

January 3, 2026

Friends,

Please keep Carol Bontempo and Alberta Mobley in your thoughts. Both members are in the hospital.

This week's forum: Teresa Brown, The Alzheimer's Association. We will learn what to look for and what to do.

Next week's forum: Ashley Blankenship, Capital Arts Gallery Manager. Plus, a soup kitchen which she has started.

This week's Sermon- Resistance as Renewal by Rev Tim Temerson
Rev Tim has been the lead minister at the Unitarian Universalist Congregation of Charlottesville, Virginia, since 2022. In addition to ministry, Tim also serves as an adjunct professor in Religious Studies at Kent State University in Ohio and at Germanna Community College in Fredericksburg. He lives in Crozet with his wife, Carol, and daughter, Carissa.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=uZc6kWo7vG4&t=11s>

UU Moment - Kindness as an Act of Resistance by Rev. Dayna Edwards
Rev Dayna serves as the Minister of Faith Formation at Cedar Lane Unitarian Universalist Congregation (Bethesda, MD). Her ministry is rooted in creating and sustaining intergenerational relationships. She lives in Prince George's County, MD with her three children.

Rev. Dayna's sermon "Kindness as an Act of Resistance," proposes that deep kindness - the kind that moves us out of our comfort zones - is a possible antidote to tyranny.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=759HhkDo3uc>

Children attending in-person are welcome to join RE Instructor Dr Samantha Porter for a lesson during the service hour. January's theme: Practicing Resistance.

Lunch After Services- Please join us for lunch after the service this week at Panera Bread.

Our next Intergenerational
Classic Read is

Coffee Will Make You Black

by April Sinclair

Book discussion will be on

Sunday, February 8, 2026 at 2pm

Drum Circle
will meet the 2nd
Monday of the
month from 7-8 pm
Next meeting is
January 12.

If you are NOT receiving emails that contain information, newsletters & bulletins about the fellowship and would like to, please let Mary Jo LaCorte, fellowship administrator, know @ uufjc1@gmail.com.

C.U.U.P.S.
Covenant of UU Pagans
Meets every 3rd Tuesday of the
month
@ the Fellowship
Contact Kurt Groner for more
information
573-636-0648

The UUFJC meditation
group meets every
Wednesday at 7 pm

Yoga with Alberta meets
Every Tuesday @ 11 am
By donation.

This Week's Joys & Concerns:

If you have a joy or concern that you would like to have read during a service or shared in our weekly email, please submit it by noon on the Friday before through our website: <http://uufjc.org/joys--concerns.html>

We will also have paper forms available Sunday morning for submissions. Submissions made after noon on Friday may not be read or shared until the following week.

All members are welcome to attend our board meetings. The next meeting will be on January 18 after the service.

Caring Committee

Contact Mary Jo LaCorte at: uufjc1@gmail.com for assistance.

Blessings Always,
Mary Jo LaCorte
UUFJC Administrator

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