



Your Weekly Newsletter for Upcoming Events

the SUUNday Focus

January 2, 2011

Upcoming Services

Sunday Services at 9:15 & 11 am

January 9	Rev. Hollis Bredeweg	<i>When You Fall Off a Horse...</i>
January 16	Rev. Hollis Bredeweg	<i>The King's Speech</i>
January 23	Rev. Tracy Springberry	<i>Welcoming the Stranger</i>
January 30	Jerry and Julie Jose	<i>Partner Church Sunday</i>

Notices & Upcoming Events


Guest at Your Table Boxes

Remember your Guest at Your Table box? Please bring it back to church next Sunday, January 9. Someone brought in a box so full it had to be taped with duct tape! We will also take checks or cash with or without a box. Remember, you are collecting money to help the UUSC advance human rights and social justice around the world. Pretty awesome isn't it! Thank you for participating!

From the Healthy Relations Team

Grief, Loss, and Resiliency discussions beginning Saturday, January 8th from 11 am — 2 pm. Learn ways to affirm or reconstruct a personal world of meaning that has been challenged by loss. Please contact team members; Molly Huss mahuss16@hotmail.com or George Girvin girvingw@comcast.net to register.

CUUPS News: Spiritual Scouts for Youth

 Spiral Scouts International, an open and inclusive alternative scouting program for boys and girls ages 3-18 and their families, is starting up in conjunction with our CUUPS groups. We are looking for youth and adult volunteers. More info contact Nadrah Strong at 509-435-6423 or www.spiralscouts.org.

Special Collection Results:

Minister's Discretionary Fund

Thanks to the abundant generosity of our congregation, the special collection on January 19 increased the Minister's Discretionary Fund by \$3783.

Upcoming UU Women Events



**Sunday, January 9,
12:30 pm, Thoreau Room**
Monthly get together.

Lunch (brown bag) after the second service. A time

to talk with one another, to become better acquainted. A time to discuss ways we might become more active in the church and the community.

Wednesday, January 12, 11:30 am.

Lunch at Pho Van at 2090 North Division. Please join us if you would enjoy having lunch with other UU Women. No reservations. This is a "just show up" adventure. Hope we will see YOU!

Monday, January 17, Celebrate Martin Luther King Day.

Walk in the MLK parade carrying the UU Church banner. Everyone in the church is invited to join us in this public show of support for civil rights for all. Call Judy Gammon for time.

UU Women is a chapter of the UU Women's Federation. For more information please call Judy Gammon at 363-0535.

News from the Adult Enrichment Team

✦ "Educational Options In Spokane" — Informal Discussion Group

Sunday, 9-10:30 am • Jan 9 • Cummings Room

Attention parents/guardians of young children! Are you confused about what will be the best educational options for your little bundle of joy in Spokane? Get the low down on public, private, home schooling and a program called "Running Start" from some UU parents who are willing to share their experiences and answer your questions. More information contact Deanna Fendler (509-835-5011/deannafendler@hotmail.com)

✦ "A Chosen Faith" — Book Discussion Group

Sundays, 9-10:30 am • Jan 16 through Feb 27 • Cummings Room

What does it mean to be a Unitarian Universalist? What are our seven principles? What are the six sources of our faith? For the answers to these questions and more, don't miss the Book Discussion Group for *A Chosen Faith: An Introduction to Unitarian Universalism* by John A Buehrens & Forrest Church. Books cost \$15 each. Scholarships and free child care may be available with advance registration. Registration/more info contact Rosemarie Duffy (509-747-9010/ rduffy129@aol.com) or Deanna Fendler (509-835-5011/deannafendler@hotmail.com)

✦ Save the Date! Ethical Eating Community Dinner & Discussion

Put Saturday, Jan 22 at 6 pm on your calendars now because you won't want to miss the Ethical Eating community dinner and discussion. Tickets will be available Sunday 1/9 and Sunday 1/16 in the back of the Sanctuary for \$10 each or \$30/family. Tickets at the door will be \$15 each. 30% of proceeds will benefit PEACH and One World Spokane! Questions? Contact Ann-Scott Ettinger, bark4snow@comcast.net

from the Administrator

✦ 2011 Calendars Need for the Office

Don't recycle those free 2011 calendars you've been receiving. Bring them to the church office and we will put them to good use all throughout the New Year!



✦ Sermons On-Line Update

For those who want to listen to sermons on their mobile devices, have we got a deal for you! Sermons will now be published on our website in both WMA (PC) and MP3 (mobile device) formats. So now you can take it on the road!

✦ Church Directory Now On-Line

If you want to access the Church Directory and other contact information via our website (www.uuspokane.org), just fill out an On-Line Policy and Access Agreement located on the table by the sound booth and leave it in the folder. You will be snail-mailed the Directory user name and password. Questions? Contact Jet Tilley, Business Administrator, at 325-6383 ext 302/admin@uuspokane.org.

✦ Wanted: Housing for Relocated UU

Phyllis McNickle, an active Unitarian Universalist since 1981, moved to Spokane January 1 to begin a counseling position with the Community Colleges of Spokane Institute for Extended Learning. She seeks immediate, temporary housing and would welcome the opportunity to board or rent space. If you or anyone close to you would welcome a boarder, please contact Phyllis directly. She has multiple references and can be reached at 206-619-9305 or email at phyllismcnickle@yahoo.com.