

Music Schedule

March 1

Chris Garofalo, Piano

March 8

Carolyn May, Flute; Michelle Lekas, Violin;
and Mark Lekas, Cello; Chris Garofalo, piano

March 15

Celebration Singers,
Chris Garofalo, Piano

March 22

Chris Garofalo, Piano

March 29

Chris Garofalo, Piano

Services

March 1

9:30 and 11:00 A.M.

"The Simplest Ethic"

Rev. Edward Searl

In regards to human relations, is there a simpler ethic than the Golden Rule: to do to others as you would have done to yourself?

Monthly Collection For Social Justice: Unitarian Universalist Service Committee (UUSC)

(See article on page 4 for more information.)

March 8

9:30 and 11:00 A.M.

"Tween Age"

Rev. Edward Searl

I realize I've never offered a sermon on the long, sometime perilous, always passionate passage of adolescence. Drawing from my quote collection, *Coming of Age*, I'll speak to the dialectic between the teenager becoming an adult and the adults who nurture and set them free.

March 15

9:30 and 11:00 A.M.

"Across the Generations"

Rev. Edward Searl

Helene Fields will introduce her new book, *Grand Friendships: Connecting Generations.* This will launch my remarks on grandparenting and parenting—the mature generations loving and guiding the younger generations.

March 22

9:30 and 11:00 A.M.

"Connecting to the Mysteries of the Monarch Butterfly"

Pat Miller, Church Member

Much is known and yet unknown about the monarch butterfly – one of the most recognized and loved butterflies. Learn about the monarch and the phenomenon associated with its mysterious migration across North America from our own monarch expert!

March 29

9:30 and 11:00 A.M.

"Green Fields of the Mind"

Rev. Edward Searl

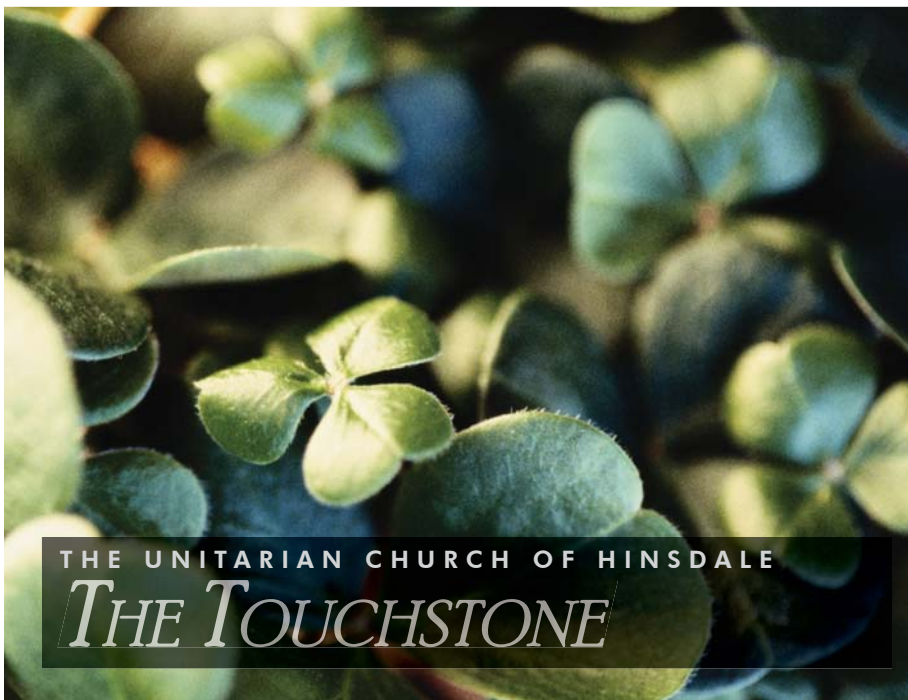
Building on A. Bartlett Giamatti's celebrated essay, I'll anticipate the start of a new Major League Baseball season and reflect on the game of baseball. The Cubbies begin their second century without a World Series Championship and I lift up, in the Old Testament style, a lament. Generally, I'll consider the role of sports in these unsettled times.

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Children and Youth Religious Education

Pam Fodor, Director of Religious Education

We Are Many, We Are One

Preschool Ages 3-4

March

- 1 We All Belong to the Family of Earth
- 8 Cooperation Means Helping Each Other
- 15 People of all Colors Are Important
- 22 We Need Rain
- 29 Spring Makes Our Earth Beautiful With Color

Preschoolers are naturally curious and often ask questions about differences among people and lifestyles. Learning about people who live in different parts of the world will increase their awareness of human diversity. Although we live in a competitive culture, there are many ways we can encourage cooperation in the classroom. Three basic ways to foster cooperation are by nurturing an attitude of respect, encouraging a feeling of community, and practicing the skills of cooperation through communication and sharing. To add to the attitude of cooperation we will develop positive images of a multi-cultural world, in which people of all races cooperate with one another and live together in harmony. Have no doubt that

around this time we will have many rainy days! Although rain spoils the outdoor fun for little ones, it is a necessary element for our Earth. When Spring comes, the world of nature awakens—flowers bloom, birds return home, hibernating animals stir from their winter sleep. It is only right to go outside and find those signs of spring!

Haunting House

Kindergarten & First Grade

March

- 1 Families and Feelings
- 8 Babies and Families
- 15 Birth of a Baby
- 22 Celebrations
- 29 A Haunting Question-Death

This month the children in Kindergarten and First Grade are participating in the Our Whole Lives Sexuality Education course for this age level. During the remaining lessons the children will study the changes families go through and will validate the feelings that surround those changes. The students will also be introduced to the concept of conception and the birth of a baby. At the end of the OWL unit, the students will celebrate all the stages of life—from infancy through old age. A natural progression from the beginning of life is to look at the ending of life and to realize that death is a natural part of the life cycle.

Stepping Stones

Grades 2-6

March

- 1 Meet Angus MacLean
- 8 Special Homelessness Worship
- 15 The Mustard Seed Medicine
- 22 The Road to Olepanti
- 29 The Tree with Forbidden Fruit

Angus MacLean was a Unitarian Religious Educator. His contributions placed emphasis on the importance of using the hands as well as the head and/or your sense of wonder about nature. He also highly valued parents as primary educators. We will take a nature walk directed by Angus MacLean's thoughts and will use our hands to plant seeds and honor the wonder of life and growth. *The Mustard Seed Medicine*, a story attributed to Buddha, helps teach an understanding that death comes to everyone. After the students act out the story, we will discuss our experiences with death and what we think happens after death.

The Road to Olepanti is a story from the Wintu Indians. Through this story, we will continue our discussion of death and take a step closer to understanding why there is

death and the importance of love while living. *The Tree with the Forbidden Fruit* is a story from the Hebrews that will introduce the children to a biblical story explaining evil, pain, and death. A conversation will follow about the realities of life.

Youth Group Activities Roy Fleet, Youth Director

Activities include community service, social action, education, worship, leadership, recreation and fundraising. As always, the emphasis is on having fun while applying UU Principles and Purposes. For specific information about the program, please contact Roy Fleet (FRFINC@gmail.com) or the church office (office@hinsdaleunitarian.org).

Please check the following calendar for OWL, Neighboring Faiths, and Youth Group meetings and events.

YG Activities for March

1	Sunday	OWL: YG:	Session 18: Teenage Pregnancy Neighboring Faiths	SYG = Senior Youth Group JYG = Junior Youth Group GCFD = Greater Chicagoland Food Depository
7	Saturday	YG @ GCFD: 1:15 to 4:30 PM		
8	Sunday	OWL YG:	Session 19: Defining/Redefining Abstinence Neighboring Faiths	
15	Sunday	OWL: YG:	Session 20: Contraception Neighboring Faiths	
22	Sunday	OWL: YG:	No session Neighboring Faiths Visit TBA	
29	Sunday	OWL: SYG:	Session 21: Unintended Pregnancy Meeting	

Upcoming Events

Social Justice Collection: Equal Justice Initiative

Sunday, March 1

About UUSC—The Unitarian Universalist Service Committee (UUSC) is a nonsectarian organization that advances human rights and social justice in the United States and around the world. We envision a world free from oppression and injustice, where all can realize their full human rights.

Through a combination of advocacy, education, and partnerships with grassroots organizations, UUSC promotes economic rights, advances environmental justice, defends civil liberties, and preserves the rights of people in times of humanitarian crisis.

We also engage local communities through two experiential-learning programs, **JustWorks** and **JustJourneys**, which introduce participants to the work of our domestic and overseas partners, who are often on the front lines of addressing social-justice issues.

Our work is built on the conviction that all people are entitled to basic human rights, which transcend divisions of class, race, nationality, sexual orientation, ethnicity, religion, and gender.

The UUSC relies on our members and supporters — people just like you — to run our programs. Anyone wishing to help support human rights and social justice is welcome to join us. UUSC is an associate member of the Unitarian Universalist Association (UUA), but receives no general financial support from the UUA. Neither do we receive funding from federal or state governments or institutions, ensuring our independent voice.

Please use the following guidelines in making your donation:

---If you wish to write a check directly to the organization, make it out to “UUSC.”

--If you prefer to make your donation via a check written to UCH, you must indicate UUSC in the memo. Save the canceled check for tax deduction purposes, as such donations through UCH will NOT be reflected on your year end statements from UCH.

---If you are placing a pledge payment or other contribution to UCH in the offertory, please indicate your intention in the memo of the check.

---If the memo line is blank, your check will go to the church operating fund.

Social Action Committee Meeting

Sunday March 1

The March meeting of the Social Action Committee will occur in the R.E Building on Sunday, March 1, starting at 12:30 P.M. and lasting for about 45 minutes, with an agenda consisting of whatever participants bring. Join us!

Fiction Book Discussion

Monday, March 9

The March 9th book is *Lemon Tree*, by Sandy Tolan. This book discussion group meets in the church lower level at 7:30 P.M. Contact Jay Van Cura for more information (jvancura@sbcglobal.net).

Women's Alliance

Thursday, March 12

Writing an obituary can be a daunting task. In the past, obituaries tended to be brief. Now, however, obituaries often tell the story of a person's life. Whether you choose to be brief or write a compelling story, some direction might be helpful. Enter Joan Kates. Joan writes obituaries for the Chicago Tribune and has graciously agreed to speak to the members of the Alliance on this important topic. Please join us on Thursday, March 12, for Writing Obituaries: Everything You Always Wanted To Know But Were Afraid To Ask. Bring a bag lunch at 12:15 or come for the program at 1 PM. All are welcome to attend. Hostesses for the month are Lucille Teisler and Martha Simmons.

Volunteer Greater Chicago Food Depository

Saturday, March 14 1:30 - 4:30 PM

NO COMMITMENT - COME ONCE AND TRY US OUT. This makes an excellent project to bond with friends, kids, grandkids; kids must be over 13. Volunteer work is not strenuous and includes packing boxes, sorting food items and lots of fun. Plus, for every hour/person worked, \$5 in food credits is given to the Canaan Food Pantry.

Meet at GCFD, 4100 W. Ann Lurie Place (42nd Place), Chicago. Call Jean Noble (708-485-0281) for directions/further information.

Upcoming dates for 2009:
Apr 11, May 9, Jun 13, Jul 11

Presentation of Concerns About the Teaching of Creationism in Public School

Monday, March 16, 7:30 P.M.

UCH member Brant Abrahamson will discuss concerns around the teaching of Creationism in the public schools. Incorporating related issues about Second Amendment separation of church and state, Brant's presentation will be very timely as these issues are once more on the front burner as large school districts prepare to order their science textbooks for the coming year and as local school board elections fast approach. Plan to come and hear the current concerns about our Civil Liberties under the Constitution. On Monday, March 16, 2009, 7:30 p.m. Joshi Auditorium, 2nd/Upstairs floor of the UCH Religious Education Building, 17 West Maple, Hinsdale. No signup required.

UCH Lunch Bunch

Thursday March 19

If you signed up for March Lunch Bunch at College of DuPage (this one was reservation only), the date is Thursday, March 19 at 11:15 AM. Any questions contact Anita Jencks at (630) 971-1680 or email apjencks@att.net. Stay tuned for April Lunch Bunch date and location!

Non-Fiction Book Discussion

Thursday, March 19

The Non-Fiction Book Discussion Group will meet Thursday, March 19 at 7:30 p.m. in the Alliance Room. We will discuss *Dynamics of Faith* by Paul Tillich.

Cardboard City

March 21

The Unitarian Church of Hinsdale will host Cardboard City 2009 on March 21st to raise awareness and support for homeless families in our community. Join us as a sleeper or a sponsor as we sleep outside in tents, cars, or cardboard boxes on Saturday, March 21st. For more information about this project visit the No More Turning Away website at www.nomoreturningaway.org or contact Pam Fodor at re@hinsdaleunitarian.org. Also look for more information coming soon!!

Book Discussion Group

Tuesday, March 24

The March 24th book is *Family Matters*, by Rohinton Mistry. We will meet at 7:30, lower level of the church.

UCH Invitation Sunday

Sunday, April 5

The Unitarian Church of Hinsdale will host Invitation Sunday on April 5, the first Sunday in April. The theme is "Bring a friend, make a friend." We are asking everyone who has a friend or family member who might be interested in the church to bring that friend to church. We will be providing a special e-mail flyer that you can forward to your friends, inviting them to one of the two services on that date. On the first Sunday of April, let's introduce our friends to our fellow members, and make a special effort to make everyone's friends feel welcome!

Church Messages

Manna is under new leadership! Next order is due March 8

A million thanks to Dana White, who has agreed to administer the Manna program, and to Jeri O'Brien, who has agreed to help out with the program. We now have a bona fide committee (Dana, Jeri, Terri Fischer and Sara Teppema), so we are able to keep this great fundraiser afloat.

Our next order will be DUE on March 8, 2009. Gift cards will be available March 22. Use Manna for your everyday purchases -- groceries, prescriptions, gasoline, restaurants, coffee -- as well as for gifts. Spring break is coming up and this will be the last order before Mother's Day (how about Fanny May, Bath & Body Works, Kohl's, Barnes & Noble) and probably most graduations (Best Buy, iTunes, Borders). We are hoping to do one more order in late May, before our summer break.

Order forms will be in the Alice Warren Room, in the church office, or contact Dana or Sara Teppema and we can email it to you.

Dana: ddws69@earthlink.net,

Sara: sarateps@sbcglobal.net. Please contact us also if you have questions about the program.

Neighbor Nights: Past and Future

As of this Touchstone deadline, Areas 1 through 7 have held their Neighbor Nights events. About one hundred people, including 10 children, have gathered together in fellowship as part of our UU community. Even without Areas 8 and 9, which meet the last of February, attendance has included almost one-third of our total membership, an extraordinary turnout given our busy lives! We hope that you enjoyed these gatherings and met someone new or became better acquainted with someone you did know. The Membership Committee extends a hearty thank you to all who have hosted and helped out with the Neighbor Nights program.

We realize that many members and friends were unable to attend our midwinter gatherings, so the Membership Committee is planning another series of Neighbor Nights in late April-May. Think about inviting a friend or neighbor to get acquainted with our UU church community in your area. If you are busy at the time your area meets, please feel free to attend a gathering in a different area. Look for the next round of "Neighbor Nights: Find a UU Near U."

Is there a time of day or week that would better suit your schedule? Would you like to host the next gathering in your area? Do you have some comments you would like to share with the Membership Committee? Contact Jane Foulser at 630-833-3028 or jfoulser@mindspring.com or Larry Price at lprice@anl.gov.

Electronics Recycling Tour: A Shredding Good Time

Members of UCH toured Sims Recycling Solutions on Monday, January 19, to see how electronics waste is treated by a responsible recycler. Much of our obsolete electronic goods are shipped to China and other developing nations, where people burn the plastic parts, melt lead over hotplates, and dump toxic materials directly into water supplies. Sims is one of the few electronics recyclers that recycles all materials domestically.

On the tour, 28 UCH members—adults and kids—viewed the operation of two giant shredders. One shredder handles only CRT monitors and TVs, which contain lead glass. The glass is pulverized and sent to a smelter that produces metallic lead and clean sand. The other shredder is for everything else, and sorts materials into copper, ferrous and non-ferrous metals, and plastics, which are sold for reprocessing.

The Green Sanctuary Committee is planning another electronics collection day for the spring, and we will use Sims as our responsible recycler. Save your old computers, monitors, and cell phones, and watch for further announcements.

Calling All Green Thumbs to Join the PEP Club

Join the UCH Produce Exchange Program (PEP)! It's an easy way to share one (or more) of your vegetables, herbs, or fruit in our own food co-op. Name the crop you plan to grow and share, bring in the bounty, and share the produce of other church members' gardens. It's The Ultimate Local Source Anywhere (TULSA)! Look for the green hats of Green Sanctuary committee members, and sign up any Sunday in March. We are Unitarians Sharing Shallots and Radishes (USSR)!

Ushers Needed For 11 AM Service

Ushering is easy, fun, and a great way to meet people in the congregation. If you are interested in being an usher or alternate, please e-mail me at jeannoble03@hotmail.com or see me after the 11 A.M. service.

A Small Way to Make a BIG Difference

Contributions to the Head Start families' Emergency Food Pantry have measurably increased. Thank you everyone! We continue to stock:

Canned or Jarred Foods -- vegetables, pasta sauce, fruit, jam, peanut butter etc.

Dry or Boxed Foods -- rice, pasta, cereal, instant oatmeal, mashed potatoes, etc.

Boxed dinners -- macaroni & cheese, rice and pasta dinners, Hamburger Helper, etc.

Please consider adding these items to your shopping list to help us keep this pantry well-stocked. Bring your donations to any one of four convenient collection points, as follows:

In the Church Building

1. Upstairs Coat Closet (south entrance vestibule)
2. Alice Warren Room (lower level of church) near the Social Action bulletin board at south end of room

In R.E. Building

3. Drop Box at base of east staircase (lower level of building)
4. Gray Cabinet in Room 3 (lower level of building)

(NOTE: Please bring food items only as Head Start staff are not set up to distribute money.) For more information please contact Pam Fodor re@hinsdaleunitarian.org or 630-323-2885.

Interested In Joining A Food Cooperative?

Liberal Pantry has called UCH its home for over 11 years and draws its membership from the congregation and surrounding communities. The coop buys organic and environmentally friendly produced products in case lots from United Natural Foods (www.unfi.com) and repackages the products according to advance orders. Deliveries are received and processed in the Alice Warren Room every 4 weeks on a Monday. Contact Roy Fleet at FRFINC@gmail.com for membership information.

Coat Drive

YG is collecting coats and other warm clothing for our HeadStart families all year long. You can help by donating clean, ready to use items. Look for the collection bins in the AWR and RE Building.

Plant Sale

Look for Advance Order Plant Sale forms in the Youth Group Corner of the Alice Warren Room. Forms also available on-line and with the Touchstone. Due date: Sunday, March 15th, delivery: May 2nd.

Board Briefs

Complete minutes of the Board of Trustee meetings are on file in the church office. Visitors are welcome to attend Board meetings, which are held the first Tuesday of the month at 7:30 in the Alice Warren Room.

General Announcements

PADS Fundraiser

Thursday March 5

DuPage PADS (Public Action to Deliver Shelter) invites you to its third annual fundraising event on March 5th from 5:30 -9:30 at Abbington Banquets, Glen Ellyn. "A Taste of Hope: Chefs Uniting to End Homelessness" offers a casual late-winter feast of outstanding dining choices and features music, silent and live auctions, and a raffle. Tickets for the evening are \$80 per person. For more information, contact Jen at DuPage PADS (630-682-3846 x242) or www.dupagepads.org.

A Radio Recommendation

Submitted by Sandy Price

If you like talk radio and want more perspectives, I recently learned of WCPT, an independently owned progressive radio station in Chicago. In researching advertising options, I found that the Chicago Area UU Council placed ads on the station over the holidays and through the inauguration with some success. The station broadcasts at 820 AM during the day in the City and out here at 92.5 FM from 5 AM to 9 PM and can be streamed on-line anytime. Hosts are Stephanie Miller, Randi Rhodes, and Thom Hartmann among others. Check out <http://www.chicagoprogressivetalk.com>.

*Hey, at least the ads are different. Recycled glass counter tops?

Among Ourselves

Thanks, OWL facilitators!

The Religious Education program would like to send a very special thank you to those dedicated men and women who have made our OWL program so successful! Thank you to our baby OWL teachers Robyn Abend, Liz McDonald and Hans Lonroth. Thank you to Luan Burton and Cathy Nestlinger-Goldberg for facilitating our fifth and sixth grade OWL classes, and a continued thank you to Roy Fleet, Tony Meadors, Paula Sejut-Dvorak, and Karin Janowski for their entire year commitment to our Jr. High OWL program. We sincerely appreciate your dedication to providing our children with healthy, age-appropriate sexuality education!

Thanks Gene Parvin!

The UCH Board would like to thank Gene Parvin for stepping up to fill the role of Property Manager for the Church.

Thank You from the Bridge Communities

Submitted by Pam Fodor

We received the following thank-you note from The Bridge Communities.

Thank you for your commitment to our Bridge Communities families. Notes we receive [from grateful clients] remind us that our Bridge families have amazing potential. It is our privilege to journey with them as they work hard to create a better life for themselves and their children.

Thank you for your donation of \$256.92. . . . Friends like you help us further our mission of connecting homeless families to a brighter future.

Bridge Communities is one of the privileged few organizations in the United States to earn a 4-Star Rating from Charity Navigator. Annually, Bridge demonstrates the highest standard in effective and efficient use of the contributions you have entrusted to us. Your donation will be used to provide safe and affordable housing, tutoring for adults and children, life-skills mentoring, and employment coaching and training.

Sincerely,

Joyce Hothan

Executive Director

Heart to Heart Program **Brought Smiles to UCHers!**

Thank you to everyone who participated in the Heart To Heart Secret Friend Project. This project offers a wonderful way for the generations to connect. We hope you had a good time participating!

New Touchstone Submission Guidelines

Have some information to share with the congregation? Then please submit your article for publication in The Touchstone. Submissions should be sent to Susan Hebble at sjhebble@comcast.net with a copy to the church office at office@hinsdaleunitarian.org. Susan will collect all submissions and send them to Dan Speziale for formatting. Because our goal is to make the Touchstone available in a timely manner, all submissions must be received by the 15th of the month.

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.

Contacts

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Director of Religious Education – Pam Fodor (ext. 110, re@hinsdaleunitarian.org)

Church Administrator – Luan Burton (ext. 101, office@hinsdaleunitarian.org)

ADVANCE ORDER PLANT SALE
 Pick-up From 9 AM to Noon
 Saturday, May 2nd
 Unitarian Church of Hinsdale
 Alice Warren Room, 11 W. Maple

SELLERS: UCH YOUTH GROUP
 C/O Roy Fleet
 112 North Lincoln
 Westmont, IL 60559
 Phone: 630/964-8100 FAX: 1355
 email: FRFINC@gmail.com

BUYER:

ADDRESS:

PHONE:

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EMAIL:

FRONT TOTAL

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BACK TOTAL

GRAND TOTAL

Special notes: > Please make checks payable to Unitarian Church of Hinsdale.
 > Put orders and checks into drop box at Youth Group Corner in AWR or send it in.
 > All orders and checks must be received by **NOON ON SUNDAY, MARCH 15, 2009**.
 > The form is posted on UCH's home page (www.hinsdaleunitarian.org).
 You can download it, fill out your order, and return it by email or fax.
 > Ask your friends and neighbors to join your order and please deliver their orders promptly.
 > Donations from your garden are welcome on Friday night or early Saturday morning.
 > Plants supplied by Ted's Greenhouse in Tinely Park.

Youth Sales Person:

FLOWERING BASKETS (10" baskets)	COLOR	#	PRICE	TOTAL
BACOPA	WHITE		\$18	
BEGONIAS: Non Stop	RED		\$18	
FUCHSIA	RED & PURPLE		\$18	
FUCHSIA	RED & WHITE		\$18	
IMPATIENS: Double	RED		\$18	
IMPATIENS: Double	PURPLE		\$18	
GERANIUMS: Ivy	RED		\$18	
GERANIUMS: Ivy	WHITE		\$18	
GERANIUMS: Ivy	LAVENDAR		\$18	
SCAEVOLA (Fan blooms along stem)	BLUE		\$18	

SALE NOTES:

Baskets provide the easiest solution to summer gardening

ZONAL GERANIUMS (4" pots)	COLOR	#	PRICE	TOTAL
	RED		\$3	
	WHITE		\$3	
	VIOLET		\$3	
	SALMON		\$3	

Decorate your decks and doorways with the bright colors of geraniums.

FERNS (4-1/2" Deep pots)	DESCRIPTION	#	PRICE	TOTAL
ATHYRIUM FELIX FEMINA: Lady	Lacy, to 30"		\$4	
ATHYRIUM NIPONICUM PICTUM: Painted	to 24"		\$4	
MATTEUCCIA STRUTHIOPTERIS: Ostrich	4 Qt Pot, to 5'		\$11	

Ferns provide a softening accompaniment to hostas and other shadeplants. These need moist conditions.

POTTED/ACCENT PLANTS (4" pot)	#	PRICE	TOTAL
DRACENA: Spikes		\$3	
SPRENGERII: Asparagus Fern		\$3	
VINCA VINES		\$3	

HERBS (3-1/2" pots)	DESCRIPTION	#	PRICE	TOTAL
	ANNUALS			
BASIL	SWEET		\$3	
CHAMOMILE: German	White Flowers		\$3	
CILANTRO: Slow to Bolt	PLAIN		\$3	
DILL	BOUQUET		\$3	
NASTURTIUM	EDIBLE		\$3	
PARSLEY	CURLY		\$3	

Enjoy the fragrance of herbs by planting together or alone in pots on your patio.

HERBS (3-1/2" pots)

DESCRIPTION # PRICE TOTAL

PERENNIALS & TENDER PERENNIALS				
CHIVES	GARLIC		\$3	
GERANIUM	CITRONELLA		\$3	
LAVENDER	ENGLISH		\$3	
MINT	SPEARMINT		\$3	
OREGANO	GREEK		\$3	
ROSEMARY	COMMON		\$3	
SAGE	COMMON		\$3	
THYME	COMMON		\$3	

SALE NOTES:

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ANNUAL 1/2 FLATS - 18 pods

COLOR # PRICE TOTAL

ALYSSUM (Full sun)	MIXED		\$8	
BEGONIAS: Fib. Rooted (Full sun/shade)	MIXED		\$8	
CELOSIA: Cockscomb-crested (Full sun)	MIXED		\$8	
COLEUS: Shade, deeply lobed leaves	MIXED		\$8	
DUSTY MILLER (Full sun/part shade)	SILVER FOLIAGE		\$8	
IMPATIENS (Shade)	ACCENT MIX		\$8	
LOBELIA (Full sun/part shade)	BLUE		\$8	
MARIGOLD: French (Full sun)	ORANGE		\$8	
MARIGOLD: French (Full sun)	YELLOW		\$8	
PANSY (Full sun/part shade)	MIXED		\$8	
PETUNIAS (Full sun)	MIXED		\$8	
PORTULACA (Full sun)	SUNDIAL MIX		\$8	
SALVIA (Full sun)	RED		\$8	
SNAPDRAGONS: (Full sun) 8" to 10"	MIXED		\$8	

Coleus provides a beautiful foliage accent and lasts well into the fall. Dusty Miller brightens pinks, purples, and blues.

PERENNIALS (most in 4.5" sq pots)

COLOR # PRICE TOTAL

	SPRING BLOOM			
AQUILEGIA: Barlow	MIX		\$3	
GERANIUM: Brookside (4qt pot)	VIOLET w/RD VEINS		\$10	
IRIS SIBERICA: Caesars Brother	VIOLET/BLUE		\$10	
	SUMMER BLOOM			
ALCEA ROSEA: Hollyhock to 24"	PURPLE		\$3	
ASTIBLE CHINENSIS: Pumilla (12")	LAVENDER PINK		\$4	
COREOPSIS: Moonbeam (15")	YELLOW		\$3	
COREOPSIS: Rosea (15")	PINK		\$3	
DELPHINIUM: B. Volkerfieden (4', 4qt pot)	DEEP BLUE		\$14	
ECHINACEA MAGNUS: Coneflower	PURPLE/PINK		\$3	
LIATRIS S. KOBOLD: Blazing Star (Spike)	PURPLE		\$3	
LIATRIS SPICATA WHITE (Spike)	WHITE		\$3	
MONARDA: Bee Balm - Marshall's Delight	PINK		\$10	
MONARDA: Bee Balm - Blue Stocking	VIOLET/PURPLE		\$4	
PHLOX: (to 36", 4qt pot)	BLUE		\$10	
RUBECKIA FULGIDA: Black-eyed Susan	YELLOW		\$3	
VERONICA: Royal Candles (to 18", 4qt pot)	VIOLET BLUE		\$10	
	INTO FALL BLOOM			
BUDDLEIA: Bttrfly Bush (4qt pot)	BLUE to VIOLET		\$10	
CARYOPTERIS: (2-3' shrub) (4qt pot)	DARK BLUE		\$10	

Our winters can be hard on cultivars that are highly rated for their durability and attractiveness.