

This 'n' That

Date	11am Service	9:45am Adult Forum
October 9	“Why Substitute Indigenous Peoples Day for Columbus Day?” Service Leader: Barbara Michael	NO FORUM

Our UU Principles
We covenant to affirm and promote:

The inherent worth and dignity of every being;

Justice, equity, and compassion in human relations;

Acceptance of one another and encouragement to spiritual growth;

A free and responsible search for truth and meaning;

The right of conscience and the use of the democratic process;

The goal of world community with peace, liberty and justice for all;

Respect for the interdependent web of all existence of which we are a part.



All are Welcome to Adventure with UUs to **HAYES CORN MAZE**
Sunday after the service, let's load up and head out for some Autumn Fun!
Admission: \$9 per person
Kids 2 and under are FREE!

Financial assistance available upon request. Please contact g.g. gordon, treasurer, if interested in assistance.

Special Collection this Sunday

As we focus on Indigenous Peoples Day during the 11 o'clock service, we will take up a "special offering" for Native Americans and others from all over who are protesting the Dakota Access Pipeline (DAPL) and protecting the land and waters of the Missouri River. Money will go towards winter sleeping bags, tipis or tents, food, etc. The Center for Native American Studies at NMU will be combining our collection with theirs and waiting for our show of support before sending on this special contribution from the U.P. So please bring your checkbook, some extra bills or coins on Sunday. Thank you for putting your faith into action in this way! (Note: the offering for MqtUU will be separate from the offering in support of the water protectors.)

Share-the-Plate (October 2, 16, 23, 30)



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<http://www.uua.org/international/un>

Check us out on the web @ mqtuu.org



COMMUNITY EVENTS

FROM: Marquette Interfaith Forum

We will meet at the usual place and time this Friday (St. James the Less Conference Center in Harvey @ 11:30am). There may also be a discussion group after the Saturday, October 8 , evening performance of "Where a Certain Future" at the NMU Black Box Theater for those MIF members who were able to secure tickets for the Sat. (or earlier) performance(s).

Two "house-keeping items for discussion are:

- 1) review & discussion of our mission and vision statement
- 2) planning for the Tuesday, November 22, MIF Evening of Thanks. We have agreed to rotate this meeting among the various faith groups represented in the MIF and the Unitarian Universalist congregation hosted it for about 4-5 years and the Jewish congregation has hosted it for the last 2 years. Where will this year's MIF Evening of Thanks be held and who will organize it and compose the program?

Hopefully, we can also start to discuss the topic of **Identity, personal, group, cultural, religious, national, etc.** As considered in the NMU play, "Where a Certain Future", does a person or family lose its religious/cultural identity by moving to a new country?

Aaron

P.S. Rosh HaShanah has just ended, I would like to wish all the MIF a sweet, healthy and happy New Year!

P.P.S. I am told that the water damage at Little Jimmie's has been mitigated and that it should be OK for our meeting.



Monday, October 10th @ 4 – 6pm
Hand Drum Social at the University Center with a panel, storytelling, and snacks in honor of Indigenous Peoples Day!
Open to the public.



Mark your calendar for the next Climate @ Noon Seminar - Friday, October 21 - Jamrich 1320

Join us for an interactive discussion on local food systems. There will be panelists representing Marquette Food Co-op, Northern Michigan University's student organizations, and other grassroots efforts to create a sustainable farming structure in the Upper Peninsula. We anticipate a "fruitful" discussion (come early to get your Michigan apples!) with plenty of time for the audience to ask the panelists questions.

You can follow the Northern Climate Network on Facebook

at: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/188899098115459/>

Check out our website: <http://www.nmu.edu/northernclimatenetwork/> Or e-mail us: climate@nmu.edu