

This 'n' That

Date	Service (11 a.m.)	Forum (9:45 – 10:30a.m.)
September 27	“Written In Their Eyes – Historical Awareness as a Spiritual Path” Service Leaders: February Sky (Phil Cooper and Susan Urban)*	“Folk Music of the 50s—Still Relevant? Part II.” Host: Martin Steindler

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.



*Phil and Susan will share their reflections on how their music, and the stories of the people and events behind it, has not only enhanced their own lives, but has also opened the minds of many of their listeners to the power of history. Phil and Susan will wear period garb for this service, and attendees are encouraged to do likewise if they wish!

~*~

A VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED:

The **Board of Trustees** is in need of one more member! If you are interested in how the Board works and would like to have input in matters of the congregation please join the Board! Please contact Nancy Sullivan or Gary Stark if you are interested.

The **Building Committee** Needs YOU!! Please contact Heidi mqtuuadassist@gmail.com if you are interested.

The **MqtUU Leadership Conference** is scheduled for Saturday, November 14 from 9am to Noon. Lunch will be provided. The presence of all Committee Chairs and Members and all interested in the workings of the MqtUU Congregation is requested by the Board of Trustees. ☺

~*~

MUUSJN is supporting the Time to Care Campaign “Because everyone gets sick, but not everyone has time to get well”. The Earned Sick Time Act is a bill to provide workers with the right to earn sick time. Petitions are available to sign at MqtUU on the round table near the bookshelves. **For more information:**
mitimetocare.org

~*~

Check us out on the web

@

mqtuu.org

or



MqtUU & RATI

Room at the Inn (RATI), our local rotating homeless shelter is set to begin the new season on September 27th. MqtUU will be supporting RATI efforts and we are working to find a fall date to host the shelter. Volunteers are needed! Contact Sarah Johnson or Michelle Halley, MqtUU's RATI Coordinators for more information.

September 2015
 "Share the Plate"

Doctors Without Borders

a private, international association. The association is made up mainly of doctors and health sector workers and is also open to all other professions which might help in achieving its aim of providing assistance to populations in distress, to victims of natural or man-made disasters, and to victims of armed conflict. They do so irrespective of race, religion, creed, or political convictions.



<http://www.doctorswithoutborders.org/>

**Tender Loving Care...
 Need Assistance?**

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 a ride to 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

Committees & Contacts

An opportunity to give of your time and talents!

Adult Enrichment ~ gg gordon
 Green Team ~ Megan Faulks
 Religious Exploration ~ Jill Mielcarek
 Sunday Services ~ Tom Sullivan
 Communication Team ~ Tom Sullivan
 Community Development ~ Tim VanderVeen

Building ~
 Music ~ Jean Trost
 Social Action ~ Megan Foulks

*Meet your MqtUU
 Representatives*

Dea Kowalczyk, President
 Dharmini Robertson, Vice President
 Anne Stark, Secretary
 Chris Wagner, Trustee

gg gordon, Treasurer
 Heidi Gould, Administrative Assistant

*"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 recycling and receive money in return. So, help out the planet and the congregation by letting us recycle these items for you:

Inkjet Cartridges
 GPS & Radar Detectors
 Calculators
 iPods/MP3 Players
 PDAs iPads/Tablets
 Video Games & Accessories

Cell Phones/Pagers & Accessories
 Mobile Hot Spots
 eBook Readers
 Digital/Video Cameras
 Video Game Consoles & Handhelds

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!!

Want to add more spiritual depth to your life?



Catch via Livestream the UU Church of the Larger Fellowship's Sunday evening services (repeated on Mondays). Always something to ponder. If you want, you can join their online "Coffee Hour" which follows. Not only do they serve people throughout the world, they are serving hundreds of prisoners who want to explore a liberal religious faith.

Questformeaning.org/worship

FROM: Interfaith Power & Light

We know the timing is no accident: the pope wants the U.S. to play a productive role in the crucial U.N. conference on climate change at the end of this year in Paris. In fact, Pope Francis is heading to New York today to address the U.N. General Assembly.

[Help support these efforts by taking the Paris Pledge to reduce our carbon footprints. By taking the Paris Pledge, we support the pope's call for a strong response to the climate crisis.](#)

In a speech on the White House Lawn, Pope Francis praised President Obama's initiatives to cut carbon pollution. This morning the pope said, "*We need a conversation which includes everyone, since the environmental challenge we are undergoing, and its human roots, concern and affect us all.*" We couldn't agree more!

In response to Pope Francis' call for "*a courageous and responsible effort to 'redirect our steps,' and to avert the most serious effects of the environmental deterioration caused by human activity,*" we encourage you to take the Paris Pledge. By taking the Pledge, either as an [individual](#) or a [congregation](#), you commit to a 50% reduction in carbon pollution by 2030 and becoming carbon neutral by 2050. In doing so, you take a stand in showing what it means to be a person of faith, and that we in the U.S. are prepared to lead this movement to care for our common home.

Check out photos and news stories from the many IPL vigils and events honoring Pope Francis around the country on our [Facebook page](#).

Thank you, and happy Pope Week!

Susan Stephenson
Executive Director
Interfaith Power & Light

