

THE CHATTAHOOCHEE CHALICE

The official newsletter of the Unitarian Universalist Fellowship of Columbus, GA



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SUNDAY SERVICES

June 02 1st Sunday

9:15 Adult Religious Edu: *Transendant Mystery and Wonder*

9:15 Children's Religious Edu: *Inherent Worth and Dignity of Every Person*

10:30 Coffee, Conversation, and Donuts

11:00 Sunday Service: Rick Spradlin

Title: *The Inherent Worth and Dignity Self-worth, like love, cannot be seen or touched, yet, it can be lived and experienced and leaves an indelible mark.*

Service Leader: Rick Spradlin

Opener: [donuts]

Greeters: Karyann Hull, Maureen Humphries

June 09

9:15 Adult Religious Edu: *UU Relationship to Nature*

9:15 Children's Religious Edu: *Justice, Equity, and Compassion in Human Relations*

10:30 Coffee and Conversation

11:00 Sunday Service: Rick Spradlin

Title: *The Best You Can Be*

Service Leader: Ron Ussery

Opener: Pat Hart

Greeters: Jeff Gordon, Robert Burnham

June 16 3rd Sunday

Give Away the Plate Recipient: Paz Amigos

9:15 Adult Religious Edu: *Paternalism in Religious Tradition*

9:15 Children's Religious Edu: *Acceptance of One Another and Encouragement in Spiritual Growth*

10:30 Coffee and Conversation

11:00 Sunday Service: Bill Harlan

Title: *Paz Amigos.*

Service Leader: Ellen Harlan

Opener: Maureen Humphries

Greeters: Mark Berger, Orm Burnham

June 23

9:15 Adult Religious Edu: *Michael Servetus*

9:15 Children's Religious Edu: *A Free and Responsible Search for Truth and Meaning*

10:30 Coffee and Conversation

11:00 Sunday Service: Ed Wilson

Title: *Embrace the World*

Dr. Jerry Jordan to perform a solo, 'Lord of the Years,' and his wife, Jean, will provide the piano accompaniment.

Service Leader: Maureen Humphries

Opener: Sidney Wilson

Greeters: Judy Barnett, Bill Edwards

June 30

9:15 Adult Religious Edu: *Transcendentalism & UU*

9:15 Children's Religious Edu: *The Right of Conscience and the Use of the Democratic Process*

10:30 Coffee and Conversation

11:00 Sunday Service: Bill Edwards

Title: *Discovering Values in Art*

This short talk is informed by Abraham Maslow's self-actualization and by Milton Rokeach's instrumental and terminal values while using Bill's photography to demonstrate how art reflects our values.

Service Leader: Ellen Harlan

Opener: Robbie Henson

Greeters: Emily Timmins-Wilde, Chris Nix

Special Announcements for the Month

INTRODUCTION to Unitarian Universalism

Now offered at 7:00 p.m. on the 1st Sunday evening of each month. Presented by Rick Spradlin.

Next Session: June 02.

Summer Solstice Celebration (Litha - Midsummer)

June 19, 8:00 p.m.

Grill opens at 7:00 p.m.; celebration in the Meditation Garden at 8:00. Bring your favorite food and beverage. Contact Hal Midgette for more information.

Coming October 2019 - Yard Sale! Please save your items.



Father's Day

JUNE 2019

OTHER UU EVENTS

Board Meeting

meets on third Tuesdays, 7:00 p.m.
June 18

Calm Abiding Meditation*

Every Saturday at 10:00 a.m. in the Meeting House, followed by **Buddhist Studies** at 10:45.
Led by Joan Andras. Free and open format (come for some or all sessions). Public welcome.

Caregivers' Support Group

meets on 1st and 3rd Thursdays, 10:30 a.m.
June 6, 20

Children's Ministry Committee

meets on Sunday preceding the Board meeting.*
**Due to date conflicts, the next meeting will be Sunday, June 9, 9:30 a.m.*

Earth-Centered Spirituality Study Group

meets on 1st and 3rd Saturdays, 7:00 p.m.
June 01 Cathy Rankin presents Crystals
June 15 group presents Voodoo or Santeria

Exploring Spirituality

meets on third Thursdays, 7:00 p.m.
June 20 Topic: Seven Story Mountain by Thomas Merton

Friday Lunch Group

meets every Friday at Mandarin Café, 12:30 pm.
Contact President Bill Harlan to join.

Our New Mission Statement

During the board retreat held on May 18th, the board members finalized our updated mission statement:

The Unitarian Universalist Fellowship of Columbus

- **Creates a welcoming space for exploring spiritual growth.**
- **Supports its members and friends in their search for meaning and truth.**
- **Promotes the Seven Principles of Unitarian Universalism and in the world at large.**

****Note:** *If you are still getting your newsletter by U.S. Mail, please consider receiving it via email to save postage and printing. If you wish to make that change, please call Brenda in the office, 706-660-1442 & leave a message. Also, if you have flowers you would like to bring to incorporate in our displays, Pat Hart would be happy to use them!*

Fundraising Committee

meets 2nd Sunday after Service
June 9

Give Away the Plate

on Third Sundays
June 16th recipient: Valley Rescue Mission (fans for the elderly).

UU Singers Choir Practice

meets Wednesdays at 6:00 p.m. & Sundays at 10:00 a.m.
**Taking summer break from practice; will resume July 3rd*

Social Action Committee

meets Wednesday following Board Meeting, 10:30 a.m.
June 19

Wednesday Night Discussion Group

meets every Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.

Women's Book Club

meets on 4th Tuesdays at 6:00 p.m.
June 25
Topic: Where the Crawdad Sings, by Francis Cantu

Women's Group*

meets on the 2nd Thursday of each month.
June 13; 6:30 dinner at Ezells' Catfish

Father's Day Prayer *Poem by Carol Allman-Morton*

On Father's Day we honor those people who have been teachers, confidants, and friends. We acknowledge that it is not biology that makes a parent, but love and attention. For those of us that have lost a father, or a child, we hold their memories in our hearts. For all of us who are fathers, we ask for continued help in discerning how best to care for our children, whether they are 5 or 50 years old. May the strands of relationship between ourselves and all of creation grow ever stronger. May all of us, no matter what our place in the cycle of life, experience nurture and love, and may we pass on that love to those we encounter on our own paths. So may it be. Amen.