</i>	Gloria Steinem
Sally Williams	<i>The Perfect Horse</i>	Elizabeth Letts
Pat Carr	<i>The Animal Dialogues</i>	Craig Childs
Valerie Gizinski	<i>The Spirit Catches You and You Fall Down</i>	Ann Fadiman
	<i>Touching Peace</i>	Thich Nhat Hanh
	<i>A Distant Mirror</i>	Barbara Tuchman
	<i>The Undoing Project</i>	Michael Lewis
Unknown	<i>The Prophet</i>	Kahlil Gibran
	<i>John Martin's Big Book</i>	Joseph Lincoln
	<i>Insects of the Pacific Northwest</i>	Pete Haggard
Debi Cooper	<i>Homo Deus: A Brief History of Tomorrow</i>	Yuval Noah Harari

Pat Carr compiled this list during the program. If you notice any inaccuracies, please contact him with a correction.



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Looking ahead

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| Wed | Sept 6 | Choir begins weekly rehearsals |
| Sun | Sept 10 | Gathering of the Waters - single service |
| Sun | Sept 10 | Coffee with the Board – immediately after service |
| Sat | Sept 16 | Taco fiesta at Fellowship |
| Sun | Sept 17 | Begin two services |
| Sun | Sept 17 | SAC brunch |
| Sun | Sept 17 | Heart of the Matter workshop on White Privilege 1 p.m. |
| Sun | Sept 30 | Women’s Retreat |
| Sat | Oct 7 | Jamilla Tharp ordination – 1 p.m. |
| Sun | Oct 8 | Coffee with the Board – between services |
| Sun | Oct 8 | Begin Cakes for Queen of Heaven series of 8 meetings, 4-6 p.m. |
| Sun | Oct 22 | Congregational meeting – approve nominating committee |
| Fr-Su | Nov 10-12 | Teen Conference - Location TBD (out of area) |
| Fr-Su | Nov 17-19 | Young Adult Conference – Location TBD (out of area) |

