Members and Friends of the UU Congregation of Ormond Beach



This Week September 13, 2020 at UUCOB

9:15 Discussion Group, Topic: "Critical Thinking"

10:30 Service: — Rev. Kathy Tew Rickey, The Transcendental Club. Established September 12, 1836, the Transcendental Club included an A-list of American scholars and thinkers led by Ralph Waldo Emerson. Their purpose was to explore an Eastern-influenced philosophy that exceeded the confines of a staid New England Unitarianism. We will take a look at American Transcendentalism and its relevance to us today.

Service Leader: Carolyn West

JOYS & CONCERNS Email your joys & concerns to Rev. Kathy by Saturday to include in the Sunday service.

Sunday Service offertory donations...

Your continued financial support is deeply appreciated. Your tax-deductible offertory donation may be made to UUCOB by

- 1. using PayPal. You will find the donation button when you visit the UUCOB webpage http://uuormond.org/
- 2. Sending a check to UUCOB at 56 N. Halifax
- 3. Drive, Ormond Beach, FL 32176 marking the check -Offertory. Thank you very much.

One Zoom link and password 673786 for Sunday services September 13 - December 27, 2020

Dial-in & link plus Zoom instructions

Or - Join Zoom Meeting below...

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88443089054?pwd=WjhDMk9NVkcwbXJGRmpSS XMrb3diUT09

Meeting ID: 884 4308 9054

Password: 673786 One tap mobile

+16465588656,,88443089054# US (New York)

Dial by your location

+1 312 626 6799 US (Chicago) +1 646 558 8656 US (New York)

Meeting ID: 884 4308 9054

ANNOUNCEMENTS

NOTE: All events at/in the UU Building are cancelled until further notice - except

Monday, Sept. 14, 2020 **Tuesday, Sept. 15, 2020** - YOGA- from 5:30 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. Room 5.

- Anon 2 - from 7:00 p.m. - 8:00 - Room 2

Office Hours has changed due to teleworking, so call ahead to schedule face to face with staff. Email or leave phone messages anytime. Thank you. -- Cathy Jackson, Office Administrator

MONDAY LUNCHES

Rev. Kathy Tew Rickey is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting.

Topic: Zoom Lunch w/Minister

Time: Sep 14, 2020 12:00 PM Eastern Time (US and Canada)

Every week on Mon, until Dec 21, 2020, 15 occurrence(s)

Sep 14, 2020 12:00 PM

Sep 21, 2020 12:00 PM

Sep 28, 2020 12:00 PM

Oct 5, 2020 12:00 PM

Oct 12, 2020 12:00 PM

Oct 19, 2020 12:00 PM Oct 26, 2020 12:00 PM

Nov 2, 2020 12:00 PM

Nov 9, 2020 12:00 PM

Nov 16, 2020 12:00 PM Nov 23, 2020 12:00 PM Nov 30, 2020 12:00 PM Dec 7, 2020 12:00 PM Dec 14, 2020 12:00 PM Dec 21, 2020 12:00 PM

Please download and import the following iCalendar (.ics) files to your calendar system.

Weekly: https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/tZlud-GvpjMsGtQe-XgyIn2QET-

UnoJrfhXa/ics?icsToken=98tyKuGurTsiHdydthmHRpwAA4igWe3xiFxdjbdsmVLdBDl6bFHHE9YPB7xwOsrW

Join Zoom Meeting

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86308788600?pwd=YWdCWDdqOUp0SEh3OGUwVIJZS28vdz09

Meeting ID: 863 0878 8600

Passcode: LUNCH

Dial by your location

+1 646 558 8656 US (New York)

Meeting ID: 863 0878 8600

NOTE: Learn about the plans and cost for the Building & Grounds Committee's recommendations for the UUCOB

SPECIAL MEETING via ZOOM

A Special Meeting of the membership of the Congregation is called by the **President and the Board of Trustees via Zoom for September 20, 2020 immediately after the Sunday service**. Per our bylaws only the item or items of business specifically mentioned in the notice of meeting may be acted upon at a Special Meeting. One item will be addressed:

The Building and Grounds committee with input by the congregation at informational meetings as well as
by phone and e-mail, has developed phase one of our plan to update our campus. This Special Meeting is
called to address the Budget adjustment which is needed to complete this project.

I hope to see all of you at the meeting.

--Julie Hilburn, President Board of Trustees

Member News

Message from Phil Elliot

Even before CV19 many banks were limiting free notary services to documents signed by a customer of that bank. **Finding and accessing notaries** is made more difficult by the virus pandemic.

I'll be glad to attempt to help (at no charge) if you should need a notary.

- Phil

NOTE: Editor, Betty Green will be in Europe until Election time. Be sure to send your information/input for the e-News as usual by Wednesday afternoon, US EST

THE ALLIANCE COMMITTEE OF THE UUCOB HAS DESIGNATED SEPTEMBER

FEED THE HOMELESS MONTH

WE ARE ASKING OUR COMMUNITY TO HELP THE JERRY DOLINER FOOD BANK AND GODS BATHHOUSE BY DONATING:

PROGRESSO SOUP OR OTHER READY TO EAT SOUPS PEANUT BUTTER CRACKERS and PROTEIN BARS

THESE ITEMS FIT INTO POCKETS & CAN BE EATEN AS IS. PROGRESSO SOUP HAS A FLIP TOP LID. THE PEANUT BUTTER CRACKERS &THE BARS ARE EXCELLENT SOURCES OF PROTEIN. THE HOMELESS CAN'T STORE FRESH MEAT. ONE CAN OF PROGRESSO IS A FULL MEAL. IF YOU WANT TO DONATE OTHER NON-PERISHABLES TO THE FOOD BANK, VOLUNTEERS WILL GLADLY COLLECT THOSE ALSO.

PLEASE LEAVE YOUR DONATIONS AT THE FOLLOWING BUSINESSES THANK THEM FOR HELPING. IT REALLY DOES TAKE A VILLAGE

BIGGBY COFFEE - across from Lowes daily 6 A.M. - 8 P.M. 1345 W. GRANADA ORMOND BEACH

RIVERGATE COFFEE SHOPPE same plaza as McDonalds daily 6 A.M. -2 P.M. 1255 NOVA ROAD ORMOND BEACH,

GOLD'S GYM Mon-Fri 5 A.M.-9 P.M. Weekends 8 A.M.-5 P.M. 333 W. GRANADA ORMOND BEACH ALICE COOPER
ADAMS CAMERON & CO., REALTORS
Daily 9-5
1100 DUNLAWTON
PORT ORANGE
386-761-6100

JIMMY HULA'S - beachside 11-9 weekdays 11-10 weekends 191 E. GRANADA BLVD ORMOND BEACH

JERRY DOLINER FOOD BANK Mon-Fri 8-5 470 ANDALUSIA AVE. ORMOND BEACH

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Life Long Learning Fall 2020

What do Aging, Cancer, and the Short Life of the Bay Scallop, Argopecten irradians have in common?

Steve Estabrooks

Wednesday, September 22, 2020, 4:00—5:30 p.m.

Argopecten irradians is a common name for Atlantic bay scallop or bay scallop. Dr. Estabrooks will discuss his research on Argopecten irradians, their reproductive cycle, and their lifespans. A bay scallop can double its weight postspawning and storing nutrients in the form of carbohydrates, lipids, and protein for an upcoming winter.

Steve Estabrooks has a PH.D. from the University of Rhode Island. He has worked in hospital laboratories and conducted research in marine biology on the island of Nantucket. He has taught courses on advanced biology, whales, chemistry, criminal investigations and marine biology to high school students.

Two Hundred Years of Great Scientists William A. Hilburn Wednesday, October 14, 2020, 4:00—5:30

When people think about the greatest scientists in history, most focus on two: Sir Isaac Newton and Albert Einstein. Though these two individuals both contributed to our understanding of the world and changed the direction of science during their lifetime, they are separated by 200 hundred years of the most profound and amazing discoveries. In this talk Drew Hilburn will discuss the contributions of the other great scientists during this 200 year interva, which enabled Einstein to enhance and extend one of Newton's greatest accomplishments.

Drew is an Advanced Placement Physics teacher at Mainland High School and is currently serving in his 27th year. He has taught physics at the junior high, high school and college levels, and was recently named teacher of the year at Mainland High School.

Early Developments in Christianity Reverend Kathryn Tew Rickey Wednesday, October 28, 2020, 4:00—5:30

In the early years following Jesus' death, his disciples and followers were left to ponder his teachings and live into them as best they could. Among the earliest Christians there were varied thoughts and beliefs not only about what Jesus taught but also about the nature of his human existence. Reverend Kathy will take a look at some of those varied beliefs and at a few non-canonical gospels. Then she will turn our attention to the key people and events which led to today's Christianity.

Kathy Tew Rickey is an ordained Unitarian Universalist (UU) minister. She serves the UU Congregation of Ormond Beach. Rev. Rickey has served congregations in Rochester, Syracuse, and Cortland, New York. She also served as a hospital chaplain in Rochester. Before becoming a minister, Rev. Rickey was a banking consultant and continuing education teacher. She raised two daughters and several dogs while living in various places in the Eastern U.S. Over the years, she has taught many adult and youth religious education courses in the context of congregational life.

> The Spirituality Traditions of Africa (webinar) Thursday, September 24 at 7 p.m. ET First in a Series of Lectures by Robert Whiting

Reserve your place and receive Zoom instructions by sending an e-mail to SpiritualityAACS@gmail.com

with the notation African Spirituality Zoom Meeting

When the missionaries came to Africa, they had the Bible and we had the land. They said, "Let us pray." We closed our eyes. When we opened them, we had the Bible and they had the land. - Bishop **Desmond Tutu**

What was the pre-colonial spirituality of Africa? To get a bit of a feel for the transition that Desmond Tutu refers to a bit tongue in cheek? For answers, join us at a series of lectures by Robert Whiting and/or read Chimamanda Ngozi Adichie's novel *The Purple Hibiscus*.

This series is offered by the African American Cultural Society and the Unitarian Universalists of Ormond Beach on Zoom with opportunities to dialog with other participants and the presenter.

Robert Whiting is an AACS Gold Lifetime Member. He has done over 30 years of research on Africa, particularly Nile Valley Civilizations. Mr. Whiting studied the Medu Netcher (Egyptian Hieroglyphs) under the tutelage of Ankh Mi Ra, the only African American to write a grammar book on this ancient African language. He has sat at the feet of some of the world's most preeminent African scholars and went on a study tour to Kemet (Egypt) with Dr. Charles Finch, an internationally renowned Nile Valley Civilization scholar and lecturer. Mr. Whiting has lectured in a variety of settings including universities, schools, churches, and community groups up and down the East Coast

-Submitted by Reinhold Schlieper



Virtual Course Offered by The Mountain Retreat and Learning Center:

Understand White Privilege and Become an Anti-racist.

A six-weeks series on Wednesdays from 12 noon – 1:30 p.m.

Sept. 23 – Oct. 28. Excellent teacher (ask Cathy Jackson for references)

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Learn how to Be More. Learn More. Do Better. Contact the link for more information on the Mountain programs: https://www.themountainrlc.org

From the UUCOB Board President



The UUCOB Board of Trustees will meet at 5:30 PM on the third Thursday of each month on an online media to be announced. In case you are interested, UUCOB members are welcome to attend an electronic meeting of the Board.

You will have to ask for access code to enter the meeting Please contact

President Julie Hilburn Julie Hilburn <juliehilburn26@gmail.com Next BOT meeting is September 17, 2020

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.

This Week at UUCOB is published every Friday a.m. Deadline for article submission to **bngreen@fastmail.us** is the Wednesday before.

Add <u>uucob@aol.com</u> the address we send it to you from, to your address book to reduce the risk of your mail client regarding it as spam'

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Office hours: Monday & Wednesday, 8:00-1:00; Tuesday & Thursday 2:00 - 6:30 p.m.

NOTE: Please remember that Cathy Jackson works from home during the above hours until further notice, and she will not be physically in the office. She will respond to you by checking voice-mail and emails. Thank you for your understanding.