

The St. Louis Unitarian

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Worship, RE and Nursery 10:00 a.m.

JUNE 2016 WORSHIP INFORMATION

June 5— "RE Sunday: Lifelong Spiritual Growth"

Lynn Hunt, Credentialed Religious Educator

Lynn Hunt, our Director of Lifespan Religious Education, will lead us in considering the centrality of religious education to our religious lives and celebrate all who have, during the past year, helped develop minds and spirits of every age.

June 12— "Question Box: Questions Before Answers"

Rev. Thomas Perchlik

What is the role of questions in religion? Do you seek ultimate and universal answers? Perhaps you should be looking at what questions drive you. Today Rev. Perchlik will explore the role of questions in our religious seeking, and will share questions provided by the people of this church. He may answer some of those questions, but the questions are first.

June 19— "Saying GoodBye"

Brian Mason, Ministerial Intern

Please join me for my final homily as the Lewis Ministerial Intern, when I will reflect on the ten months I've spent here at the First Unitarian Church of St. Louis.

June 26—"The End is Where We Start From"

Rev. Thomas Perchlik

This famous line from T.S. Eliot's Four Quartets speaks to the ending of a ministerial relationship as well as to other endings in general. Today Reverend Perchlik will give his final sermon to us and inspire us to make a new beginning in the life of the congregation of First Unitarian of Saint Louis.

**Designated
Collections
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**Newsletter
Deadline
June 12**



**June 5
All Church
BBQ**



**FAIR
TRADE
COFFEE
SALES**

JUNE 5, 19



MINISTER'S COLUMN

Now, as we draw towards the end of my formal role as lead minister of First Unitarian Church, it has been an honor and a pleasure to be your minister. There is an old saying that all ministers have a choice: they can leave too soon, or they can leave too late. In many ways, my ending with you seems too soon, which is good.

I will be in the Pulpit here until June 22. One of my favorite sermons in June will be inspired by The Question Box. The box is red and decorated like a cardinal. It sits this year in Fellowship Hall until June 6. Next to it is a sheet of paper strips on which you can write a question.

Write any question you wish. The questions can be frivolous or serious. They can be answerable or not. Any question is welcome. On June 12 I will read those questions as part of my sermon.

After leaving, I will hold to my covenant with all other UU ministers, which states:

“There should be no intentional or ministerial contact between a departing minister and members, staff or clients of congregations, agencies or enterprises they have served until there can be a covenant expressed in a Letter of Understanding between predecessor and subsequent ministers.”

During July I will be traveling; I might be able to respond to email or calls during that month. In respect for the covenant, after August 1st I will not respond to any contact from you. You can send me a birthday wish or holiday card, but without an agreement with your new minister, I will not return that contact. The reason for this rule is to set clear boundaries on each ministry, and to allow you to make more room in your hearts for your new minister.

Do know this-- I will always remain connected to you. I will be happy to hear what you accomplish as a congregation, I will be sad to hear of your difficulties, I will always be glad to be associated with Saint Louis, and especially proud to be identified with the vital community that is First Unitarian.

—Yours in Peace,
Thomas



2016 Canvass Update

In the words of Reverend S.J. Wolfe:
“We give...not be-

cause our giving makes the church possible; we give because the church helps make the flowers of love, justice, dignity and peace possible.”

The highlight of this year’s canvass campaign was our Celebration Brunch on April 10. The canvass committee undertook many initiatives leading up to the Brunch. A column entitled “Money Matters” was included in every issue of the Newsletter beginning in November. We drew additional attention to the canvass in the yellow sheet that accompanies the Sunday Order of Service. Affirmations were delivered from the pulpit as were announcements by members of the Canvass Committee, members of the congregation, and Rev. Perchlik. Canvass updates appeared on the Church website. A clever musical pitch was presented by the AcUustics as a Sunday announcement. Balloons floated at the Canvass Table in Fellowship Hall and raindrops were visible nearby indicating names of all who had turned in pledge cards.

As of May 20, \$359,964 is pledged. This figure represents pledges from 182 households—both members and friends. It

includes 13 first-time pledgers. Also, this dollar amount represents an average increase of 3% for those who pledged last year. **There are 80 member households who have not yet pledged. Throughout the balance of the current fiscal year ending June 30, the canvass committee and members of the board will be making direct appeals to all who have not yet responded to the campaign. We hope to reach a goal of \$395,000.**

I would like to recognize and thank the members of the Canvass Committee for their commitment, dedication, enthusiasm and hard work this year: Lori Calcaterra, Sarah Dashner, Larry Dusenbery, Lynn Hunt, Emily Jaycox, Rosemary Lawton, Judy Meyer, Carolyn Toft, Rev. Perchlik, the entire office staff, and those who helped with the brunch and letter mailings. We thank those who wrote pieces for the newsletter and who gave affirmations on Sunday mornings. We appreciate the follow-up phone calls made by church board members.

Finally, we thank all those members and friends who have responded to “April Showers.” Your contributions make possible full and rich programming this next year.

**Your Canvass Team
Jeanette Myers, Chair**

SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY

DESIGNATED COLLECTIONS: As a way of putting our faith into action, we as a church periodically dedicate one of our collections to a worthy non-profit or church program. June's designated collections are Immigrant and Refugee Women's Program (June 5th) and Giant Steps of St. Louis (June 19th).



The IRWP mission is to increase the independence and reduce the isolation of immigrant and refugee women by teaching them basic English and practical living skills in the security of their own homes. When ready, volunteers also work with the women in preparation for the U.S. citizenship process. IRWP was established in 1995 and obtained 501 C 3 status in 2006. Refer to their web site www.irwp.net for more information. This recipient was nominated by church member Susan Davis.



The mission of Giant Steps of St. Louis is to empower children with autism spectrum disorders to participate fully in all aspects of life, including home, community, and education. The program serves children and their families who are not able to make progress in their public school's general or special education programs and summer campers who are not eligible to participate in other camps. They offer parent education and support groups, in-service and classroom

training for public schools, and home visits as needed. www.giantsteps-stlouis.org provides information on how to become involved. This recipient was nominated by church member Dorothea Mostello.

Nomination Period Now Open For Special Collection Designees for 2016-17

Each year First Church members have the opportunity to nominate community non-profits as recipients of First Church Sunday Designated Collections. Selected organizations receive an entire Sunday collection and are chosen based on a variety of factors including consistency with First Church mission and values, core focus and connection to First Church. This year nominations will be accepted from June 1 through July 17th following which selections will be made by the Social Responsibility committee and submitted to the Board for approval.

Information on selection criteria, process and nomination forms are available for downloading from the First Church web site file cabinet. Completed nomination forms, or requests for information, should be forwarded by July 17th to: social.responsibility@firstuustlouis.org.

—Donald Jeffries, Chair
Social Responsibility Committee

First Church Food Project

Your donation of canned meats, fish and stews as well as jars of peanut butter and boxes of powdered milk can help individuals in need feed themselves and their loved ones. Donations of personal care products: soaps, body washes, toothpaste and toothbrushes, as well as deodorant and shampoos, are also welcome.

Donated items are taken to the Trinity Food Pantry, CRC, or Gateway 180. Please help us reach out to our local community and make an impact. All donated items may be left in the collection baskets in our Ramp room outside of Fellowship Hall.

-First Church SRC



**Newsletter Deadline:
Sunday, June 12**

**Newsletter Folding
Tuesday, June 20**

ERDE

Erde is having a summer solstice celebration on Sunday June 26th at 11:30am in Hope Chapel. Our theme will be "Celebrating our Strengths". We will have a short ritual in the Chapel followed by a potluck in Fellowship Hall. For more information email Danielle at danikozem@gmail.com.





FAIR TRADE COFFEE SALES

June 5 and June 19

Remember that we now accept *credit and debit cards* as payment through PayPal, in addition to cash and checks. All Fair Trade products sold at First Church support small-scale farmers and their local cooperatives in the authentic Fair Trade model. Thank you for being a part of this. It matters.



QUESTION BOX

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decorated like a cardinal. It sits in Fellowship Hall until June 6. Next to it is a sheet of paper strips on which you can write a question. Write any question you wish. The questions can be frivolous or serious. They can be answerable or not. Any question is welcome. I will read those questions as part of my sermon on June 12.

Covenant Groups



In Covenant Groups people come together in a circle of trust, in covenant, to be in right relation with one another with respect and care. We cultivate deep listening as each person takes a turn in a sacred space to express what stirs in them about the topic of the session. The careful listening enriches the lively back and forth interchange that follows. If you would like more information about joining a group you can: sign up in Fellowship Hall, call the Faith Development Office (314-361-0595 ext 25) or send a message through the website (<http://www.firstuustlouis.org/engaging/covenant-groups>)

Special thanks to all of our Covenant Group Facilitators. They put a lot of thought and care into facilitating these monthly meetings – **Peggy Feinberg, Susan Knoll, Emily and Jeremy Colton, Susan Kelley, Stan Veyhl, Terry Yokota, Dan Franklin, Kathy McVoy (retired), Susan Novak Tibbet, Meghan Garvey, Alicia Claire Lloyd and Victoria Bonvento.**

Transition/Interim Minister

The Policy Board is pleased to announce that Rev. Gary James will be joining First UU later this summer as our transition/interim minister. While there will be other opportunities to learn more about him, here are some highlights:



He has been the settled minister for two congregations, for five years in Ohio and for more than twenty years in the northern Chicago suburbs. He has experience with larger and smaller congregations than ours, and has helped both to grow.

He was our first Lewis Ministerial Intern!

He studied for several years at Washington University, so knows St. Louis (and our church) as a result of that time.

He has been living in Oregon with his wife Julie Martin. They are excited about moving to St. Louis for this work, as she has family in the area.

He is a very skilled preacher and also brings background in the work we will be doing to prepare for our next settled minister relationship.

The Policy Board is still working out details of when Rev. James will visit and when he and Julie will be settled here, and will share information as soon as it is available. We hope everyone will take advantage of the forthcoming opportunities to meet them and welcome them to our church home and our city!

LIFESPAN FAITH DEVELOPMENT

LYNN HUNT,
CREDENTIALLED RELIGIOUS EDUCATOR

Super Special Thank You to everyone who taught in the Children and Youth program this year. I hope you will thank these people as well! It has been great supporting such talented, committed and creative people. Hope you will join us for the RE Sunday Service when we will, as a congregation, thank these people:

Teachers and Advisers: **Karen Siegrist, Lynda Mueller-Drendel, Katy Wittwer, Steve Wilke, Claire Weichselbaum, Susan Herzberg, Joel Minor, Shannon O'Boyle, Jason McLure, Amanda Kracen, Kathy Wilke, Dan Wilke, Danielle Kozemczak, Grace Munie, Janet Oriatti, Tara Perry, Jan Herzog, Jon Fisher, Kevin Pumm, Brian Mason, Sarah Francois, Noah Durham, Laurel Heddens, Heidi Meister, Ben Rosensweig, Sara Park, Vicky Bonvento.**

Mentors: **Lynda Mueller-Drendel, Catherine Hunter, T.J. Hunter, Amy Genova and Heidi Meister. Thanks 2015/2016 Team!**

-- Lynn Hunt

Summer is upon us! Here are some Religious Education programming and activity notes on ways you can start the summer season with your friends at church:



**All Church BBQ
Sunday June 5th,
11:15am**

Plan to stay after the RE Sunday church service and enjoy a great BBQ sponsored by the

incoming Coming of Age class. The BBQ is a fundraiser for the Boston Trip (graduates of the Coming of Age class take a trip to Boston to visit sites important to the birth of American Unitarianism) and a thank you to all the teachers. (\$5.00 for Adults and \$3 for children 12 and younger) Enjoy!



Up Coming Religious Education Programs for Adults and Youth

Great Books Discussion Group

Please note that the Great Books discussion group will resume in September 2016.

Sunday, June 19th
Summer RE Begins
(Please note – childcare only on
Sunday June 12th)

Summer Religious Education classes begin on Sunday, June 19th at 10:00am. Children will begin the morning in the Sanctuary and then join their summer class groups. The theme of this summer's class is "Getting to Know Our Gardens." Each session will focus on one of the RE Gardens: Bible Lands, Teddy Bear, UU Gardeners, Senses, Stone Soup, Rainbow and Three Sisters. These classes will build on our value of caring for the earth and exploring our interconnectedness with the natural world. Outdoor activities and gardening will be a regular activity of the program.

Please consider helping out with this fun and engaging program.

The Pre-School class will have a similar theme with the children exploring the natural wonders of our world. Nursery care also available during the summer session.

Book Discussion
***Just Mercy* by Bryan Stevenson**
Sponsored by Towards Justice
June 2, 9, 16 at 7:00pm

We will ultimately not be judged by our technology, we won't be judged by our design, we won't be judged by our intellect and reason. Ultimately, you judge the character of a society by how they treat the poor, the condemned, the incarcerated. – Bryan Stevenson

Just Mercy: A Story of Justice and Redemption by Bryan Stevenson (2014, Spiegel & Grau, an imprint of Random House) is this year's selection for the Unitarian Universalist Common Read. Stevenson, founder of the Equal Justice Initiative, has dedicated his legal career to defending those who are trapped by an often capricious, political, and willfully unjust criminal justice system - poor people, people of color, children, and others over whom the system has run roughshod. It speaks to justice, mercy, and compassion, themes of concern to us as Unitarian Universalists and as human beings (text from the UUA website). Sign-up in Fellowship Hall and contact Lynn Hunt if you need assistance obtaining a copy of the book.

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Trip to Transylvania

Excitement is beginning to mount as September's trip to Transylvania is getting closer! As of the May 1 deadline, the entire group is now composed of 25 people: ten from First Church, thirteen from Eliot Chapel, and two from Milford, New Hampshire. Travelers from First Church are: Stan and Claire Birge, Tom and Judi Crouch, Peggy Feinberg, Gwenne and Joel Hickman, Liz Oldham, and Laura and Zach Zacher.

The two groups from First Church and Eliot Chapel had their first joint meeting on Saturday, May 7. It was a chance to meet and greet each other, to find out a little about each of the participants, and to discuss details about the logistics of the trip. In particular, flight arrangements and payment deadlines were discussed. As is typical of UU's, the travelers are a congenial group with diverse interests, which promises to make the trip even more interesting. Can you believe that several of them bonded over ice skating/ice dancing? This indeed will be a great group!

For those of us preparing for the trip--or for anyone curious to find out more about Transylvania and Romania--here is a reading list of potential interest:

In Europe's Shadow: Two Cold Wars and a Thirty-Year Journey through Romania and Beyond, by Robert D. Kaplan

Comrade Baron, A Journey through the Vanishing World of the Transylvanian Aristocracy, by Jaap Scholten

Transylvanian Trilogy, by Banffy

Happy reading!

—Gwenne Hickman

UU Partner Church Council hiring part-time staff

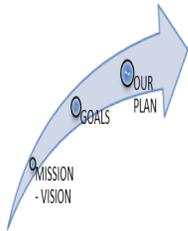
The UU Partner Church Council is moving its office from Boston to the Eden campus in Webster Groves. They are seeking a half-time Office Manager and a quarter-time office assistant. The UUPCC will pay competitive wages including paid time off, and the hours have some flexibility within weekday business hours.

Here's a link to information about the Office Manager position: <http://www.theromegroup.com/Default.aspx?tabid=105&jobid=5725>

Here's a link to information about the Office Assistant position: <http://www.theromegroup.com/Default.aspx?tabid=105&jobid=5725>

For more information or to apply, please contact Rev. Roger Bertschhausen at roger@uupcc.org.

GROWING OUR FUTURE...



Long Range Planning at First Unitarian

It's not just about the money! Yes, the long range planning goals that were approved by the Policy Board and Church Council this past month had some important goals that will help us achieve the finances required to maintain the kind of church that keeps you coming back. But more importantly we have identified some other goals that will help us achieve our mission and move us forward in our vision – to make it the church you want it to be. Our next steps will be working with the Policy Board and Church Council to prioritize these goals over the next few years and create plans to achieve them. We will need all of your help.

Having Rev. Thomas decide to relocate his minister duties to the west coast was certainly not part of our planning! As we move through a transition stage of working with an interim minister and finding a settled minister, planning and realizing our future will become even more important.

If you did not receive our “Long Range Planning Update Report” at the annual meeting, please contact the church office or pick one up in Fellowship Hall after the service. It will be available at the committee tables.

I would again like to thank those who have worked hard over the past two years in shaping a Long Range Planning Process as well as identifying our planning goals.

Phase One - Data Collection - Strengths, Weakness, Opportunities, Threats-Focus Group/Analysis

Charles Deal, Jama Dodson, Tony Fathman, Rev Thomas Perchlik, Paulita Pranschke Woody Sullivan, Stan Veyhl. And all of the committees, individuals that provided input.

Phase Two – Analysis/Vision Identification/ Goal Selection and approval

Tony Fathman, Susan Lammert, Dan Livengood, Alicia Claire Lloyd, Karen Siegrist, Rev Thomas Perchlik, Stan Vehyl, The Policy Board, The Church Council.

– Larry Dusenbery

RECYCLING



Don't forget....the church belongs to a recycling

program with **Quill**, our office supply company. The church receives rebates for recycling inkjet cartridges. Recycle bins are found in the copy area of the church office.



**DON'T FORGET
TO LIKE US,
FOLLOW US
AND CHECK-IN
ON
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OPPORTUNITIES FOR FITNESS: BODY, MIND AND SOUL....

QIGONG OFFERED AT FIRST UU

- **Qigong** combines mindful, gentle, physical postures and movements with meditation, breath-work, sounds (mantras) and self-massage techniques to revitalize your Vital Life Force energies and to enhance physical, emotional, mental, and spiritual healing.
- **Qigong** techniques help to dissolve accumulated stress and fatigue, increase energy, and strengthen the immune system.
- Accumulated daily practice of **Qigong** movements and meditation build up a storehouse of Qi energy and also lead to enhanced concentration, improved mental focus, and greater intuitive functioning.



*Hour long Qigong classes on Tuesdays
at 2pm in Hope Chapel.*

These are pay-as-you-can classes.



TOASTMASTERS CLUB

Join us each first and third Sunday at 7 p.m. in the Clark Room. For information contact Stan Veyhl at (314) 863-3229 or sveyhl@earthlink.net.

DO YOU SHOP ON-LINE?



When making your on-line purchases be sure to log on to GoodSearch.com. Search for your items through Good Search, each search earns money for First Unitarian Church. The potential is SO MUCH higher...cost to you...ZERO!

Simply go to the GoodSearch website, log-on and input "First Unitarian Church of St. Louis" into the field that asks for what group you want to support. It's that easy.

It's a free and easy way to raise money for our church and get some of your shopping finished.

Each month, GoodSearch sends the church a check!



Don't forget to use your eScrip card when shopping at Schnucks. The church receives a percentage each time you shop. Don't have an eScrip Card? Stop by the sign-up table in Fellowship Hall and pick up one this Sunday. Simply register on-line and you are ready to earn money for First Unitarian Church.

ROAD TO MEMBERSHIP



Anyone who wishes to join our congregation as a member may sign the membership book on the last Sunday of each month shortly after the service.

The minister or a board officer (President, Church Council Chair, Secretary or Treasurer) will meet you on the Sanctuary chancel.

We welcome you to our religious community

JOYS AND CONCERNS FROM MAY 2016

Let us keep in our minds all who live with grief or joy this day, those who are healing from illness or surgery and those who have family members who are ill.

—**Marietta Hunsche** passed away on Sunday April 17 at age 102. Marietta served this congregation with distinction in many roles: Church Secretary, first woman Board President, Women's Alliance President, and Op Shop Coordinator, to mention a few.

—We extend our condolences to **Dana Hunsche** and **Julie Hasenstab**, Marietta's son and daughter-in-law, Adam Arnold, her grandson, a former member and Board President; Robbie Myers and Judi L'Hommedieu, her granddaughters; and the extended family. The family requested that memorial bequests be made to the Women's Alliance Scholarship Fund.

—**Carol Washburne**, a former long-term member, passed away April 15 in Urbana, IL. We extend condolences to her daughter, Shelly Masar, in Urbana, IL, her son, Ted Washburne in Portland, Oregon and their extended family.

—**Robert Murphy**, is another long-term member who recently passed away. His life was celebrated with a Memorial Service Saturday morning, April 30. We extend our condolences to family and friends.

—**Carolyn Nolan** has been diagnosed with cancer. Please keep Carolyn and Mike in your thoughts. At this time she would appreciate cards, but not calls or visits.

—Our condolences go out to **Paula Hanssen** who's father, Paul Hanssen, passed away on Sunday the 24th; Paula went to be with her family in the Dallas Ft. Worth area. Please keep her in your thoughts and prayers.

—**Bobbie Fernandes Brantley's** son, **Omar Albert Fernandes**, graduated with honors from Penn State with a Bachelors of Science in Engineering.

—We share in the joy of our Administrator, **Yvette Clemons' son**, Damon Clemons II, graduating with honors with two Bachelors of Science degrees from Fisk University in Information Technology and Mathematics. In addition, Damon was inducted into the Honor Society for College students.

MEMORIALS AND SPECIAL GIFTS TO THE CHURCH

THANK YOU FOR THE FOLLOWING SPECIAL DONATIONS:

- A total of \$508.40 was donated to Designated Collections on April 3 for **Gateway Greening**.
- A total of \$570.10 was donated to Designated Collections on April 17 for **Prison Performing Arts**
- A total of \$402.00 was donated to Designated Collections on May 1 for **Places for People**.

CALENDAR AT A GLANCE

Please keep in mind that the calendar is updated daily and does not show outside rentals. Refer to the Web Site calendar for up-to-date information.

Wednesday, June 1

7:30 p.m. - Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, June 2

5:00 p.m. - Facilities Meeting (C1)

Sunday, June 5

RE Sunday BBQ

Designated Collection: Immigrant & Refugee

Women/Fair Trade Coffee

10:00 a.m. - Worship Service (S)
11:15 a.m. - New to First U Covenant Group, C8
11:30 a.m. - Writing Group (CLK)
7:00 p.m. - Toastmasters (CLK)

Tuesday, June 7

2:00 p.m. - Qigong Class (CH)
7:00 p.m. - UU Buddhist Group (CH)

Wednesday, June 8

7:30 p.m. - Choir Rehearsal

Sunday, June 12

RE Break— No classes, childcare only

Newsletter Deadline

9:00 a.m. - Sandwich Making for the Homeless
10:00 a.m. - Worship Service (S)
11:30 a.m. - Knitting Ministry (C7)
11:30 a.m. - Canvass Meeting (C1)
11:30 a.m. - Young Adult Planning Meeting (DR)

Tuesday, June 14

2:00 p.m. - Qigong Class (CH)
6:30 p.m. - Policy Board Meeting (C1)
6:30 p.m. - Buddhist Book Discussion (CH)

Wednesday, June 15

7:30 p.m. - Choir Rehearsal

Sunday, June 19

Summer RE Begins/Designated Collection:

Giant Steps/ Fair Trade Coffee

10:00 a.m. - Worship Service (S)
11:30 a.m. - Emily-Jeremy Colton Covenant Gr. (C7)
11:30 a.m. - Kelley/Veyhl Covenant Group (C8)
11:30 a.m. - Feinberg Covenant Group (DR)
7:00 p.m. - Toastmasters (CLK)

Tuesday, June 20

9:30 a.m. - Newsletter Fold (C1)
2:00 p.m. - Qigong Class (CH)
6:30 p.m. - Finance Committee (C1)
7:00 p.m. - MWM Men's Group (CLK)
7:00 p.m. - Library Committee
7:00 p.m. - UU Buddhist (CH)

Wednesday, June 22

7:30 p.m. - Choir Rehearsal

Friday, June 24

6:00 p.m. - Young Adult Vespers Fellowship (CH)

Sunday, June 26

9:00 a.m. - Sandwich Making for the Homeless
10:00 a.m. - Worship Service (S)
11:30 a.m. - Canvass Meeting (C1)

Tuesday, June 28

2:00 p.m. - Qigong Class (CH)
6:30 p.m. - Church Council (C1)

Wednesday, June 29

7:30 p.m. - Choir Rehearsal

For updates to the church calendar visit

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