

Services in June

June 6

10:30 A.M.

"Wabi-Sabi"

Rev. Edward Searl

*Michelle Lekas, Violin, and Chris Garofalo,
Piano (Donated by Michelle Lekas)*

It's a Japanese aesthetic, rooted in Zen, that has acquired cachet in recent years. Wabi relates to natural beauty with all the so-called "imperfections" of real things. Sabi relates to the serene grace of age. "Beauty and rust" is a simplified definition. I think it's a particularly useful concept that teaches/realizes acceptance and appreciation.

June 13

10:30 A.M.

"Across the Generations"

Rev. Edward Searl, Helene Fields, and
the Friday Fun Night folk

Chris Garofalo, Piano

We close the church year with a celebration of community—children, youth, and adults. Learn about the successes of our intergenerational Friday Fun Nights that were inspired by Helene Fields' notion of "grandfriendships." Helene will speak at the service, and the children and youth will join the congregation to conclude the service.

Don't forget: An All Church Family picnic on the lawn, weather permitting, follows the service. This would be a good occasion to bring something to share in addition to your own picnic foods.

Summer Sundays

Mark your calendars for summer services on Sundays July 11, July 25, August 8, and August 22 at 10:30 A.M. More information will be forthcoming.

Greetings

The month of May brought us to our annual membership meeting with a number of accomplishments to celebrate from the past year, such as a strong contingent of new members, including student members; fun new activities, including First Friday Fun Nights; an expanded presence on the web, including Facebook; official certification as a Green Sanctuary for our environmental work; and a year of service to social justice organizations through our First Sunday plate collections. And despite the nationwide economic crisis, our pledges have increased, and we adopted another balanced budget. We thank Fred Zimmerman, our outgoing president, for his service and leadership for the last three years; and for me personally, I thank the congregation for your literal vote of confidence in electing me as the new president. Your Board of Trustees will be meeting throughout the summer to plan programs for the coming church year. It promises to be challenging, fulfilling, and fun. I can't wait to get started!

Dave Lloyd

President of the Board of Trustees

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Children and Youth Religious Education

Pam Fodor, Director of Religious Education

Serving the
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Your children

Your family is invited to join us on Sunday, June 6th at 9:30am in the Alice Warren Room for a light continental breakfast to recognize and thank the teachers who have served our children this year and to also get a sneak peek at what the curriculum will be next year. All ages are welcome and activities will be provided for children. Can't wait to see you there!

Religious Education for June

Chalice Children

Preschool 10:30 A.M.

6-6 Teddy Bear Picnic

6-13 End of the Year
Celebration in Joshi
Chapel

Treasure Hunting

Kindergarten And First Grade

10:30 A.M.

6-6 The Joy of Learning
Together

6-13 End of the Year
Celebration in Joshi
Chapel

Chapel Service (Grades 2-6)

10:30 A.M.

6-6 Life Quests

6-13 End of the Year
Celebration in Joshi
Chapel

Youth Group (Grades 7-12)

10:30 A.M.

6-6 Regular Meeting

6-13 Highway Clean-up

Chalice Children

Preschool ages 3-5

It is time to say good-bye and celebrate this group of friends and the Chalice Circle program. We will do so with a Teddy Bear Picnic. Bring your Teddy Bears and celebrate with friends! On June 13th all children will meet upstairs in Joshi Chapel for some special end of the year activities before joining the adults for the last part of the service. Please plan on staying for the church picnic!

Treasure Hunting

Kindergarten and first grade

The joy of learning is having others learn beside you! We will wrap up the year as we started it—celebrating the great friends we have at church. On June 13th all children will meet upstairs in Joshi Chapel for some special end of the year activities before joining the adults for the last part of the service. Please plan on staying for the church picnic!

Chapel Service

Grades 2-6

This final mystery quest activity invites participants to consider the mystery in and of themselves, a mystery they will take with them at the end of this year together. On June 13th all children will meet in Joshi Chapel for some special end of the year activities before joining the adults for the end of the church service. Please plan on staying for the church picnic!

Youth Group

Grades 7-12

Our youth groups will have a final meeting to end their year together on June 6th. On June 13th youth groups will meet at church and then travel together to clean their adopted section of Ogden Ave.

Church Announcements

First Friday Fun Nights—June 4 and July 3 (a Saturday!)

Upcoming First Friday Fun Nights are Friday June 4 and Saturday July 3

Coming to the First Friday Fun Nights (FFFN) is a fun way to catch up with friends, relax, learn new games, and meet new UCH friends. The activities have “action” built into them that appeal to young and old alike. Follow the church on Facebook and see videos and pictures of the FFFN events. FFFN is a night where people of all ages--grandkids to grandparents--can get-together and participate in activities. Our next FFFN is on Friday, June 4. Arrive at 7:00pm for a short ice-breaking activity, participate in the main event, and then enjoy small talk and snacks until 9:00pm. The July FFFN is on SATURDAY, July 3 at Jane Foulser’s home. (More info to follow for the July FFFN.) Everyone is welcome to come, including friends and neighbors! Hope to see you there! To learn more about FFFN, contact Kari Freeman (hollowcastle@gmail.com).

Women’s Alliance to Meet on Thursday, June 10

Anita Jencks has graciously offered her home in Downers Grove as the site for our annual luncheon and steering committee meeting. Please bring a favorite potluck dish along with suggestions for next year’s Alliance programs. We will meet at Anita’s at 12:00 P.M. on Thursday, June 10. Here are the directions to her home at 4506 Cornell in Downers Grove.

From the East:

Take Ogden Ave. to Downers Grove. When you get to Main St./Highland Ave. in Downers, continue west on Ogden for about a mile and a quarter. At the top of the second rise in the road is Stonewall Ave. Get into the middle turn lane and turn left (south) on Stonewall. Go one block south to the stop sign, which is Grant Street. Turn left (east) on Grant, and go one short block to Cornell Ave. Turn right on Cornell, and here is the first driveway on the west side of the street.

From Belmont Ave. in Downers Grove and 55th St:

Take Belmont north until you get to Grant St. Turn right (east) on Grant until you get to Cornell Ave. Here is the first driveway on the west side of the street.

For more information contact Grace Abrahamson (708-485-5983; teacherspr@aol.com).

UCH’S End of the Year All Community Picnic June 13

Enjoy your family and church friends at our end of the year celebration and picnic!!

WHEN: Sunday, June 13th immediately following the service

WHERE: On our church lawn

WHAT: Participants should provide their own lunch, plates, silverware, a blanket to sit on, lawn chairs, etc. The church will provide drinks.

WHAT ELSE: Some games will be provided for the young and young at heart!

Mark your calendars and join us for the fun!!

Non-Fiction Book Group to Meet Thursday, June 17

The Non-Fiction Book Group will meet Thursday, June 17 at 6 p.m. at Dave and Jane Foulser's for a potluck picnic. Anyone interested in the group is invited to come. Please call 630-833-3028 or email jfoulser@mindspring.com to say if you are coming and what you would like to bring. Please email Jane with your suggestions for our fall reading list. You may include a very brief comment or a link for a review. The list will be assembled and distributed and the group will vote at the picnic for our September – December selections. Please call or email if you need directions.

UCH Lunch Bunch to Gather on Thursday, June 24

Ladies and Gentlemen: On Thursday, June 24, UCH Lunch Bunch is meeting at 1:00 P.M. at Prasino in LaGrange at 93 S. LaGrange Rd, across from LaGrange Theatre. Park in back or on the street. They have a good vegetarian menu, and their website is info@eatgreenlivewell.com. Afterwards you can check out interesting shops or stop in at Horton's Home Lighting and Hardware store across the street. Everyone welcome! To sign up, contact Cathy Goering (815-761-7322; cathgoer@aol.com) or Jackie Bruns (butterfluffy@gmail.com).

The Membership Committee Invites You to Join Us this Summer

The Membership Committee will meet Wednesdays, June 16 and August 18, at 7:30 p.m. in the Alice Warren Room, lower level of the church. We invite you to stop by and consider participating in this important church committee. This past church year we have had an active committee of twelve persons who worked together to accomplish a great deal. Our church thrives on the vitality of its members and their participation in the many functions of the church. We would love to have you join us. Contact Jane Foulser, chair, for more information (630-833-3028; jfoulser@mindspring.com).

Looking for Volunteers for the Adult Education Committee

The UUA website has information on a number of very interesting adult education programs. One called "Spirit of Life" deals with spirituality for Unitarian Universalists. The website carries a request for churches to field test another new curriculum, "Tapestry of Faith." Our church has taught the "Our Whole Lives" (human sexuality) curriculum for adults in the past, and it is probably time to teach it again. Would you be interested in organizing some adult education classes for next year? Contact Debbi Daniel-Wayman (debbidw@comcast.net) or Jane Foulser (jfoulser@mindspring.com).

DID YoUU KNOW?

Did YoUU Know . . . Thomas Paine's landmark political treatise *The Age of Reason* was published in 1796. While Paine was neither an official Unitarian nor Universalist, this book made a strong impact on Unitarianism and Universalism in the young United States of America.

Music Benefactors' Recital July 31, 7:00 P.M.

Chris Garofalo and Julie Beckman will host a music fundraiser for the 2010-11 church year on Saturday, July 31, 2010 at 7:00 P.M. in Chris Garofalo's home. Last year, this was a great evening of music, wine, homemade desserts, and conversation. Donations from this event provide the funds (the only funds) to bring in guest musicians. Donations of \$250 sponsor a soloist, a \$50 donation sponsors the choir rehearsal accompanist. Donations are tax deductible. Checks may be made out to the Unitarian Church of Hinsdale with "Music Benefactor" written on the memo line. To sponsor a soloist and attend the event, please contact Julie Beckman (630-985-4688).

Summer MANNA information

MANNA orders will be processed this summer on the summer services schedule. The first order will be due July 11 with cards available for pick up July 25. The second order will be due Aug 8 and available for pick up Aug 22. Contact Dana White (630-910-6557; ddws69@earthlink.net).

Summer Office Hours Begin Monday, June 14

Summer hours for Church Administrator Luan Burton are Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, 9:00 A.M. – 4:00 P.M. Luan will be on vacation June 15 – July 13. However, she will be in the office on Monday, June 21; Wednesday, June 30; Thursday, July 1; and Friday, July 2. Phone calls and e-mail will be monitored during that time she is away. Contact Luan if you have questions (630-323-2885; office@hinsdaleunitarian.org).

Plans for a New Picture Directory

The Membership Committee is working with Olan Mills to develop a new picture directory for church members and friends. The dates for picture-taking and ordering at the church are Wednesday to Saturday, October 20 to October 23. Weekday times are 2:00 – 9:20 P.M., and Saturday times are 9:30 A.M. – 5:10 P.M. You may order additional copies of your portraits, so include this event in your plans for a holiday family photo. Mark your calendars now! More details to follow as we get closer to October. To help out with the project, contact Pat Miller (630-654-0603).

Landscape Garden Notes

Every month there is further progress toward construction of the Sandra Price Conversation Circle. Most recently, many thanks go to Dave Potthoff for dusting of his Professional Engineer state license seal—required by the Village of Hinsdale—to supplement the landscape architect seal on the application documents. Equal thanks go to Eagle Scout Max Potthoff for saving the night by roaming the western suburbs, far and wide, successfully procuring the essential ink pad! We can now look forward to successful completion of the application process. Over the course of the recent month, Charlie Fischer responded to a Village of Hinsdale request for additional, highly detailed drawings, documents and calculations. Dave and Max also volunteered their time and capacities as described above to help make the documents acceptable to the Village.

Board Notes

Summary of May Board Meeting

Shelley Hendrickson, treasurer, presented the revised budget to be submitted to the congregation at the annual meeting. This new budget has been balanced through a diversion of slightly under \$8000 from Capitol Reserves. The idea of creating a bylaws committee was remanded to the upcoming Board. In addition, the new Board is asked to explore a fund-raising committee that would enhance our finances and enable members to be more involved with church activities. Paula Sejut-Dvorak, Nominating Chair, moved that Beth Staas be seated as a member on the Committee on Ministry. Larry Priced seconded. Motion passed. David Lloyd, Vice President, is compiling a history and procedural notebook for each of the trustees' portfolios. We have a large sign on the corner of Maple and Washington that is in poor condition. Hans Lonnroth, Building and Grounds, along with Steve Trout, Communication, agreed to work together to make it clean and attractive and maintain it in good repair. Laurel Culbert, Membership Trustee said the Membership Committee would be more careful about scheduling its New-UU classes so that incoming members can be eligible to vote at the annual meeting. Ms. Culbert also noted that the Trustee who did the announcements on Sunday would be available at a special table during coffee hour to welcome visitors. Hans Lonnroth, Building and Grounds, presented a layout that would redistribute some of the storage in the far end of the Alice Warren Room, making its use more efficient. This would involve placement of a non-supporting wall. Because funds are limited and no alternative storage facilities were suggested, the Board remanded the issue to the incoming Board. June 13th is the final Sunday of the year, so Paula Sejut-Dvorak, Fred Zimmerman and Hans Lonnroth offered to take responsibility for the traditional picnic after the service. In honor of Fred Zimmerman and Jean Noble, outgoing Board members, Pam Fodor brought a small gift for each.

The next Board meeting is scheduled for Tuesday June 1 at 7:30 P.M. in the Alice Warren Room. Note: The full Minutes are available during office hours..

DID YoUU KNOW?

Did YoUU Know . . . Unitarian Frank Lloyd Wright (1867-1959) is responsible for creating a definitively American style of architecture in the early 1900s. The Prairie Style can be seen in buildings from Wisconsin to New York City to Tokyo. Notably, Wright and his students designed several homes and buildings in the Chicago area, including the (UU) Unity Temple in Oak Park, which is open for tours.

General Announcements

Piano Lessons with Chris Garofalo

Chris Garofalo has openings for piano students for the summer and fall. Lessons are given at UCH and in Westmont. Anyone interested is welcome to attend a recital featuring Chris' students on Saturday, June 5 at 3:00 P.M. in the church. For more information, contact Chris at 630-968-7649.

An Opportunity to Visit India

Like Water for Spices: A Unitarian Journey to South India, from the Bay of Bengal to the Arabian Sea, March 11 - 17, 2011. Meditate in captivating locations, experience fabulous temples, attend a Sunday service at the Unitarian Christian Church in Chennai, visit an ashram in Pondicherry, cruise the backwaters of Kerala, learn about Tanjore painting, enjoy a Kerala cooking demonstration, and watch a Kathakali Dance presentation. Led by Rev. Wayne Walder. See all details at www.nuuc.ca/Journeys/india2011.htm For more information, contact Beverly Carr (bgcarr@rogers.com) of Neighbourhood UU Congregation, Toronto, Canada.

A Message from the UUA

The UUA encourages members to check out its online bulletin, which offers information about various opportunities and resource, including the following notice:

The Eliot & Pickett Houses, the UUA's bed and breakfast in Boston, is offering a discount for all new reservations made for a minimum three-day stay between May 17, 2010 and September 30, 2010. Discounts apply to new reservations made between April 25, 2010 and September 15, 2010.

The web address for the bulletin is

<http://www.uua.org/leaders/announcements/congregationalmonthly/index.shtml>.

Among Ourselves

Thanks for Teaching our Young UUs!

The RE Department would like to send a special thank you to the second semester teachers for their love and dedication to our children. Miriam Cleveland, Liz Reyes, Cathy Blanford, Hans Lonroth, Mike Pabian, Joe Saintcross, John Wayman-Dodd, Denise Clivaz, Linda Elliott, Mike Ferrando, Bill Wilson, Roy Fleet, Debbi Daniel-Wayman, Tony Meadors, Paula Sejut-Dvorak, Karin Janowski, Anna Hebble, Alyssa Ferrando, Emily Mooney, Kaitlyn Wayman-Dodd and the many substitutes. Thank you all for touching the lives of our young people!

And Thanks to the R.E. Committee!

Hooray for our Religious Education Committee! Thank you to the members, Susan Mooney, chair, Debbi Daniel-Wayman, trustee, Gerry Shipton, Cathy Blanford, Bonnie Wayman-Dodd, Lisa Stukel, Tony Meadors, Roy Fleet. Without your unwavering support, ideas and can-do attitudes, our program would not be as successful as it is!

Great Job, Kent!

The congregation wishes to extend our gratitude to Kent Bredrup, who painted the sanctuary in May.

Women's Alliance Visits Nursing Home

In mid May at Briar Place Nursing Center in LaGrange Park, a record group of residents welcomed our Women's Alliance. Some of the residents look forward all year to our visit, for which we bring them a party and an assortment of gifts, and this year's visit was fun for all. We enjoyed putting smiles on their faces as much as much as they made us smile. Our Thanks go to Cathy Goering who puts this together every year.

Meet Three . . . New UCH Board Members

Kathy Salzano

1. *Q. How long have you been a member of UCH and what was it that drew you to this church?*
A. We started coming about 6 years ago. I enjoy a lot of things: the singing, the Religious Education for my children, other activities where I've gotten to know others in our church, but the most important are the deep friendships and sense of community and common purpose I've found here.
2. *Q. In what faith/church (if any) were you raised?* A. How does that experience inform your UUism? I was raised in the UCC Church (sometimes called "Unitarians considering Christ"). I knew when I was going through confirmation classes that I wanted more discussion and exploration. World Religions and Philosophy courses in college gave me more to consider. I read a lot about the Tao, Buddhism, Native Indigenous and pagan/naturalistic beliefs. We have enough discussion and exploration to satisfy discerning tastes in spiritual growth.
3. *Q. Which of the UU Principles is the most compelling for you and why?*
A. The second of the UU Principles (justice, equity, and compassion in human relations) is the most compelling for me because I have a strong sense of justice, equity, and compassion. Naturally I believe in everyone's inherent worth and accept others' perspectives.

4. Q. 1. Do you have a favorite Unitarian Universalist (alive or not, famous or not)? If so, please tell us who this person is and why you admire him/her. A. This is a challenging question, and, as a good UU, I had to go out and research it and have a top 5+ list. I do not wish to enumerate them saving the best for last, but rather, proceed in a logical order.

1. Jefferson and all his contemporaries (our forefathers) who had the forethought to insist on separation of church and state.

2. Susan B Anthony, Jane Addams, and all the women since who have fought for social justice and women's rights.

3. Emerson and Thoreau (ok, and Beatrix Potter, Louisa May Alcott, Ray Bradbury and Kurt Vonnegut, etc) who transcended in their reflection of self, society, and the future.

4. Darwin (and I don't know how many scientists who questioned the established religion, government, and powers who were) who continued a free and responsible search for truth and meaning.

5. Pete Seeger, who put it to music.

+. All the rest of us who do our best. Including you and me.

5. Q. In what other ways have you been involved in UCH? What prompted you to accept your nomination to serve on the UCH Board? How do you plan to contribute to the church in role as a board member? IS there anything you hope to focus on while you're on the board? I have sung with Julia and the Celebration Singers and Octavoce. I put together and ran a social creative sharing program. I took Dennis and Marian's classes on Simple and Sustainable Living. When Paula and Dave asked me to serve on the board, it seemed a good opportunity to contribute to our community. Specifically, I'll be assisting to coordinate Worship. I look forward to learning more about it from experienced people and others with ideas to share. I am grateful for the support of many members who have stepped forward to help.

6. Q. What are some of your plans for summer? 've got a lot to do—taking a family vacation, moving my son to U of I Urbana-Champaign, planning for educational advancement (for myself and the kids I teach), working on my campaign to serve on the DuPage County Board, and serving on our church board.

Thank you and have a great summer!

DID YoUU KNOW?

Did YoUU Know . . . Highly regarded British political economist and Unitarian philosopher Jeremy Bentham died in 1832 at the age of 84. At his request, his body was placed in a chair, embalmed and fully clothed, in the University College in England. When the governing body meets, Bentham is marked as "present but not voting."

Laurel Culbert

1. *Q. How long have you attended UCH, and what do you most enjoy about our church?*

A. I've been attending UCH regularly for about a year and a half. I enjoy the welcoming atmosphere and the variety of activities and people.

2. *Q. In what faith/church (if any) were you raised? How does that experience inform your UUism?*

A. I grew up in UCH and my parents were active church members. I feel fortunate to have had UCH as my church home growing up. The youth group was a lot of fun and I met some great people in the RE program.

3. *Q. What prompted you to accept your nomination to serve on the UCH Board?*

A. I felt it would be a good way to get involved with the church and get to know people.

4. *Q. In what other ways have you been involved in UCH?*

A. In addition to my position on the board as Membership Trustee, I also volunteer at the Greater Chicago Food Depository, crochet shawls as part of the Care Shawl Group, and was a mentor for the RE Coming of Age program.

5. *Q. Which of the UU Principles is the most compelling for you and why?* A. It's hard to pick just one because they are interrelated, but I feel the inherent worth and dignity of every person is extremely important. Just think if everyone practiced this, what a better place the world would be for all people.

6. *Q. What are some of your plans for summer?* A. I definitely will be running and biking on the local trails this summer. I also plan to get our garden under control and spend time hanging out with my stepsons. Now if I could just get the boys to work in the garden with me...

Paula Sejut Dvorak

1. *Q. How long have you attended UCH, and what do you most enjoy about our church?*

A. I have been attending church since 2001, so nine years. Coming to UCH felt like coming home, and I have to say that's what I enjoy most. I appreciate having a church home.

2. *Q. In what faith/church (if any) were you raised? How does that experience inform your UUism?* A.

I was raised Catholic, but began to question the Catholic faith in high school. I appreciate having attended Catholic high school and college because I have an extensive background in western (and some eastern) theology from which to draw when discussing religion with others. It also taught me the importance of social justice.

3. *Q. What prompted you to accept your nomination to serve on the UCH Board?* A. I felt drawn to participate in the church leadership after fulfilling many other roles, such as RE volunteer and committee member.

4. *Q. How do you plan to contribute to the church in role as a board member? Is there anything you hope to focus on while you're on the board?* A. My focus will be on social justice issues, since that is an integral part of my portfolio and also a personal passion. I hope to expand the influence of the Social Action Committee while making service opportunities available to all members.

5. *Q. In what other ways have you been involved in UCH?* I have been an RE teacher for preschool and kindergarten. I am currently a co-facilitator for the junior and senior high OWL programs.

6. *Q. Which of the UU Principles is the most compelling for you and why?* A. I would say that "a free and responsible search for truth and meaning" is the most compelling to me. As I get older, I see the wide variety of ways that people live out their personal truths. I think that having free will (for lack of a better term) means that we not only have the ability to forge our own path of truth, we have a responsibility to do so.

7. *Q. Do you have a favorite Unitarian Universalist (alive or not, famous or not)? If so, please tell us who this person is and why you admire him/her.*

A. I am going to be corny (but honest) and say that my favorite Unitarian Universalist is my husband. He and I are so different in many ways, and yet we both find a home at UCH. He has taught me so much about respecting other people's paths and he is always encouraging me to look at things from a different perspective. I am glad that we are on this spiritual journey together. I admire him for his unwavering commitment to being the best father and husband that he can, as well as having an amazing work ethic. I feel that sometimes we learn the most important spiritual lessons from those to whom we are closest.

8. *Q. What are some of your plans for summer?* Work will be a big part of this summer, as I continue to establish myself at a private counseling practice. However, I also hope to have time to take some short trips with Tim and the boys, spend some time at the water park and just enjoy the (hopefully) beautiful weather outside.

Upcoming Events

June 4, Friday 7:00 P.M. First Friday Fun Night at the Church. Contact Kari Freeman (hollowcastle@gmail.com).

June 6, Sunday 9:30 A.M. Teacher Appreciation Breakfast in the Alice Warren Room. All ages are welcome and activities will be provided for children.

June 12, Saturday 1:30-4:30 P.M. Volunteer at the Greater Chicago Food Depository. For more information, contact Jean Noble (jeannoble03@hotmail.com)

June 13, Sunday, immediately following the service. UCH End of the Year All Community Picnic

June 14—Summer Office Hours begin

June 24, Thursday, 1:00 P.M.--UCH Lunch Bunch at Prasino in LaGrange (93 S. LaGrange Rd.)
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July 3, Saturday 7:00 P.M. First Friday Fun Night at the Church. Contact Kari Freeman (hollowcastle@gmail.com).

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July 31, Saturday 7:00 P.M. Music Benefactors' Recital in Chris Garofalo's home. To sponsor a soloist and attend the event, please contact Julie Beckman (630-985-4688).

August 8—MANNA orders due; cards available August 22. Contact Dana White (630-910-6557; ddws69@earthlink.net).

Summer Touchstone Submission Guidelines

The Touchstone submission deadline for the July/August issue is June 15; August 15 deadline for Sept. issue. E-mail submissions to Susan Hebble (sjhebble@comcast.net) and copy Office Administrator Luan Burton (office@hinsdaleunitarian.org). Article submissions should be no more than 150 words and are subject to editing for length and/or clarification. Always include specific contact information (name, e-mail address, and/or phone number) for readers' reference.

Order of Service Announcement Deadline

The Order of Service is printed weekly on Thursday, so announcements for the Sunday bulletin must be received at the office by Wednesday. Send the text to Luan Burton at office@hinsdaleunitarian.org.

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