

This Week at UUCOB

Members and Friends of the UU Congregation of Ormond Beach



This Week at UUCOB August 18, 2019 Worship Service

9:15 a.m. Discussion Group – Topic TBA

10:30 a.m. Rev. Dr. James Shoopman, “Making a Life of Meaning”

Even in the pleasant world of Florida suburbs, people inevitably encounter pain, discouragement and reminders of their own mortality. In the face of these forces, Dr. Shoopman will share some thoughts on how we can all find joy, hope and wonderful moments of daily happiness as we live a life of meaning.

Service Leader: **Denise Carter**

SHARE THE PLATE: Journey's End Animal Sanctuary

EVENTS THIS WEEK

August 19, 2019

12:00 p.m.

Bag lunch w. Rev. Kathy

-Room 1

August 20, 2019

10:00 a.m.

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-Room 1

August 21, 2019

6:00 p.m.

Singing Circles

-Room 5

August 22, 2019

10:30 a.m.

Democracy Now

-Room 2

2:30 p.m.

Membership Meeting

-Room 1

7:00 p.m.

FAITH Board Meeting

UPCOMING EVENTS

OUR SHARE-THE-PLATE PARTNER FOR AUGUST —Journey's End Animal Sanctuary

Journey's End Animal Sanctuary is a non-profit organization ensuring that the lives of companion animals with special needs have humane surroundings and care. It is the last “forever home” for over 300 cats, dogs, and even some horses and pigs that have been abused, neglected or have special needs. Volunteers who interact with these very appreciative animals find it deeply rewarding. The bucolic grounds are serene and exceptionally well kept by a very dedicated staff. You can learn more and see photos of some of the “clients” at the Glenwood, Florida, sanctuary at their website: <http://journeysendsanctuary.org/>



Members of our UU Alliance visited the sanctuary and were moved to make it our "Share the Plate" partner. The sanctuary is a 501-c3 charity, and tax-deductible donations are their only income. Please be generous on August 18th as we share our offering with Journey’s End Animal Sanctuary.
Linda Kalaydjian

**RETREAT to THE MOUNTAIN in HIGHLANDS, NC Braving Space
Congregational Leadership Retreat with UUA Staff September 6 - 8, 2019**



“I long to be in a space where we can talk about deep things. Where we can talk about deep things. Where we can disagree and still love each other. I long to be in a space where we are not playing politics nor afraid to be ourselves.”

Come join Kathy McGowan and Connie Goodbread to help us create the space where we can go deep together, where no topic is taboo and discomfort can be leaned into and pushed through. Come to be whole and held in the arms of community as we talk of our deepest values, our fears and where we can deepen our spirituality and continue our evolving. Come let’s be amplifiers of all that we hold dear.

Weekend Package Rate:
\$180, double occupancy (with roommate) \$250, single occupancy (private room/no roommate) For more information and registration visit: themountainrlc.org/event/braving-space

UUCOB Special Programming for August

Most folks are skittish about death and that feeling is normal. However, it shouldn't paralyze us nor should it prevent us from doing some planning around the eventuality of becoming ill and dying. The best gift that you can give your family and loved ones before leaving this earth is to make your end-of-life preferences known in the event you cannot choose them for yourself.

That's why we are presenting programming in August which will include the following topics:

- **Wednesday, August 21**, 4:00 pm: Book discussion: "On Being Mortal" by Dr. Atul Gawande;
- **Wednesday August 28**, 4:00 pm: A facilitated discussion and completion of the booklet, "Five Wishes: with Janet Boes."

Please plan to attend as many events as possible. The last event which Janet Boes is presenting will be most useful in making your end-of-life issues known. --Rev. Kathy

Board Announcement:

The UUCOB Board of Trustees meets at 5:30 PM on the third Thursday of each month. Upcoming meeting dates for the Board are *August 15, September 19, and October 17*. All UUCOB members are welcome to attend meetings of the Board. Any member wishing to address the Board concerning an issue or concern should contact Preston Garrison <PJGarrisonPJG@aol.com> at least one week prior to the scheduled meeting. Due to time constraints, presentations are limited to 5 minutes.

CHOIR NEWS— Weekly Singing Circle and Music Jam

For the summer, choir members and others will continue to use the choir's Wednesday time and space as a singing circle and music jam time. We'll start at 6:00 p.m. ending at 7:30. All are welcome to come sing with us. We will use the time to try out new songs and music, work on hymns from the teal hymnal, and try out some chants according to interests. Ludy Goodson will facilitate so that all who come can participate.



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.

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