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CALENDAR OF EVENTS



CALLING ALL SINGERS!

FRIDAY, JUNE 17 AT 6:30 PM

You don't have to be a pro to sing with us. We're welcoming all singers – new, old, experienced, or not – to join us in the sanctuary to rev up our choir again! Come, sing, use up some oxygen, and have a great time with us. Very informal. Just show up!

*Jane Kittner
Music Instigator*

VEGANS & VEGETARIANS LUNCHEON

SATURDAY, JUNE 18 AT NOON

If you're a vegan or vegetarian – or interesting in learning more about a plant-based lifestyle, join us this jolly group of people who'll welcome you with open arms. First timers need not bring any dish to share. But sharing can be as simple as a bowl of watermelon, cantaloupe, grapes, carrots ... or a vegan casserole. Pitch in to set up and clean up, amidst feasting on culinary delights. The real McCoy.

LOOKING FOR IDEA PEOPLE & PLANNERS

SUNDAY, JUNE 19, 9:30 TO 10:20 AM

This Sunday we will hold an initial meeting for UUFW members and friends (current and former leaders are especially encouraged to join us), who are interested in Religious Education and/or anti-racism work. Our long-term intention is to foster individual spiritual growth and to expand beloved community, both within UUFW and beyond our doors. Your questions, input and participation are vitally important. We look forward to this conversation with you.

*Bruce Allen
Adult RE Coordinator*

WORSHIP WITH US ON SUNDAY

SUNDAY, JUNE 19, 11:00 TO NOON

Victoria Volker (M. Div | Iliff School of Theology) will be back to offer her unique insights and thoughts, reflecting on "*How Can We Live Well When This Is Our World?*" Lee VanWagner will be our Celebrant. Childcare is available for anyone needing it. Join us for snacks after church. To watch the service from home, link to the church's Facebook Live event (you'll see a notification: UUFW Live Streaming Service) or connect from our website @ <https://www.uuwaco.org>.

“MEDITATE AND AGE GRACEFULLY”

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 22, NOON TO 1:00 PM

Find your mantra with Becky Warren. We meet in the Sofa Room at the Fellowship.

WE APPRECIATE OUR WONDERFUL KITCHEN CREWS

LINE-UP FOR THIS SUNDAY, JUNE 19

Volunteers for this Sunday: Marty and Lee VanWagner for set-up and snacks; and Sara and Andy Hudson for clean-up. A big thanks to Laura and Jennifer Farley (and many other contributors) for last Sunday’s goodies and service, and to Bryan Brown, and Susie and Gary Raines for cleaning up. Please sign up for future Sundays in the kitchen. Just a single week is all we need. We especially need volunteers for our **7/9 ICE CREAM SOCIAL!**

ACCEPTING DONATIONS FOR CARITAS



Caritas of Waco has served local families for over 53 years - fighting poverty and food insecurity by providing access to vital resources to the most vulnerable. Their ultimate goal is to help clients move from dependency on assistance, to a greater level of self-reliance. This is done by Caritas providing access to the education, tools and resources needed to be stable long-term. Please bring cereal, other non-perishable food items, and/or cash or checks to place into the red plastic bin in the church foyer. UUFW will also “Share the Plate” throughout June with the “Caritas Fan Club.” The 30% who live in poverty in our community can receive fans to help cool their homes, as well as assistance with their utility bills. Donate any amount to help our community. If donating by check, please make it out to *Caritas*.

“BECOMING UU” WORKSHOP

SAT., JULY 23, 9:30 AM TO NOON

Have you been thinking about joining our “Welcoming Congregation” at UU Waco? You’d certainly be welcomed to join us for a half-day information session called “Becoming UU”. Please sign up in advance c/o anita.knight@uwaco.org.



DEAR READERS: We’re always looking for stories, announcements, trivia, and articles for the Big Blue Phrog Newsletter. AND we’re looking for a newsletter writer or apprentice / assistant. Contact anita.knight@uwaco.org.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR FOR UU WACO’S FIRST EVER ICE CREAM SOCIAL : SATURDAY, JULY 9TH. MORE DETAILS COMING . YOU WON’T WANT TO MISS IT !

