

This 'n' That

Date	Service (11 a.m.)	Forum (9:45 – 10:30a.m.)
March 8	“Selma Sunday.” Service Leader: gg Gordon	“National Association of the Mentally Ill, with Louise Wilcox, incoming President and Jane Ryan, Outgoing President.: Host: Barb Michael

7 Principles of Unitarian
Universalism
Affirm & Promote:
The inherent worth and
dignity of every person;
Justice, equity and
compassion in human
relations;
Acceptance of one
another and
encouragement to
spiritual growth in our
congregations;
A free and responsible
search for truth and
meaning;
The right of conscience
and the use of the
democratic process
within our congregations
and in society at large;
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.

FIRST FRIDAY, March 6 @ 6pm

Bring a dish, bring a friend, share great food,
wonderful company then enjoy an
“Introduction to Zentangle” w/gg gordon



"Let's go to the movies!" *

Two special opportunities this week at the Thomas Theatre in Marquette Township:

10 am, Sat. morning, March 7 for "Still Alice"

There will be a special showing of "Still Alice" to benefit the Alzheimer's Association. \$12.50 gets you in to see the Oscar-winning performance of Julianne Moore, a small pop and a small popcorn. \$2.50 from every ticket sold benefits the work of the Alzheimer's Association.

6:50 pm, Tues., March 10 for "The Second Best Exotic Marigold Hotel"

Join UU friends and others for a social event at the early evening showing of the newly released sequel to "The Best Exotic Marigold Hotel" with many of the same actors as the first one: Judi Dench, Maggie Smith, Dev Patel, Bill Nighy, Penelope Wilton and now, Richard Gere.

The cost is \$7 for 3-12 yr olds, those 62 and older, veterans, and college students. For those 13-61 yrs of age the cost is \$9.00. If you'd like to go, but need transportation or a free ticket for the show, please contact Barb Michael at 273-1174.

*(song from "Annie")


Check us out on the web
@
mqtuu.org
or



Dharmini is presenting
the last Chair Yoga Session of the Season
Wednesday, March 12th
5:30 pm @ the Meeting House.



Tender Loving Care...We all need it once in a while...If you or a fellow MqtUU member is in need of TLC, chicken soup, a ride to Sunday Service or an appointment, or other caring needs...PLEASE REACH OUT whether in person, phone call or email! The TLC Team has a new email just for this use!
mqtuucare@gmail.com

<p align="center">FROM: Stewardship Committee Chair, Mike White and Our Treasurer, gg gordon</p>	<p align="center">"A Big Thank You goes out to all who have already submitted their pledges, by mail or directly to g.g. gordon, our Treasurer."</p> <p>If you have yet to submit completed pledge forms, please do so either by mailing, giving to gg gordon or Mike White, or putting in the treasurer's folders at the meetinghouse.</p>												
<p align="center">Marquette Interfaith Forum</p> <p align="center">Meeting Friday, March 6 11:30 - 1pm "Little Jimmy's" In Harvey</p>	<p>For our upcoming Interfaith Forum meeting on Friday, March 6, 11:30 AM to 1 PM, at Little Jimmie's in Harvey:</p> <p>Over the course of our conversations at the Marquette Interfaith Forum we have shared and discussed our own faith as well as others. We have also recently viewed and discussed all, including the last chapter, of "The Wisdom of Faith" by Huston Smith and Bill Moyers. All of this has hopefully opened to us the beauty of other paths to faith even though we may not follow them ourselves. This month we will be sharing with one another our personal perspectives on what we find compelling or simply beautiful about the various wisdom traditions or spiritual paths. Our plan is that we would each write succinct phrases on separate pieces of paper, preferably ahead of time, articulating what we love about the various wisdom traditions, up to five thoughts per tradition about which we choose to comment.</p> <p>Articulating our thoughts on paper will facilitate brevity and the opportunity for quiet voices to be heard. We do not need to limit ourselves to those spiritual paths most often represented in Interfaith Forum discussions.</p> <p>We hope you can join us. What a celebration of beauty and wisdom this could be!</p> <p>Please bring friends and potential new members. Feel free to bring lunch and beverage.</p> <p>Aaron Scholnik</p> <p>P.S. A special thanks to Nancy Irish for the wording of our topic for next Friday.</p>												
<p>Committees & Contacts</p> <p align="center">An opportunity to give of your time and talents!</p>	<table border="0"> <tr> <td>Adult Enrichment ~ gg gordon</td> <td>Facility ~ Shaun Devlin</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Green Team ~ Sarah Redmond</td> <td>Music ~ Jean Trost</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Religious Exploration ~ Jill Mielcarek</td> <td>Social Action ~ Megan Foulks</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Sunday Services ~ Tom Sullivan</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>Communication Team ~ Sarah Redmond</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>Community Development ~ Tim VanderVeen</td> <td></td> </tr> </table>	Adult Enrichment ~ gg gordon	Facility ~ Shaun Devlin	Green Team ~ Sarah Redmond	Music ~ Jean Trost	Religious Exploration ~ Jill Mielcarek	Social Action ~ Megan Foulks	Sunday Services ~ Tom Sullivan		Communication Team ~ Sarah Redmond		Community Development ~ Tim VanderVeen	
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<p align="center">March 2015 "Share the Plate"</p>	<p align="center">MI Unitarian Universalist Social Justice Network (MUUSJN)</p> <p align="center"><i>Mission: To foster the worth and dignity of people by promoting social justice and community service.</i></p> <p align="center">www.uujustice.org</p> 												

Meet your MqtUU
Representatives

Sarah Redmond, President
Chris Wagner, Vice President
Teri Rockwood, Secretary
Mary Maki, Trustee
Tim VanderVeen, Trustee
gg gordon, Treasurer
Heidi Gould, Administrative Assistant
Lisa McKenzie, Religious Exploration Coordinator

The New Era of Unitarian Universalism



2015 Regional Assembly

Regional Assembly will be held **APRIL 17 -19** at the Marriott Hotel in Naperville, Illinois (near Chicago). **KEYNOTE SPEAKERS: The Reverend Rosemary Bray McNatt** is the new president at Starr King School for the Ministry in Berkeley, and **The Reverend Dr. Marlin Lavanhar** is Senior Minister at All Souls Unitarian Church in Tulsa. Regional Assembly workshop tracks will include: Stewardship, Multicultural/Inclusion, Social Justice, Deepening UU, Worship, and New Era. We'll have two sessions for workshops on Saturday afternoon. Mark your calendar now and plan to attend!

Guest rooms are available at a special group rate of \$89 per night. This rate is good till April 1. To reserve a room for Friday and Saturday with the discounted rate: [BOOK YOUR ROOM ONLINE](#) or reserve a room by phone: Call 1-800-514-4684 and use code **Unitarian Universalist** for the group rate. If you are reserving a room for earlier in the week, you will need to call to get the discounted rate.



Hey, if you know someone who is not coming to the Meeting House cuz they need a ride, please call the Meeting House at (906) 249-9450 and we will help! If you regularly attend MqtUU and are willing and available to give a ride to a neighbor please call and we will add you to the rideshare list.

THANK YOU!

Marqtran Door-to-Door Service is available to schedule rides from anywhere in Marquette to our Meeting House!

Please call 225-1112 or Check out marqtran.com

“It ain’t easy being green...”

But we do try to make it easier for you.

If you have any of the following items that are used up or which you no longer need or want, please bring them to the meetinghouse and place them into the PlanetGreen recycling bins in the entryway. We send these items off for responsible recycling and the congregation receives money in return. So, help out the planet and the congregation by letting us recycle these items for you:

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| Inkjet Cartridges | Cell Phones/Pagers & Accessories |
| GPS & Radar Detectors | Mobile Hot Spots |
| Calculators | eBook Readers |
| iPods/MP3 Players | Digital/Video Cameras |
| PDAs iPads/Tablets | Video Game Consoles & Handhelds |
| Video Games & Accessories | |

*MqtUU also collects Tadych’s Econo slips to help funds for our congregation as well. Please collect your receipts and drop them in the box marked “Econo slips” in the entry way of the meeting house. **THANK YOU!!***

Happening Elsewhere in the Mqt Community...

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

The Peter White Public Library will be closed on Sundays beginning March 1st! Why, you ask? Due to required budget cuts as a result of Duke Lifepoint tax refund granted by the MI Tax Tribunal.

PWPL Board of Trustees Meeting – Tuesday, March 17 @ 5pm Marquette City Manager, Bill Vajda and City Finance Director, Gary Simpson will be presenting the Mqt City CFO Forecast and associated budget process for managing revenue volatility. All board meetings are open to the public. You are invited to join as the public guests, take good notes on the presentation and ask questions during the public comment period. Thank you! 😊

Dennis Liimata, Marquette Township Supervisor is presenting for the MqtUU Adult Forum on **Sunday, March 22 @ 9:45am** to answer all your questions and help plan a Community Call to Action! Please join us for this important forum!

For more information, a Facebook group was created, Save MQT, Save MI! Please check it out, get informed and get involved!