

This Week at UUCOB

Members and Friends of the UU Congregation of Ormond Beach



This Week January 10, 2021 at UUCOB

9:15 Discussion Group, Topic: “What the Discussion Group Means to Me”

10:30 Service: — Rev. Kathy Rickey, “Moral Imagination and Risking the Impossible”

Contemporary ethicist, Sharon Welch speaks to the Ethics of Risk which is the practice of struggling for a better world even when there is no guarantee of improvement in our lifetime. To give up the struggle, she says, is the death of our moral imagination. How do we stay in struggle?

Service Leader: Rita Scheeler

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 Drive, Ormond Beach, FL 32176 marking the check -Offertory. Thank you very much!

[Dial-in & link plus Zoom instructions](#)

Or - Join Zoom Meeting below...

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From your Minister

Zoom Lunch with the Minister

Lunches will resume January 4, at noon on the same Zoom link.

Join Zoom Lunch Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86308788600?pwd=YWdCWdDdqOUp0SEh3OGUwVlJZS28vdz09>

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Racial Justice Programming for January

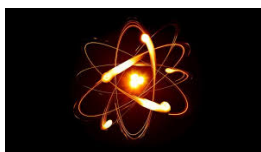
- all will be on Zoom with links sent out the week of each event and on the website.

- **Saturday., 16 Jan 2020, 10:00 a.m.:** 13th* (Netflix) Discussion facilitated by Rev Kathy
- **Wednesday, 20 Jan 2021, 4:00 p.m.:** “God’s Stepchildren” by Oscar Micheaux Film DVD, viewing and discussion presented by Reinhold Schlieper
- **Saturday, 23 Jan 2021, 10:00 a.m.:** Just Mercy* (Netflix) Discussion facilitated by Rev Kathy

***Note:** These films cannot be viewed on Zoom; please arrange to watch "13th" and "Just Mercy" prior to the meeting times.

LIFE LONG LEARNING 2021

Wednesday January 27, 2021 4:00 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. -Dr. Marion Fusco will present *Significance of Quantum Mechanics*.



This session will address the significance of Quantum mechanics, one of the most successful theories devised to explain the workings of the physical world. No experiment has ever contradicted a theoretical prediction, nor has quantum theory ever failed to account for an experimental finding. However, some of its features have been dubbed as "weird" or paradoxical, even by physicists, and tend by some people (usually non-physicists) to have implications for philosophy and spirituality. Examples

of this include questions regarding the nature of reality and interconnected particles. In contrast to New Age type ideas, mainstream physicists proceed cautiously here. This program, providing an overview of quantum physics, will discuss these fascinating issues.

Dr. Mario Fusco has had a distinguished career in physics. He received his Ph.D. in theoretical physics from the University of California at Davis. During his career with Lockheed Martin Missile and Space, Mario held leadership positions in research and management related to space programs, NASA, NATO, and the Department of Defense. He has also held adjunct professor positions at Stanford University, Menlo College, and San Jose State University. One of his interests is in the nature of possible relationships between theoretical physics and philosophical matters.

Member News

Last Day: The Estate Sale at 98 Royal Palm of Don and Evelyn Kennedy Sunday
January 10th from 10 to 3:00 p.m.

Member Service Offering: 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. Elliot

Please note cancellation:

The meeting of God's Bathhouse, scheduled for Friday January 15 at the UU Parking lot is cancelled. However, if you have gently used clothes or toiletry you would like to donate, please let Alliance liaison, Helen Casoli know- serindipity51@gmail.com (508)221-5336.

From your President

NOTE: The goal to open the church for folks to see the renovations in person must be delayed. We had hoped that by now we would be able to announce a date for Members to come and look around the building. Unfortunately, the Community Covid19 is too high for me to responsibly set a date. However, if as an individual or family unit you would like to tour the church and have an explanation of the choices of flooring, colors storage space usage etc., I am happy to arrange that tour for anyone. This way there will be no concentration of folks at one time. Please give me a call at 386-898-2644 or juliehilburn26@gmail.com and we will set a time. There are several folks who could conduct such a tour so we will be sure to accommodate everyone. Thanks for your patience, Julie Hilburn

We are continuing to clean and sort items in the church. If you would like to help, please call Susan Garrison (386) 265-1715, or Julie Hilburn – (386) 898-2644. We have jobs for all.

Please be careful. We are still in the midst of a pandemic. CDC guidelines **MUST** be observed.
-Susan and Julie

Guidelines for Renters and Congregation regarding church use.

Safety is our most important issue. Please schedule your time in the church with Cathy Jackson. If you plan to use the church, schedule with Cathy Jackson for a meeting to make sure that you will not run into another group. No more than one group will be scheduled at any given time frame.

You **MUST** follow CDC guidelines:

Wear a mask upon entering the church. Your Mask may be removed for deep breathing classes such as Yoga, meditation, etc. If you do not have a mask, **do not** enter the church. Local drugstores sell masks.

Wash your hands frequently. Bring your own hand sanitizer as ours has “walked away” at various times so we cannot guarantee that hand sanitizer will be present, **BUT** -one **hand sanitizer dispenser is located in the Kitchen.** Keep Social distance - even while you are wearing masks

SCHEDULE ALL EVENTS WITH CATHY JACKSON

If you go to the church at an unscheduled time and find a scheduled group present. Please return when there is no scheduled group present. Our finance and staff work in closed rooms with an outside door so they will come and go as needed. I know that these are really restrictive e guidelines but for now, we will all be safer and more comfortable .

Julie

DENOMINATIONAL AFFAIRS

UUA Presidents' Gatherings 2020-21

The Southern Region *Presidents' Gatherings* are an ONLINE space for Presidents, President-Elects, and Vice Presidents to create a community of learning and collaboration with each other and with Southern Region Staff. For the convenience of our lay leaders, two sessions are offered each month to increase accessibility. This series of gatherings is offered free of charge for APF Honor Congregations and is \$100 per congregation for non-Honor Congregations.

Download a printable flyer <https://uua.us16.list-manage.com/track/click?u=da5be642710e23e8410015108&id=b696cf1d5d&e=275efd7bba>.

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UUCOB is not on the APF Honor Congregation list.

Upcoming sessions and topics (Third Wednesdays at 7:00 PM ET or the following Thursdays at 12:00 PM ET): **January 20 & 21, *Shared Ministry*** Submitted by **John Horner, Denominational Affairs Chair**

Board of Trustee Meeting.

The meeting will take place **January 21, 2021 at 5:30 p.m.**

UU members are encouraged to attend. If you wish to attend, please contact - **President Julie Hilburn** <juliehilburn6@gmail.com> for the Zoom connection to the meeting.

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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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.