

This Week at UUCOB

## Members and Friends of the UU Congregation of Ormond Beach



### This Week at UUCOB October 20, 2019 Worship Service

**9:15 Discussion Topic: "Living in the Past, Present and Future" topic leader Dan Kennedy**

**10:30 Service — Rev. Kathy Rickey, Whose Are We?** We all belong to communities of some kind, from family to voluntary associations like our congregation of which we call of ourselves members. To whom and to what do we belong? What does our belonging call us to be or do? How does belonging serve us and what is our part in the relationship?

**Service Leader: Rita Scheeler**

Share the Plate with



#### EVENTS THIS WEEK

**October 21, 2019**

12:00 p.m.

Bag lunch w. Rev. Kathy

-Room 1

**October 22, 2019**

10:00 a.m.

Mah Jongg

-Room 1

**October 23, 2019**

6:00 p.m.

Choir Rehearsal

-Room 5

**October 24, 2019**

10:30 a.m. Democracy Now -Room 2  
2:30 p.m. Membership Meeting -Room 1  
8:00 a.m. Rummage Sale Set Up

**October 25, 2019**

8:00 a.m. Rummage Sale -Room 5

**October 26, 2019**

8:00 a.m. Rummage Sale -Room 5

**UPCOMING EVENTS**

**SHARE THE PLATE— Sophie's Circle**



We will be sharing our Sunday offering on **October 20<sup>th</sup>** with an organization that helps pets stay with their owners. Sophie's Circle was founded by Kathy Blackman in 2008 after she adopted a Siberian husky named Sophie. Kathy literally saved Sophie's life. The organization is dedicated to an ongoing effort to keep pets in their homes where they belong, even though their families may be experiencing financial hardship.

Locally, Sophie's Circle operates two food pantries for pets, offering free pet food to those in need. In addition to helping to provide pet food and other necessities, the organization also works to educate the public about spay/neuter programs, which help prevent pets from becoming homeless and abandoned. Sophie's Circle has expanded and now rescues dogs from all over Florida and places them in loving foster homes. The organization has many dedicated volunteers who rescue, nurse back to health unwanted and abused animals. They depend solely on individual contributions, so please be especially generous on **Sunday, October 20<sup>th</sup>** as we share our offering with Sophie's Circle. Jeanne Young.

**MARKET PLACE**

The time has come to begin to think about the service Market Place which is a major fund raiser that was designed by Susan and Preston Garrison. This year we will need volunteers to help in a variety of ways so we may continue this fun and profitable endeavor. We will meet in October and plan to open the Market Place early November. Please see Julie Hilburn or Betty Green to learn more about the opportunities to help

**FALL RUMMAGE SALE—A Space-making Opportunity!**

The UU fall rummage sale will take place on **October 25 & 26**, so it's time to gather the items you will donate. Drop off is at UU on **Wednesday, Oct. 23 or Thursday, Oct. 24**— between 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. if possible. Please be sure that items are clean and in good condition, with suggested prices, if you can determine them.

**We need many volunteers all day Wednesday and Thursday** to help with unloading, sorting and pricing. Jewelry can be brought in sooner, for help with pricing. Donation receipt forms will be available if you need them. If you need help getting your donated items to the UU building or advice about storing them with a fellow UU until October 23, call Cliff Jackson at 677-7687 or e-mail:

[reelseeker@aol.com](mailto:reelseeker@aol.com)

**The rummage sale itself is 8:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. on Friday and from 8:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. on Saturday.**

We appreciate extra card tables or long tables if you can loan one. Please bring them on Wednesday, October 23 and mark them with masking tape underneath that says "Not for Sale" and your name. Cleanup of our sanctuary is important on Saturday afternoon in order to prepare for the Sunday worship service. We especially need physically strong helpers to get leftover items ready for removal on Saturday afternoon. And we need those who help with finishing touches such as taking trash out for pickup and tidying the kitchen. We usually bring our own lunches and bring extra to share with each other. **Please sign up for part or all of any of the four days, using the sign-up sheet on the back table.** Many thanks! --Cliff Jackson

## **Greetings From Evan & Sara Rivers**

Hello to all of our friends at UUCOB. We miss you all. Having retired in June, given most of our possessions away, and set off for a year of adventure in Europe, we promised many of you to share our adventures online so we've worked on a blog/website to provide that access. We're learning a new system, and trying to keep up despite inconsistent access to strong WIFI. At this point we're still a few days behind. But we welcome and invite anyone who is interested to find the site, enjoy the photos and stories, and sign up for notifications. The site is at [roamingwiththerivers.com](http://roamingwiththerivers.com) We've been walking the Camino de Santiago de Compostella across northern Spain. We're halfway along on this 500 mile journey and now approaching the city of Leon. We try to post almost every day on this trip. After we're done hiking, our posts will be frequent but not every day. Again, we miss you all and hope that all is well back in Florida -- which we now pronounce "flo-REE-da.



## **BOARD OF TRUSTEES MEETINGS:**



The UUCOB Board of Trustees will hold its next regular meeting on Thursday, November 21, beginning at 5:30 PM. All UUCOB members are welcome to attend. If you have concerns or issues that you would wish the Board to consider, please send them to Betty Green a week prior to the meeting.

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## **In the Good Ol' Summertime: UU Singing Circle**

The choir took a summer break, but some singers continued meeting together regularly on Wednesday evenings. We sang warm ups, barbershop tags, harmonies, hymns, and popular music. A few favorites rose to the top. One is "Farewell My Friend," a piece inspired by several Native American songs and that has the phrase, "In our memories we will hold you." Janet Stroumpis, on piano, and Jon Sandberg, on violin, joined our circle to perform this for Sheila McMahon's memorial service. Another of our favorites is Hymn 1048 "Ubi Caritas," an expression of love in the presence of charity or God—our singers perform this one *a capella*. We are looking forward to other songs for future services, such as Pete Seeger's "Build a Road to Peace" and selections from our hymn book such as 1040 "Hush." Our dedicated singers include Barbara Reed, Jan Taylor, Bruce Nelson, Linda Kalaydjian, Caryl Koses, Patty Tugas, Helen Casoli, Tim Wixted, Cathy Jackson, Maureen Cook, Gaia Davies, and Ludy Goodson. --  
**Ludy Goodson**

## ♪ UU Café ♪

Friday, November 8, 2019, 5 – 8 PM

UU members and friends are invited to bring your talent and eyes and ears to this open mic event! Your talent might be music, song, comedy, poetry, dramatic interpretation, dancing, storytelling—something you enjoy that will be entertaining, and under *5 minutes*. We draw numbers for order of performance and after everyone has performed once, we roll onto another round.

*("Age-appropriate" 5-6 PM; adult themes may come after 6 PM.)*

We'll have coffee and sodas and a variety of snacks. If you wish, you may also bring a "finger food" to share and a personal beverage of your choice. We keep this event casual and fun!

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### Life Long Learning Program

Wednesday, November 13, 2019, 4:00—5:30

#### The Belle of Amherst

**Irene Curran**, a literary lecturer, will present Emily Dickinson, the Belle of Amherst, her life and her poetry. She will recite and read several examples of Dickinson's poetry.

**Irene Curran**, a retired teacher from New Jersey, gives lectures on various authors and historical figures that she finds interesting, such as Eleanor Roosevelt, Mark Twain and Agatha Christie. Irene received her B.A. degree in History from Molloy College in Rockville Centre, N.Y. in 1973 and her Masters' Degree in Reading from C.W. Post College in Brookville, N.Y. in 1978. She also earned her supervisor's certification from TCNJ, N.J. She now speaks at libraries, nursing homes and senior centers in New Jersey and Florida.

## UUCOB MISSION

Our Mission is to encourage and facilitate consideration of ethics, philosophies, and religions and the development of our individual values and beliefs; to provide opportunities for fellowship and mutual support; to establish and maintain a vigorous Unitarian Universalist presence in our local community; and to expand our membership.

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