

CONNECTIONS

**UNITARIAN UNIVERSALISTS
OF CENTRAL DELAWARE**
A Welcoming Congregation
Chartered 2009



Sunday Services

Save These Dates

Mon 9/4
DIMH dinner
Head Chef: Leigh Hesselstine

Wed 9/6, 7pm
Mindfulness Meditation at
CBS

Sun 9/17, 11.30am
Social Justice Committee
meeting

Sat 9/16, 9-noon
Coastal Cleanup

Wed 9/20, 6.30-8
Board Meeting at CBS

9/3 THE DANGERS OF USING PEOPLE AND LOVING THINGS
ALISSA BENNETT

Alissa will share her recent struggles with materialism, and discuss how it applies not only to items but also to people.

9/10 INGATHERING/WATER COMMUNION
REV GREG CHUTE

We'll inaugurate our new Fall Season Theme of "An Examined Life" by asking everyone to bring in Sacred or Special Water to bless our community during the service. The invitation is to reflect on what makes something "Sacred" or "Special?" and what blessings we would want for our community.

SOCIAL JUSTICE SUNDAY
OFFERING GOES TO MEALS ON WHEELS

MUSAR

9/17 RABBI PEGGY DEPROPHETIS

The Jewish practice of Musar focuses on living a more conscientious life and being aware of the world around you and your responsibilities to that world. It helps us to become more of a "mensch," a person of integrity and honor.

**9/24 A CRITIQUE OF
PURE REASON**
REV GREG CHUTE

That is the title of Immanuel Kant's famous essay in which he extols reason but also identifies a shortcoming. If reason can only take us so far, how can we/do we know anything?

GUEST MUSICIAN: DR. MIKE ARENSON

AN *take a look at yourself
and make that change*
EXAMINED
LIFE

UUCD
Fall 2017



Helping out at Habitat for Humanity

A NOTE FROM OUR PRESIDENT



The board had our first meeting this month to start the year. We agreed on the areas of oversight for the next year. If you have

ideas or concerns in a certain area and do not know who to talk with please ask. The main areas are Communications - Jayce, Fellowship - Sandy, Finances- Cade, Worship - Honey, Religious

Education - Sara, and Social Justice - Julie. We also made a small change to our meeting schedule, meetings will still be the third Wednesday of the month, but we will start at 6:30 and finish by 8:00. Our next meeting is September 20 at 6:30.

I hope everyone has had a wonderful summer, its been very full of trips and work for us all. As our summer ends I want to say thank you to all the hard work building relationships and making stronger connections. I have loved working together in the habitat house, representing at the Pride day and enjoying a meal with my Central UU Extended Family. Hope all will be able to continue growing as the loving community we are.

-Kerry



Garrett Martin (6???????)

Michael Tucker (2), Alexis Hamilton (11),
Michael Martin (19)



where have we been?

Pride Festival



basket weaving class

Services



Worship Committee meeting



where are we going?

On a bus trip to a Saturday opera matinee at the Met in NY?
If interested contact Greg.

Off to play bridge. If interested contact Greg.

Delaware Coastal Cleanup on September 16th. Register through DNREC



Ten year old wicker sofa and chair, gently worn but still servicable.

If interested

contact Greg

FREE TO A GOOD HOME, OR FOR A DONATION TO UUCD LEAP OF FAITH



Delmarva Nikephoros Proto-Demos of Hellenion is an active local Pagan group. Contact Alex Conall for more information.

They are having a ritual in honor of Demeter, Persephone, and Hades inspired by the Eleusinian Mysteries on 10 September.

Thank you to everyone who provided coffee hour in August!

FELLOWSHIP SCHEDULE

9/3:

Cindy and Gloria

9/10

YOU???

9/17:

Ricky Shehorn

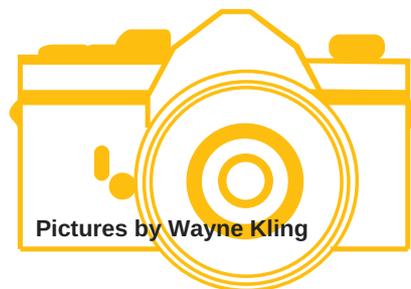
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Ed and Sally



Questions? Comments? Advice?

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