



# The Threshold

Towson Unitarian  
Universalist Church

*A Welcoming Congregation*

## THIS SUNDAY

### SUNDAY SERVICE

November 25, 2018 - 10:30 AM

Lora Powell-Haney, Ministerial Intern and  
Tracy Hall, Music Director:

*Memory and Ancestors*

Where do we come from? What are we?

Where are we going?

Thanksgiving is a time for stories: of our  
nation's beginnings, of how Great-Uncle

Mike and Great-Aunt Helen first met, of  
traditions passed down from generation to  
generation.

Join student minister Lora Powell-Haney and  
music director Tracy Hall, with guest  
musicians, as, through song—community  
choir!, word, and ritual, we weave a story of  
who we are, as individuals, as people of  
faith, as people of a nation of stories.

## AUCTION RECAP!

### WE REALLY STIRRED THE POT—TOGETHER!

We should all be pleased and feel proud  
about the great success of our November  
17<sup>th</sup> Auction. We raised a record \$27,300 and  
had a fantastic time doing it! Among the  
hundreds of donations were many fun  
occasions that will bring our congregation  
together in parks, theaters and symphony  
halls, on trails and waterways, and in each  
other's homes throughout the coming year.

The logistics of putting this all together are  
staggering and I want to thank the 14 other

members of the Auction Committee for their  
tireless and very capable work in planning  
and executing this wonderfully complicated  
event.

On behalf of the Auction Committee I want to  
thank the more than 25 additional volunteers  
who stepped up in a big way on Auction Day  
to help with setting-up, serving food and  
drink, greeting and registering guests,  
recording bids, bidding proxies, handling  
logistics, entering data, and checking-out.  
Thanks to all the attendees for the impressive  
all-hands-on-deck effort that made short

work of the big job of cleaning up and getting TUUC converted back into a church for Sunday. Thanks to Kai and Nancy, our terrific office staff, for their patience, competence and immediate response to our many, not always timely requests. A big "Thank you!" to our three terrific auctioneers who added to the fun and excitement and hopefully did not get you to spend too much more than you had intended.

Most of all, let us all be grateful for our beloved TUUC community which was responsible for making the donations, buying the raffle tickets, placing the bids and taking

part in the night's festivities. I wish you all a very happy Thanksgiving holiday!

Dan Alper, Chair

#### Auction Committee:

Marilyn Maze, Tim Boniface, Linda Talley, Neil Porter, Samantha Saalfeld, Tom Harris, Jane Selewach, Nick Troxel, Monica Sweidel, Susan Woolhiser, Jason Braspennickx, Nancy Mears, Anita Cox and Marie Razulis



## NEWS ABOUT US



### ANNE LEE

We regret to inform you of the [death of Anne Lee on November 5, 2018](#). Anne and Charlie joined our congregation four months after it was founded in 1960 and raised their sons in TUUC.

As a leader, Anne served as the first female President of TUUC. Before her death she wrote: "When the Nominating Committee Chair called to offer me the job of Vice President, I was told the President was very healthy and I wouldn't have to do much. It did not work out that way."

In recent years, in addition to serving on our stewardship team and interviewing members over 80, Anne wrote wonderful memories of our congregation for our 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary celebration in 2010.

Anne worked to make democracy work as a

leader in the League of Women Voters in Baltimore County. She helped to change the way the county Council was elected, from county-wide to representation for districts.

She served as the Secretary-Treasurer for the National Unity Party when the Hon. John B. Anderson ran for President.

Anne worked hard to address the problem of homelessness and food insecurity in Baltimore County. She volunteered for the Community Assistance Network for many years and wrote grants for the Assistance Center of Towson Churches.

A celebration of Anne's life will be held at 2:00 PM, Sunday, November 25<sup>th</sup>, at The Towson Unitarian Universalist Church. Notes of condolence may be sent to Charlie (her husband of 62 years) at Broadmead.

In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to the Assistance Center of Towson Churches, 120 West Towson, MD, 21204, or a charity of your choosing.

## JOAN KOLOBIELSKI UPDATE

Hello TUUC Friends,

An upbeat update on Joan Kolobielski's progress. She's been home for six weeks from rehab, is walking well with a walker, and is building herself up with three in-home therapy sessions a week. She's doing great on stairs, too!

She's up for all kinds of contact!

Phone: 410-377-7877

Address: 6710 Sherwood Rd. 21239

She just celebrated her 92<sup>nd</sup> birthday in August. Your cards, calls, and visits mean so much to us. Thanks for all your support since her leg fracture in mid-August.

Andrew and Joan



## YOUTH RELIGIOUS EXPLORATION

As a reminder, there are no YRE classes this coming Sunday, November 25. There will be Nursery care at the one service at 10:30 AM.

I hope you have a wonderful Thanksgiving. As I think about the many things I am grateful

for this time of year, one is getting to know so many of families here who become part of our church community. Have a wonderful holiday with friends and family. YRE classes resume on Sunday, December 2.

## PETER MAYER CONCERT AT FIRST UNITARIAN CHURCH OF BALTIMORE



Peter Mayer, guitarist and folk singer, will be live in concert at First Unitarian Church of Baltimore on Saturday, December 8 at 7 pm. A reception/CD signing will follow the performance in the adjacent Enoch Pratt Parish Hall.

Composer of Blue Boat Home, Peter Mayer writes songs for a small planet -- songs about interconnectedness and the human journey and about the beauty and mystery of the world. Whimsical, humorous, and profound, his music breaks the boundaries of "folk", and brings us to a realm beyond the everyday love song, to a place of wonder at the very fact of life itself.

Tickets are \$25 per adult and \$5 per child/student. Tickets are available at <https://www.brownpapertickets.com/event/3607105>.

First Unitarian Church is located at 12 West Franklin Street, Baltimore, MD, 21201, on the corner of Charles and Franklin Streets. There is parking on the street or in the parking garage across from the sanctuary.

For more information, email [music@firstunitarian.org](mailto:music@firstunitarian.org) or call 410-685-4133.



## Towson UU Church Social Action Holiday Giving

You are invited to experience the joy of giving this holiday season by gifting through our community partners. Your generosity is greatly appreciated! **Select a gift tag from the gift box or tree on the counter and return gift cards to the box and wrapped gift to the Earl's Place bucket by December 16<sup>th</sup>.**



Earl's Place is a recovery-based housing program providing long-term (up to two years) housing and supportive services to men experiencing homelessness; 17 men at a time.

### Adopt a Resident Holiday Wish List

Please wrap the gifts and label them with the resident's name.



**Donyae** is 47-year-old and has been at Earl's Place for about a year. He is close to his family including his mother and his five adult children. Prior to coming to Earl's Place, he was homeless for about five years. He has been busy since he came here. He has earned his GED, worked on expungements, and obtained part-time work. His long-term goal is to obtain his electrician certification. Although he was a little nervous, he spoke at the Opening Doors dinner this year and did a great job. Contact TUUC coordinator Sheila M sheila3m83@gmail.com to mark the gift you selected purchased.

**His wish list includes:** Long john set – XL, boxers XL 38-40, tank tops – XL, ankle socks – 9-12, and a crock pot. Knit winter hat, large gloves, calendar, gift certificates to Walmart and personal items such as lotion, shampoo, bar soap, and razors are always appreciated.

**Prospect Place** in Rosedale serving 12 chronically homeless men.

**Holiday gift suggestions are \$25.00 Walmart Gift Cards Socks, gloves & hand warmers**



**The Mentoring Male Teens in the Hood** program was established to save young lives from falling prey to all of the evil forces that exist in many of our neighborhoods. Young Kings severely need direction that in many cases is missing due to little if no guidance from a father or a father figure. There is no longer a Target in Mondawmin Mall, so Amazon makes the most sense.

**Our goal is to collect 36 gift cards for Amazon, valued at \$20 each.**

**Our Daily Bread (ODB)** serves hot meals to the needy in Baltimore City.

**Make or pay \$10 for a casserole by December 29<sup>th</sup>**





## Support TUUC Social Action Partners as your end of year 2018 charitable donations

(ACTC ) Assistance Center of Towson Churches <http://www.actconline.info/>

120 W. Pennsylvania Ave Towson, MD 21204

Earl's Place <http://www.umhousing.org/> 1400 E. Lombard St Baltimore, MD 21231

Mentoring Male Teens in the Hood <http://mentoringmaleteens.org/>

P.O. Box 6756 Columbia, MD 21045

Out for Justice <http://www.out4justice.org/> PO Box 33468 Baltimore, MD 21218

UULM-MD (UU Legislative Ministries Of Maryland <https://www.uulmmd.org/>

c/o Unitarian Universalist Church of Annapolis 333 Dubois Rd Annapolis, MD 21401

UU Service Committee <https://www.uusc.org/> 689 Massachusetts Ave Cambridge, MA 02139

UU Social Justice <http://uusj.net/wp1/> 7750 16<sup>th</sup> St Washington DC 21012

### Thanksgiving Baskets for ACTC

Thank you for supporting ACTC's Thanksgiving drive. We collected 36 baskets and \$1,000, which will purchase 40 more baskets.



### ADORE (A Dialogue on Race and Ethnicity) presents a discussion of "White Fragility"

Sunday, December 2 @ 2:00 pm and repeated Tuesday, December 4 @ 7:30 pm

Are white people “fragile” when it comes to discussions about race? Sociologist Robin DiAngelo, who coined the term “white fragility,” would point out that white people are sensitive to the point of discomfort when discussing or confronting racial issues.

Because being a racist is “bad,” white people who think of themselves as “good” cannot admit to racist thoughts or behavior. Because racism is “bad,” white people cannot admit that their lives have been shaped by racial preference.

Join the ADORE group for a discussion of this phenomenon, based on Robin DiAngelo’s book, *White Fragility*. You can also explore Dr. DiAngelo’s work online, including a number of videos:

(03:31 minutes) <https://www.nbcnews.com/think/video/debunking-the-most-common-myths-white-people-tell-about-race-1328672835886?v=railb&>

(20:01 minutes) <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=h7mzj0cVLOQ>

(01:23:30 hours) <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=45ey4jgoxeU> (This is a book launch talk, including readings and discussion.)

(Book review) <https://www.newyorker.com/books/page-turner/a-sociologist-examines-the-white-fragility-that-prevents-white-americans-from-confronting-racism>

(Slate interview) <https://slate.com/news-and-politics/2018/08/white-liberal-racism-why->

[progressives-are-unable-to-see-their-own-bigotry.html](#)

Everyone is welcome! Please sign up to participate by emailing [socialaction@towsonuuc.org](mailto:socialaction@towsonuuc.org).

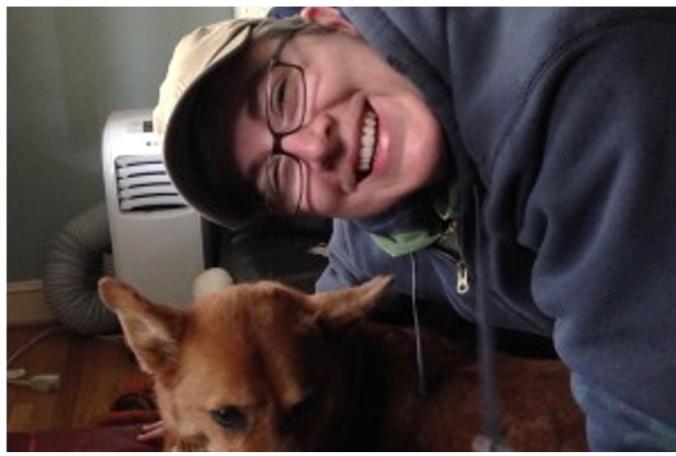


#### FROM OUR BOOKKEEPER

TUUC received \$61.33 from the Amazon Smile program this past quarter. Help TUUC and join the Smile program when you purchase from Amazon. Remember the Smile program as you shop for holiday gifts. Directions are printed and available on the ledge by the stairwell.



#### CARING MINISTRY



As you may know, Jen Larson is relocating for her job and will be leaving TUUC. Jen has been an amazingly caring and involved member and has touched many lives at TUUC. Among her contributions to TUUC is membership in the Caring Ministry. We are very sad to lose her and her thoughtful guidance and input as we strive to build a caring community. Jen and her chalice

paintings, note cards, and images are well known and appreciated by many at TUUC. Among her contributions to our caring community are the note cards she sends to the members and friends of our congregation during times of joy and sorrow. We will miss Jen but send her our best wishes on her new chapter and our grateful thanks for all she has shared with the TUUC community.

We cannot replace Jen, but would very much appreciate it if a member or two would be willing to assist the Caring Ministry by sending cards to the members and friends of TUUC during times of joy and sorrow. If you are interested, please contact Lisa Lubomski at [lisalu1958@gmail.com](mailto:lisalu1958@gmail.com).

Many thanks.

## MEMBERSHIP

### MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION SESSIONS

Are you interested in deepening your relationship with Towson Unitarian Universalist Church? On the second Sunday

Of every odd month (see schedule below), the Membership Committee offers a one-hour session on membership at TUUC, which includes a brief discussion of UU

theology and history and a light lunch.

The sessions start at 12:45 PM.

If you are interested in attending, please RSVP to [membership@towsonuuc.org](mailto:membership@towsonuuc.org).

January 13, 2019

March 10, 2019

May 19, 2019 (Third Sunday)

## MUSIC

### ALL-COMMUNITY CHOIR



On Sunday, November 25th (Sunday right after Thanksgiving), we'll have a morning where anyone (adults or teens), can join the choir for morning worship. We'll be doing some folk songs that day. You can even bring a friend who does not usually come to TUUC if you like! We will rehearse only on

that Sunday morning and sing that day during worship. Some of our regular choir members will participate, but we're hoping lots of you will come and be part of a bigger community effort of singing that day. The music will be a little simpler than other days. There is one service that day at 10:30, so we will rehearse starting 9:30 in the Meeting Room. Please RSVP if you'd like to participate, so a place can be prepared for you!

## HOUSE AND GROUNDS

Winter is coming, and we need to prepare; November is a special time.

**The 7th Annual Black Friday Service Day (11/23).** Yes, folks, this will be the 7th year of me hosting an event for those of you still awake after catching those Midnight Madness Deals or who, like me, want to avoid the massive crowds of our frantic fellows searching for that special half-price gift.

So join me for an hour or two (or more) at TUUC on **November 23 @ 9 AM – 3 PM** (or whenever we run out of steam) I'm looking for at least 10 volunteers to help me:

- Mulch
- Weeding

- Winter Prep
- Organizing outdoor storage areas
- Remove Ivy
- Dusting & Cleaning
- Clean refrigerators and kitchens
- Creating brush piles (environment for rabbits & foxes)
- Other miscellaneous cleaning, organizing & minor repairs ... and more.

Another thing I am looking for is for you all to RSVP so that I can plan the projects. You can either email me directly at [houseandgrounds@towsonuuc.org](mailto:houseandgrounds@towsonuuc.org) or join our Facebook events for these activities at: [November Work Party:](#)

[Winter is Coming \(SECOND SATURDAY\)](#)

## 7th ANNUAL BLACK FRIDAY SERVICE DAY

Events are Rain or Shine - Disposable rain gear will be provided.

Hot (or cold) Cider, Coffee and snacks will also be provided both days and if we get **at least 10 people who RSVP** for the **7th Annual Black Friday Service Day (11/23)** I'll spring for pizza or other luncheon.

For questions, please contact Todd Robertson at [houseandgounds@towsonuuc.org](mailto:houseandgounds@towsonuuc.org) .



## NOTICES

### BLOOD DRIVE

Working with the American Red Cross, we've scheduled Saturday, December 1, 2018 for the next TUUC Blood Drive. With December 1st coming up fast, please check your calendar and consider donating blood at our drive. When you see our appointment sign-up sheet in the church lobby, please stop by and select an appointment time between 9:00 a.m. and 2:30 p.m. on



December 1st. Contact Clare Flynn-Avallone or Nina Della Vecchia if you have any questions.

Give the Gift of Life - Give Blood!

### BOOK NOOK

Our next TUUC Book Nook will be held on December 2, just in time for holiday shopping!



### GALLERY UNICORN

**CALLING ALL TUUC ARTISTS:** Gallery Unicorn traditionally starts the new year with an exhibition of work by TUUC Members. Please consider submitting your work for TUUC's 2019 Annual Members' Art Exhibition. The exhibition runs from January 7, 2019 through March 10, 2019 with a reception Sunday, January 13, 2019, after both services. Artists working in any media that can be wall hung are encouraged to participate. Artists may include up to 2 pieces in the exhibition.

The exhibition will be hung on Monday, January 7, 2019. All work must be delivered to TUUC on Monday, January 7, 2019. Please contact either Emily Tarsell 443-625-9780 or Lisa Lubomski 443-869-0508 to confirm that you would like to participate and/or with any questions.



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**[tuucdatabase.breezechms.com](http://tuucdatabase.breezechms.com)**

## TUUC NEEDS A HOLIDAY TREE!



A replacement for TUUC's lovingly used, Charlie Brown type artificial tree. If you have, or know someone who has, an artificial tree, preferably pre-lit, which is no longer in use, it would be a

wonderful gift to the church for the upcoming holidays. We have been buying cut trees for the past few years, and realize that it would save money and labor if we had a decent artificial tree. Please call Kai in the church office or Sue Walker (410-252-4747). We will be over the moon with a quick response!

## ONGOING & UPCOMING

### SUNDAY SERVICE

December 2—9:30 AM and 11:15 AM

*Let The Bright Seraphim And Sacred Light  
Guide Our Way*

Rev. Clare Petersberger, Casey Mashburn (soloist), and The TUUC Choir

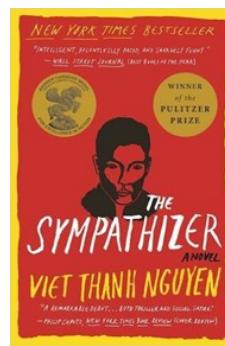
Our spiritual question, this month, is "What does it mean to be a people of mystery?" Today marks the first Sunday of Advent and this evening marks the first night of Hanukkah. Both invite us to see our lives anew in different ways. Advent tells of visitations by angels and annunciations, of dreams and signs. Hanukkah tells of a light that burned beyond all realistic expectation. How do we entertain divine messengers who disrupt our expectations? How do we prepare for hope and remain open to the mystery in our own lives?

### EVENING BOOK GROUP

December 5, 2018

@ 7:30 PM

We'll meet downstairs to discuss *The Sympathizer* by Viet Thanh Nguyen (2015; 384 pages, fiction.) Winner of the 2016 Pulitzer Prize and many other awards, this first novel brings a distinctive perspective to the war and its aftermath. It is described as "intelligent, relentlessly paced and savagely



funny" (WSJ) and as a "layered immigrant tale told in the wry confessional voice of a 'man of two minds' - and two countries, Vietnam and the US" (Pulitzer citation). (The book for January 2nd is All Systems Red - The Murderbot Diaries #1 by Martha Wells (Fiction, 2017, 160 pages.)) All are welcome to join us! Contact Carel Hedlund (info in directory) if questions.

### WOMEN'S LUNCH BUNCH

The Women's Lunch Bunch will meet on Tuesday November 27 at 11:45 in the Cafe at Edenwald. To reserve a spot call Sue Shankroff by Monday November 26.



## SINGLES FELLOWSHIP GROUP POTLUCK

Saturday, November 24 @ 6 PM

Join the Singles Fellowship Group for a potluck with good food and conversation in the upper lobby. We offer an atmosphere for

fellowship and friendship among TUUC single adults. We range in age from the 60's to 80's, but gladly welcome anyone to join us.

Please call Ronald Rowley to RSVP and to get more information. He is listed in the church directory.

### USHER ATTENDANCE REPORT FOR SUNDAY, November 18, 2018

| Date       | Time     | Adults | Children | Choir | Lounge | Total | Visitors Total |
|------------|----------|--------|----------|-------|--------|-------|----------------|
| 11/18/2018 | 9:30 am  | 28     | 1        | 9     | 10     | 48    | ↓              |
| 11/18/2018 | 11:15 am | 89     | 22       | 8     | 0      | 119   | 9              |

### YRE ATTENDANCE REPORT FOR SUNDAY, November 18

| Nursery | PreK - K | 1 <sup>st</sup> / 2 <sup>nd</sup> | 3 <sup>rd</sup> - 5 <sup>th</sup> | 6 <sup>th</sup> - 8 <sup>th</sup> | YRUU | TOTAL |
|---------|----------|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|------|-------|
| 0       | 6        | 6                                 | 6                                 | 9                                 | 8    | 35    |

### INCLEMENT WEATHER AND EMERGENCY CLOSURE INFORMATION

In the event that severe weather or other emergencies compromise the safe use of TUUC facilities or property the church may cancel events or close to all activities. If the weather or the condition of the roads cause you to wonder whether we are proceeding with our programming as scheduled, please check for cancellations before you head out.

The Church Office and facilities are closed 9-5 on weekdays if Baltimore County Public Schools are closed.

Additional closure or cancellation information can be found in the following places:

- Outgoing Church Office Voicemail: (410) 825-6045
- <http://www.wbaltv.com/weather/closings>
- TUUC Website: <http://towsonuuc.org/>
- Church Facebook Group: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/51782871068/>
- TUUC Facebook Page: <https://www.facebook.com/TowsonUnitarianUniversalistChurch/>
- TUUC Bulletin board/listserv: Request joining bulletin by emailing [assistant@towsonuuc.org](mailto:assistant@towsonuuc.org)



When the facility is closed no one is permitted on church grounds without the express permission of the Chairperson of the House and Grounds Council ([houseandgrounds@towsonuuc.org](mailto:houseandgrounds@towsonuuc.org))

We will do our utmost to update these sources as early and as quickly as possible. Please check multiple sources and use your best judgement. Event/activity/meeting leaders may choose to cancel events, activities or meetings even when the facility is not closed. For possible cancellations of a specific meeting or event please contact your event leader.

Event/activity/meeting leaders (Committee Chairs, Committee or Meeting Organizers, Board Members, and Staff, Etc.), it is your responsibility to notify your event, activity or meeting participants if you choose to cancel a session. Please also notify the Church Administrator ([churchoffice@towsonuuc.org](mailto:churchoffice@towsonuuc.org)) and the Chairperson of the House and Grounds Council ([Houseandgrounds@towsonuuc.org](mailto:houseandgrounds@towsonuuc.org)) if you do. It may affect our plans for snow removal.

Please use your best judgement and be safe!

## WHAT'S HAPPENING AT TUUC THROUGH NOVEMBER 29 AS OF 11/20/2018

| Date   | Day       | Event                              | Location               | Start Time         |
|--------|-----------|------------------------------------|------------------------|--------------------|
| 22-Nov | Thursday  | Thanksgiving Day                   |                        |                    |
| 23-Nov | Friday    | 7th Annual Black Friday Work Party | Entire Campus          | 9:00 AM            |
| 23-Nov | Friday    | Office is Closed                   | Business Office        |                    |
| 24-Nov | Saturday  | Singles Group Potluck              | Lobby and Kitchen      | 6:00 PM            |
| 25-Nov | Sunday    | Sunday Service                     | Meeting Room & Lobby   | 9:30 AM & 11:15 AM |
| 25-Nov | Sunday    | Celebration of Life - Anne Lee     | Meeting Room & Lobby   | 2:00 PM            |
| 26-Nov | Monday    | CHADD                              | Room 7                 | 12:00 PM           |
| 26-Nov | Monday    | Handel Choir Rehearsal             | Meeting Room & Lobby   | 6:00 PM            |
| 26-Nov | Monday    | Mindful Meditation                 | Room 6                 | 7:00 PM            |
| 26-Nov | Monday    | Chalice Circle w/Robin Sinn        | Room 7                 | 7:30 PM            |
| 27-Nov | Tuesday   | Women's Lunch Bunch                | Edenwald               | 11:45 AM           |
| 27-Nov | Tuesday   | Chalice Circle w/Tom Farrell       | Room 7                 | 7:30 PM            |
| 28-Nov | Wednesday | Voice Lesson                       | Meeting Room           | 10:00 AM           |
| 28-Nov | Wednesday | Wednesday Writers                  | Room 6                 | 10:30 AM           |
| 28-Nov | Wednesday | Zen Community                      | Rooms 1 & 2            | 6:30 PM            |
| 28-Nov | Wednesday | Al-Anon Meeting                    | Room 6                 | 7:00 PM            |
| 29-Nov | Thursday  | Choir Setup                        | Meeting Room           | 5:30 PM            |
| 29-Nov | Thursday  | Vocal Ensemble Rehearsal           | Meeting Room           | 6:45 PM            |
| 29-Nov | Thursday  | TUUC Choir Rehearsal               | Meeting Room           | 7:30 PM            |
| 29-Nov | Thursday  | Stewardship Meeting                | Room 7                 | 7:30 PM            |
| 29-Nov | Thursday  | What Does It Mean to be a UU?      | Rooms 1 & 2            | 7:30 PM            |
| 1-Dec  | Saturday  | Blood Drive                        | Meeting Room and Lobby | 8:00 AM            |
| 2-Dec  | Sunday    | Sunday Service                     | Meeting Room & Lobby   | 9:30 AM & 11:15 AM |
| 2-Dec  | Sunday    | Green Sanctuary                    | Room 2                 | 10:30 AM           |
| 2-Dec  | Sunday    | ADORE                              | Rooms 1 & 2            | 1:00 PM            |
| 2-Dec  | Sunday    | Irina Briskin Recitals             | Meeting Room & Lobby   | 5:00 PM            |
| 2-Dec  | Sunday    | Tau Delta Omega                    | Rooms 1 & 2            | 6:00 PM            |
| 3-Dec  | Monday    | Handel Choir Rehearsal             | Meeting Room & Lobby   | 6:00 PM            |
| 3-Dec  | Monday    | Mindful Meditation                 | Room 7                 | 7:00 PM            |
| 3-Dec  | Monday    | Auction Wrap-up Meeting            | Rooms 1 & 2            | 7:30 PM            |
| 4-Dec  | Tuesday   | Holiday Decorations Installation   | Meeting Room & Lobby   | 10:00 AM           |
| 4-Dec  | Tuesday   | ADORE                              | Rooms 1 & 2            | 7:30 PM            |
| 4-Dec  | Tuesday   | Men's Reflection Group             | Room 7                 | 7:30 PM            |
| 5-Dec  | Wednesday | Voice Lesson                       | Meeting Room           | 10:00 AM           |
| 5-Dec  | Wednesday | Wednesday Writers                  | Room 6                 | 10:30 AM           |
| 5-Dec  | Wednesday | IMPROV                             | Meeting Room           | 7:00 PM            |
| 5-Dec  | Wednesday | Al-Anon Meeting                    | Room 6                 | 7:00 PM            |
| 5-Dec  | Wednesday | Evening Book Group                 | Lower Level Lounge     | 7:30 PM            |



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Reverend Clare L. Petersberger  
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Carol Watkins (2017-2019)  
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Communications Council: Patty Berry  
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House and Grounds Council: Todd Robertson  
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