



The Newsletter for

March 2008

# Unitarian Universalist Fellowship

of Wayne County

A Member Congregation of the Unitarian Universalist Association

UU News

## March Service Schedule

**March 2: 10:30 am *No Such Animal* [Rev. Peggy C. Clausen, Minister Emerita, UU Society of Cleveland ]** Today, we shall passionately celebrate the what, how, where, when and who of the Unitarian Universalist religion. Whether you're a long-time UU or a newcomer, come reflect upon a UU affirmation of faith.

**March 9: 10:30 am *Micro Lending Across the World* [Rashmi Ekka]**

A college of Wooster senior during the year, Rashmi works among the extremely disenfranchised aboriginal peoples of India in the summer. These are also her own people, her heritage, she can bring the hope of international support through Kiran micro-lending. She will be available for questions after the service.

**March 16: 10:30 am *Closer to Fine* [Mythos Team]**

At times, humanity's drive to search for "truth" can be exhausting and we need to just sit back and exist.

**5:30pm: *Alternative Service* [Elaine Strawn]**

Join us for a small, service of inner and outer reflection, and then stay for the potluck supper at 6:15. Please let us know ahead of time if you need child care.

**March 23:**

**8:00 am *Sunrise Service* [Rev. Elaine Strawn, Norma Barber, Kevin Lowry, Laura Grimm]** We will honor the age old tradition of rising early and gathering on Easter morning. The brief service will be followed by a Breads and Fruits potluck breakfast. Bring either bread or fruit to share.

**10:30 am *The Feminine Face of Easter* [Rev. Elaine Strawn]**

*The Gospel of Mary Magdala*, one of the Gnostic Gospels, tells a very different story about this close friend of Jesus. She was the first person at his tomb after the Sabbath.

**March 30: 10:30 am *Steps to the Meeting House* [Membership Committee and Rev. Elaine Strawn]** We will recognize new members at this service and hear Mary Wicks' story. Elaine will help us to focus on the meaning of membership.

### **Bylaws revisions**

Stay after the service on March 16 or April 20 and have your questions answered about the proposed bylaws changes.

Can't make the service?  
Listen online! [www.uufwc.org](http://www.uufwc.org) Streaming audio now available.

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### ***From the Board***

At the most recent board meeting, we approved the X-team's recommendations for distribution of a generous \$44,000 gift to the fellowship. The money will be used for social action, carpeting in some of the RE rooms, part of the price of a new lawn mower, hymnals, and many other items. The gift is very much appreciated.

We discussed the final draft of changes to the bylaws that will be voted on at the annual meeting. Thanks to Bert Bishop, Lynn Drumm and Pat Rodgers for their work. They worked on the suggested changes, and will be available to answer questions after church on both March 16 and April 20.

On our agenda for the next meeting are the Stewardship Survey on the "crowding" issue, the Breakthrough Congregation Award and video to be made for presentation at General Assembly, Joys and Concerns, and an emergency plan for our church.

The next meeting was scheduled for the same night as the local election in March. Because some board members are working the polls, the next meeting has been rescheduled for March 6 at 5:30.

For the board, Juan Gross, secretary

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### ***Social Action in Action***

**BIRTHDAY CAKE SUNDAY** is March 2<sup>nd</sup>. Make a monetary donation for a piece of birthday cake and you will help the UFWC cake bakers continue to bake birthday cakes for the children at Every Woman's House shelter and the Baker's Dozen Chalice Circle cook monthly meals for the families there. Your donation can be in any amount. It's a piece of cake!

**PEOPLE TO PEOPLE MACARONI AND CHEESE SUNDAY** is Sunday, March 16. Boxes of macaroni and cheese are needed. If you prefer to donate other non-perishable food items, that's all right. Cash and checks made payable to "People to People" are also useful.

**LECTURE SERIES CONTINUES** - the final installment of the annual lecture series, "Social Justice/Community Responsibility" will be on March 9<sup>th</sup>. Rashima Ekka will speak about "Micro lending across the world". As usual, a donation of \$100 will be made to that agency, \$75 from the Social Action budget, \$25 from the Worship Associates budget.

**March 9 is the day to change** your clocks forward to start Daylight Savings Time this year. It is also the occasion to remember those persons in the community who need food aid. The Friendship Meals program in Orrville provides a nutritious meal every Thursday evening. The program is supported by United Way and the contributions of individuals and various church and community groups. The collection of spare pocket change and (any paper you can contribute) on March 9 is our church's contribution to this program. Your help will be appreciated by all who come for these meals.

#### **Help Wanted! Adopt-A-Highway Coordinator**

Each year, members of our Fellowship help beautiful and 1.8 mile stretch of Cleveland Road. A new coordinator is needed to organize this effort by:

- 1) Choosing 3-4 dates for pick ups.
- 2) Recruiting 6-8 volunteers for each pick up.
- 3) Picking up and returning two "Road Work Ahead" signs from/to the OH Dept. of Transport (ODOT).
- 4) Bringing signs, vests\*, and trash bags\* to meeting spot the morning of a pick up

\*Provided by ODOT

Interested? Contact Mary Wicks for more information (330-202-3533 or wicksfam@embarqmail.com)

## ***The Minister's Column***

Curtis Reese, a Unitarian minister from the beginning through the middle of the previous century, summarized the Humanism in three ways. First it affirms human life as of supreme worth; humans are ends in themselves. Second is a commitment to human inquiry, understanding the human experience through the scientific method rather than through divine revelation. Finally, it is an effort to enrich the human experience. From the 1930s to the 1980s Humanism was the most common religious stance of UUs [sometimes called the "default" position!]. Over the years it has "matured" as do all fine things, acknowledging human limitations and capacity for devastation, constantly fighting that old demon of ancient Greece: hubris. Today Humanism is still evolving. Religious Naturalists have been talking about joining with the Humanist movement. But it is this tradition within our UU movement which has argued most ardently for the capacity of humans to realize their own potential, to bring about needed change, to make wise choices.

It is a rich and fascinating story.

**Join us for the four-part Adult Religious Exploration class "Can Humanism Be a Theology?". We'll meet on Thursdays evenings in March at 7pm.**

We'll examine reflect together on some history and on our own theologies. We'll make some predictions about the next stage of religion. Please register with Elaine or on the Connections Table. And PLEASE request childcare if you need it. We are happy to provide it, but don't want to have adults loitering around the nursery with nothing to do.

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In this year of almost constant political campaigning, it is imperative that we refrain from supporting any one candidate or party. I know this is hard; we feel our passions for social justice so keenly. Our UU tradition has some things to say about how life should be lived and we want officials who would uphold such high standards. But our believe in each person's ability to weigh all the facts and come to decisions of integrity demands that we not impugn another's choices. Yes, we do believe in separation of Church and State, and of course we value our tax-free status [both of which would be in jeopardy if the fellowship endorsed any candidate for office]. But it is not only to protect these things that I ask you to refrain. Most importantly, it is a principle from our religious tradition: trust people's ability to make up their own minds and validate their right to choose.

## ***Director of Religious Exploration Column***

My cup runneth over! So many marvelous volunteers are stepping up to important roles: We have **Bev Wire** doing Coming of Age; **Mady Noble and Tim Breiner** leading grades 5-6 OWL; **Alex and Kevin Lowry** becoming CON sponsors; **Peg Redinbaugh** doing the Youth Group, and **Delesa Randall-Griffiths** directing our Earth Day Pageant!!!

We want to congratulate everyone who helped with The Great American Bake Sale, notably **Sue Gross and Kelly Chandler**, the children who worked on Saturday, all the donors, auction bidders and customers. The report is that a profit of \$423 was made!! These funds will be sent to Share Our Strength to end childhood hunger in America. Thank you, thank you!

I will be attending another Renaissance Module on February 22<sup>nd</sup>--24<sup>th</sup>. This time the subject is "Ministry with Youth."

The R.E. Committee is planning an Earth Day Pageant for April 20<sup>th</sup>. We will have casting for all R.E. students who choose to participate. There will probably be one or at the most two rehearsals. Casting will take place after church one Sunday, to be announced in the April newsletter.

## News from the committees

### FUNdraising committee

**Mark your calendars for March 18th!** The FUNdraising committee will be hosting a Tastefully Simple Party. Not only will there be delicious food to try, but we will pamper you. Bring a friend and be eligible to win a door price! Make us your special night out and support the Fellowship.

Coming Soon! We will be hosting a Swing Dance Night with Bill Alkire and Susan English. More details coming soon.

Muchas Gracias to all of you that helped and supported the HOT Salsa Dance Night. We had 73 people that attended and danced the night away. There will be another one in August.

We are looking for a few good people that enjoy using their creativity and like to have fun. If you meet that criteria, join us at our next Fundraising Committee meeting, March 16 after the Sunday service.

### "Celebrate the end of winter!"

Come to the **March 30** pot luck.

We'll start about noon. If you'd like to bring games and make an afternoon of it, do!

Questions? Contact Sue Gross or Elaine Strawn"



### Facilities

Despite the cold, spring isn't far away!

You could help outside at UU, too:

- April 12 (raindate April 19). **Work Day**--mulch, likely work on the labyrinth.
- Adopt-a-Bed. Thanks to many volunteers, the beds at UU are beginning to flower! **Would you like to help**--weed, and plant as you like.
- Join the mowing crew! With a larger mower this year, it should take less time.

Talk to Gene Meyers, Helen Ostermiller or Ruth Sewell.

#### From the Kitchen Committee:

Take home your dishes!  
After your food donation at our UU, PLEASE take your dishes. Your clean dishes fill the cart, preventing it from being used. Anything left too long will go to Goodwill.

### Stewardship Superheroes

#### —Final Edition!

In our last month of recognizing friends and members who have generously contributed their time, talents, and/or resources to the Fellowship, the Stewardship Committee honored the following individuals:

|                 |               |                  |
|-----------------|---------------|------------------|
| Betty Schuler   | Norma Barber  | Kay Bowen        |
| Kelly Chandler  | Lois Grant    | Dori Smedley     |
| Mady Noble      | Michelle Shaw | Deleasa Randall- |
| Griffiths       |               |                  |
| Lloyd Boyer     | Adam Keating  | Ken McDonald     |
| Cheryl Guthrie  | Lynn Drumm    | Devin Bostdorff  |
| O'Rourke        |               |                  |
| Gregg Sheffield | Susan Heady   | Gail Carter      |
| Joe Kufchak     |               |                  |

It's impossible, of course, to recognize the efforts of all the many individuals who act as faithful stewards of this Fellowship, but these persons and others who were nominated during the recognition campaign serve as an inspiration to us all. And, at the UU Fellowship, we realize that it takes the heroic efforts of EVERYONE to protect this important community of liberal theology and social action that we all share. To Unitarian Universalism—and beyond!

## **Membership**

### **UU INQUIRY CLASS**

New to UU? New to the fellowship? Want to learn more about UU and/or the UUFWC? Come to the next UU Inquiry to be held **Sunday, March 9th at 12:00**. A light lunch will be provided and childcare is available (please let us know in advance if you will be needing childcare). If you plan to attend please tell Margaret Minick-Blake or Kelly Chandler or let the office know.

### **NEW MEMBER AND FRIEND POT LUCK**

is scheduled for **Saturday, April 26th** at 6:30 p.m. at the fellowship. If you have joined the fellowship in the past year, please join us for an evening of fellowship. Child care is provided. RSVP to Margaret Minick-Blake or Kelly Chandler.

There will be a ceremony honoring new members on March 30.

## **Young Adults Wanted**

are you a young adult (18-35) and interested in a new experience in how you fit into UUism and The Global Community? Join us as we develop the Young Adult Experience, an interactive group that will develop programming and worship geared from a young adult perspective. Through discussion, meditation and food this group will work together to build a unique experience for the fellowship and larger community.

If you are interested please contact Kevin Lowry.

## **The Great American Bake Sale**

### **THANK YOU**

to those who donated items and time to the bake sale. Specifically we'd like to thank the children who came on Sat.: Hayden and Pauline Michel (and their mom), Ella Hayward-Lara and Skylar Breiner. We made \$423 for the Share Our Strength program!

## **Calling all R.E. kids!**

Earth Day Pageant April 20<sup>th</sup>,  
directed by Deleasa Randall-Griffiths.  
Casting date to be announced.

Join us for the four-part

## ***Adult Religious Exploration class***

“Can Humanism Be a Theology?”  
We’ll meet on **Thursdays evenings**  
**in March** at 7pm.

For more details, see the Minister’s Column on page 3.

## **Spotlight on the Blessed Bees!**

This is the class of preschoolers, coordinated by pediatrician Adam Keating. Adam’s staff members are Paula Chenevey, Nancy Hurt, Dori Smedley, and Jake Volcsko, with Amy Wicks serving as substitute. This well-oiled team leads three, four and some five year-olds in a warm and nurturing curriculum entitled “Chalice Children.”

If you happen to pass their room these days, you are bound to see Teddy Bears! Current activities surround Friendship, Teddy Bear Fixed!, Teddy Bear Lost!, and Teddy Bear Party.

These children have settled in nicely. It is a joy to observe them!

## Fun in March

### ***Sewing Saturdays Quilt tops for Kids***

Our goal is for our whole church community to put together twin-sized quilt tops for the RE children to tie together. These will be given to Every Women's House. As you may already know, families who arrive at the shelter often have nothing with them. They are in need of toiletries and bedding. A colorful bedspread will fit the bill.

Mark your calendars for sewing easy quilt tops, we encourage all age levels.

Groups will design their own quilt top, cut and sew. Please bring your scissors, sewing machines and other supplies needed.

RE will tie the quilt tops after the last sewing day.

Sewing Saturdays are **March 1** and April 5, 2008, from 10:00 to 2:00.

Look for the sign up sheet and quilt samples in the lobby. Meanwhile, we'll collect any cotton fabrics and quilt batting.

### ***Learn Cake Decorating Saturday March 1, 10 am– 2 pm We'll decorate real cakes and eat them the next day on Birthday Cake Sunday March 2***

Cash & Food donations are needed to continue Cakes for Kids and Family Feast.

'Cakes for Kids' provides children, who are living at Every Woman's House on their birthday, a personalized cake. The Baker's Dozen Chalice Circle provides a meal once a month for the residents of Every Woman's House.

Food donations needed:

- Pillsbury Brand Cake Mixes (white or chocolate)
- Crisco Vegetable shortening
- Vegetable oil-any brand
- Powdered sugar-any brand
- Cash or Buehler's gift card for eggs & butter
- Cash or JoAnn Fabric gift card for cake board and supplies
- Cash to shop at Aldi's for the monthly meal.

### ***Don't Miss the ACLU Series: Freedoms***

The American Civil Liberties Union and the Social Action Committee are presenting an informative series on our freedoms. They are scheduled for the second Tuesday of every month at 7:00pm in the Meeting Room and are open and free to the public. Join us.

**03.11.08 "Freedom to Live: The Death Penalty,"** tells compelling stories of people personally affected by America's capital punishment system offer a unique window into its unfairness and inhumanity. Their firsthand accounts show how the system executes people for crimes they didn't commit, sends detained at Guantanamo Bay and tortured in secret overseas prisons through the "extraordinary rendition" program. And Iraq War veterans who are outraged at the atrocities committed by the government explain why they're fighting on a new front—to protect our precious civil liberties.

**Please call the office to request child care for these sessions**

The March  
***Out for Dinner Night***  
will be held at  
House of Hunan - Medina  
Public Square, Medina  
6:00 PM, **Saturday, March 22nd**

The House of Hunan has long been considered the one of the best Chinese food experiences one can have in all of Ohio. We will dine together in their private Tatami Room at their modern Medina restaurant. Besides having an extensive Chinese menu, they also feature a very tasty vegetarian menu as well as a varied selection of Thai cuisine favorites.

Reserve your place at the March event by signing the sign up sheet on the Connections Table at the Entrance Hall by March 16th. We will meet at the Fellowship building at 5:00 PM and carpool to Medina. Call Charles Gaines if you need a ride or if you have a change of plans.

## ***New Chalice Circle Beginning!***

Again, I am stealing a title from National Public Radio! I would like to begin a new Chalice Circle in April. "This I Believe" would focus on sharing our faith stories with one another. As with others, this group will remain open for the first two months and then, for the purpose of intimacy, close. Elaine Strawn will facilitate this monthly group. Please call Elaine or sign-up on the Connections Table. **The first meeting will be Thursday April 3.** The group will decide when to meet on an ongoing basis.

WANT TO GET AWAY? WANT TO RELAX  
AND REJUVENATE? WE CAN HELP!

## ***WINE COUNTRY EXCURSION TO THE NAPA VALLEY***

An hour north of San Francisco are the lush vineyards, world class wineries and picturesque small towns of the Napa and Sonoma Valleys. We invite all UUs and friends to share the beauty of our "home" through the UU Fellowship of North Bay's "Wine Country Excursions."

We offer small customized two day tours of our valleys which can include wine tastings, art galleries, museums, scenic trails and much more. We provide private rooms with bath in the homes of our members and experienced guides to conduct tours in their cars.

Napa itself is alive and vibrant with galleries, boutique shops, world-class restaurants, wine tasting rooms and entertainment. Sites of special interest include COPIA (The American Center for Food, Wine and the Arts); Jack London's home (now a state park); the Culinary Institute of America at Greystone; the diRosa Art and Nature Preserve.

Tours are offered from May through October. Plan for two days of touring and a two or three night stay with all local transportation provided. Home hospitality without tours is also available. Our fees are much below market rates for similar services. All proceeds to help our Fellowship grow and purchase property in this expensive real estate market. We have limited openings, so contact us now for details. Tom Wilson 707.254-7443 or [2wilsons1dog@comcast.net](mailto:2wilsons1dog@comcast.net)

## ***Every Month***

**ACLU MOVIE & DISCUSSION NIGHT**  
Second Tuesday at 7 pm  
See article on page 6 for this month's movie.

**BOOK DISCUSSION GROUP**  
Third Sunday, during the school year, at 7 pm  
Mar 16: One Sunny Day by Hideko Tamura Snider  
Apr 20: Whiteman by Tony D'Souza  
May 18: Lessons from the Life of Gandhi by K. Nair

**COVEN OF UFWC**  
Meets on a monthly basis in members homes,  
usually on Saturday evenings.  
For Information, contact Tisha Russo

**DRUMMING CIRCLE**  
Fourth Sunday at 12:30. Bring your instruments.

**UU MARTIAL ARTS**  
Temporarily Cancelled

**OHIOANS FOR MARRIAGE EQUALITY**  
We are working for the civil right of marriage  
for same-sex couples in Ohio.  
Fourth Tuesday from 7 to 8 pm

**THE OPEN CLOSET**  
A social networking group for the LGBT community,  
their families and allies.  
Pot-luck style dinner and conversation  
First Fridays at 6:30pm. All ages welcome.

**SCRABBLE NIGHTS**  
See calendar: every other Sunday evenings from 7 to  
9:30PM. Bring a board if you have one, a dictionary  
is helpful, and if you like: a snack to share.

**SPIRIT PATHS**  
a newly formed group, welcomes pagans of all per-  
suasions and those interested in learning more about  
the modern pagan movement.  
For more information, contact Tammy Paul

**WOMEN'S WISDOM CIRCLE**  
Fourth Monday from 6:30 to 8:30 pm

**WORD WORKS WRITERS GROUP**  
Third Thursday from 1-3 pm

**WUUPS**  
Wayne UU Pagans meets at 7pm at the fellowship  
Jan 20-full moon at the home of Chris Weber  
Mar 16-Ostara For information, contact Gail Carter

## ***Other Important Information***

### **March Birthdays**

- 2 Betsy Sheets
- 5 John Schuler
- 15 Jill Schaeffer
- 21 Sandy Sheffield
- 25 Denise Bostdorff
- 30 Susan English

### **March Anniversaries**

- 24 Dave & Lynn Drumm

If you don't see your birthday on the list, it is because I don't know it. I'd be happy to add your important events to the list- please contact the office.



### **New in the Library**

Now available:

Speaking of Faith by Krista Tippett

Gift from the Sea by Anne Morrow Lindbergh

### **Rides for College Students**

The fellowship offers a ride service for College of Wooster students who wish to attend Sunday services during the school year.

Drivers, if you cannot drive on your scheduled date, please arrange your own substitute.

Please meet in front of Lowry Center at 10:10 am

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|----------|-----------------|
| March 2  | Ruth Sewell     |
| March 9  | Margo Curl      |
| March 16 | Tom & Sue Gross |
| March 23 | Clif Bushnell   |
| March 30 | Ruth Sewell     |

### **Coffee Duty**

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|----------|---------------------------|
| March 2  | <i>available</i>          |
| March 9  | <i>available</i>          |
| March 16 | <i>available</i>          |
| March 23 | <i>Available (Easter)</i> |
| March 30 | <i>available</i>          |



***Would you like to host coffee hour? It is easy! Pick your date & sign up! The sign up sheet is located on the bulletin board in lobby.***

## ***A Look At the Year Ahead***

|                   |   |
|-------------------|---|
| March 7-9, 2008   | Social Action CON at 1st UU Church of Pittsburgh.   |
| April 4-5, 2008   | Ohio Meadville District Annual Meeting at First Unitarian Church of Pittsburgh.   |
| May 4, 2008       | Our Annual meeting. Members are invited to stay after the service and vote on the business of the fellowship, including the bylaw revisions that you will receive soon.                                   |
| June 25-29, 2008  | General Assembly of Unitarian Universalist Association of Congregations. Fort Lauderdale, Florida We will be honored as a Breakthrough Congregation!  |
| June 28, 2008     | Fairy Festival  |
| July 13-19, 2008  | Summer Institute: Family Fun with friends from the Ohio Meadville District. Held at Kenyon College. See: <a href="http://www.omdsi.org">www.omdsi.org</a> This year, theme Speaker will be Meg Barnhouse. |
| July 27- August 2 | UU Leadership Training Institute, Juniata College, Huntingdon, PA   |

## March 2008

| Sunday   | Monday  | Tuesday   | Wednesday   | Thursday   | Friday   | Saturday  |
|--|---|---|---|--|--|---|
|  |   |   |   |  |  | <b>1</b><br>10:00am RE sewing project<br>10:00am Decorate Cakes<br>4:00pm Rental<br><div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; text-align: center;">Elaine is on vacation 2/28 thru 3/5</div> |
| <b>2</b><br>Birthday Cake Sunday<br>10:30am No Such Animal-Clausen<br>12:00pm Finance Cornm  | <b>3</b><br>5:45pm Zen Meditation                                 | <b>4</b><br>6:15pm Membership Committee meeting   | <b>5</b><br>7:00pm choir  | <b>6</b><br>5:00pm Brown Bag Meeting<br>5:30pm Board Meeting<br>7:00pm Can Humanism Be a Theology? | <b>7</b><br>5:30pm The Open Closet<br>5:30pm OWL | <b>8</b>  |
| <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;">Elaine is on vacation 2/28 thru 3/5</div>  |   |   |   |  |  |   |
| <b>9</b><br>Day of Change Collection<br>10:30am MicroLending Across the World-Ekka<br>12:00pm UU Inquiry Class<br>4:00pm Chalice Circle<br>7:00pm Scrabble Night   | <b>10</b><br>5:45pm Zen Meditation<br>7:00pm RE committee meeting | <b>11</b><br>7:00pm ACLU movie night              | <b>12</b><br>1:00pm x team<br>5:00pm Breakthrough Congreg committee<br>7:00pm Youth Group<br>7:00pm choir | <b>13</b><br>7:00pm Can Humanism Be a Theology?  | <b>14</b><br>5:30pm OWL                          | <b>15</b><br>5:00pm Spirit Paths-Spring Equinox   |
| <b>16</b><br>10:30am Closer to Fine-Mythos Team<br>12:00pm FUNdraising Committee meeting<br>12:00pm Bylaws Review Session<br>5:30pm Alternative Service-Strawn<br>7:00pm WUUPs-Ostara<br>7:00pm Book Group   | <b>17</b><br>5:45pm Zen Meditation                                | <b>18</b><br>7:00pm Tastefully Simple night       | <b>19</b><br>5:00pm Baker's Dozen<br>7:00pm choir   | <b>20</b><br>1:00pm Word Works Writers Group<br>7:00pm Can Humanism Be a Theology?                 | <b>21</b>  | <b>22</b><br>5:00pm Out To Dinner Night   |
| <b>23</b><br>Easter<br>8:00am Sunrise Service<br>10:30am Feminine Face of Easter-Strawn<br>12:30pm Drumming Circle<br>7:00pm Scrabble Night  | <b>24</b><br>5:30pm Women Wisdom Circle<br>5:45pm Zen Meditation  | <b>25</b><br>7:00pm Ohioans for Marriage Equality | <b>26</b><br>1:00pm x team<br>5:30pm SOS Chalice Circle<br>7:00pm choir                                   | <b>27</b><br>7:00pm Can Humanism Be a Theology?  | <b>28</b>  | <b>29</b>   |
| <b>30</b><br>10:30am Youth group<br>10:30am Steps to the Meeting House-Wicks<br>12:00pm Finance Cornm<br>12:00pm Potluck   | <b>31</b><br>5:45pm Zen Meditation                                |   |   |  |  |   |
| <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 10px;"> <b>Office Hours:</b><br/>           Elaine: Wed: 6-9 pm, Thur: 10-2pm, Fri 1-5pm<br/>           Marge: Tuesday &amp; Thursday 1- 4:30 pm<br/>           Anne: 10-2: Monday, Wednesday, Friday         </div> |   |   |   |  |  |   |

## About the UUFWC

The Unitarian Universalist Fellowship of Wayne County,  
a member congregation of the Unitarian Universalist Association.

**Mission Statement:** The Unitarian Universalist Fellowship is an inclusive spiritual community; its commitment is to social justice for the individual, the community, and the environment.

**How to Find Us:** We meet at 10:30 am on Sundays at 3186 Burbank Road., in Wooster. 330-262-9194

**Minister:** Rev. V. Elaine Strawn, email: minister @uufwc.org

**Director of Religious Education:** Marge Thomas, e-mail: dre @uufwc.org

**Board of Directors:** Phil Grimm, president, Carol Morrison, vice president, John Gross, secretary, Susan English, Cheryl Guthrie, Pat Rodgers, Scott Crawford.

**Office Administrator & Newsletter Editor:** Anne Wilson, email: fellowship @uufwc.org

**Newsletter Deadline:** The 17th day of every month!

**Website:** www.uufwc.org Streaming audio now available. Can't make the service? Listen online!  
Webmaster: Lee Simpson

**Yahoo Group Email:** Address your email to: uufwc @yahoogroups.com One email reaches nearly everyone! To join, email the office: fellowship @uufwc.org.

**Office Hours:** Regular Office Hours:

Elaine: Wednesday: 6-9 pm, Thursday: 10am– 2pm, Friday 1-5 pm

Marge: Tuesday & Thursday: 1-3 pm

Anne: Monday, Wednesday & Friday: 10am –2 pm

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