THE CARDS ARE DEALT!
TIME TO START BIDDING!

AUCTION KICK-OFF EVENING
Saturday, April 6 • 6:00 - 8:00PM • Gallery

We will begin the evening at 6:00 with assigning bid numbers and sharing on the auction process. At 6:05 the silent auction will be open for the items on the Tasty Treat tables as well as the ‘Instant Auction’, which are specially selected artisan items. At 7:00, this early bidding ends and you’ll be able to claim the items for which you have the highest bid.

Just after 7:00, bidding opens on Meals, Events, and Services, and you’ll be able to purchase Tiny Raffle Boxes for $5 each.

• While you are bidding you can enjoy a light meal with friends.
• Childcare will be provided for the auction kick-off evening on April 6.
• Remember, while bidding continues through the month of April, competition will be keen, especially for the set-price meals.
• No money will be collected on kick-off night. All purchases will be recorded on a running ‘tab’ for each bid number.
• For your convenience we will hold “Bank Day” on Saturday, May 4 and again on Sunday May 5.

Bid early and often! Don’t worry if you cannot make it to the Kick-Off Evening, you may get a bid number anytime during the month of April.

It’s exciting to play a new card game. It’s also exciting to gather as a community to launch a new auction season and help make this church fundraiser a success!

Spring Congregational Meeting • Sunday, May 19 • 11:30AM

The Spring Congregational Meeting will be May 19 after service. As in the past, there will be two Town Hall meetings prior to the Spring Congregational Meeting, where you can become familiar with agenda items and ask questions. Town Hall Meetings will be April 28 and May 12 after service. More information about the agenda will be presented at the Town Halls and in the May newsletter.
April Services
Unitarian Church of Lincoln
6300 A Street

10AM Sunday, April 7 - “Justice on Earth”
Members of the Green Sanctuary Committee offer reflections on their reading of the UUA's 2018 Common Read, Justice on Earth: People of Faith Working at the Intersections of Race, Class and the Environment.

Worship Leaders: Green Sanctuary
Worship Associate: Becky Seth
Music: Eldon Drive

10AM Sunday, April 14 - “Being Incomplete - Sin in Unitarian Universalism”
What is a Unitarian-Universalist theology of not-wholeness? What does it mean when we are incomplete through our own actions, and how do we point ourselves back to wholeness?

Worship Leader: Rev. Oscar Sinclair
Worship Associate: Schuyler Geery-Zink
Share the Care: Social Justice Committee

7PM Thursday, April 18 - Third Thursday - “Wholeness”
A humanist exploration of wholeness through music.

Worship Leader: Rev. Oscar Sinclair
Music: A Street Band

7PM Friday, April 19 - “Tenebrae”
Tenebrae means ‘shadows’ or ‘darkness,’ a traditional service recognizing Good Friday, the day tradition says that Jesus of Nazareth was killed.

Worship Leader: Rev. Oscar Sinclair

10AM Sunday, April 21 - “Easter”
Easter is a story of transformation. In the midst of loss and endings, how do we find and cultivate wholeness?

Worship Leader: Rev. Oscar Sinclair
Worship Associate: TBD
Music: UCL Choir

10AM Sunday, April 28 - “Earth Day”
The sixth source of Unitarian Universalism asks us to celebrate the sacred circle of life, and to live in harmony with the rhythms of nature. What do teachings from Earth-centered traditions and others hold for us in an age of rapidly changing climate?

Worship Leader: Rev. Oscar Sinclair
Worship Associate: Burt Smith
Music: Summer Bracken
Wholeness

A big part of my life over the last month has been looking back over the congregation’s history to see where we might be going. In community organizing, I learned that there’s a word for this: Sankofa. Sankofa is a word in Twi, the language of the Akan people of Ghana. Translated poetically, Sankofa means ‘to go back to the past bring forward what is useful.’[1] This spring the leadership of this church and I are delving into some of the places we’ve been as a congregation, to find what will be useful as we try to answer some questions: What is the core of who we are about, as a congregation? What is the right time and way to add a second service? What parts of our history do we want to carry forward, and what do we want to leave in the past?

The Sankofa idea, and its associated imagery of a bird looking backward, is closely associated with the African diaspora, both in academic departments like Southern Illinois, and in organizing groups like Black Lives of Unitarian Universalism. [2]

Engaging with where we’ve come from is a key part of this idea of wholeness that we will be speaking about this month. In March my parents and grandparents visited us, and hearing their stories about parenting - stories that I have heard before, but never as a parent myself - helped me to understand who I am in this role, and how I want to be going forward. There are, of course, things in the past that we have learned from and do not want to carry into the present, but the process of making that decision can be an important one.

- Oscar

1] https://cola.siu.edu/africanastudies/about-us/sankofa.php


WORSHIP ARTS NEWS

MARCH!

I am so glad it is over. What a great yet hectic month for music. Many of you know that I wear multiple hats throughout the week. Music Director, teacher, performer - they all seemed to coalesce in March for one of the busiest months in a long time!

On the church side of things, we are still searching and interviewing for a permanent choir director as of this writing. Many thanks to Julie Enersen for stepping in to direct. In addition to my usual church duties, a colleague and I performed at the North American Saxophone Alliance Region III Conference, I flew to Maryland for a yearly event with my dad that I couple with some professional research, and at the end of the month I helped host the Hastings Jazz Festival. I don't know what I would have done without Julie to assist!

The Third Thursday service in April will see the A Street Band return to help Oscar and me share a message of wholeness. We hope to see you there!

Stay warm! All the best,

Bob Fuson, DMA
Music Director

“How is it that music can, without words, evoke our laughter, our fears, our highest aspirations?”

― Jane Swan
What’s New with OWL?
“What are we doing tonight?”
It’s a question I hear every Wednesday as students start filing into the classroom. I’ve grown so used to it that sometimes I write topics on the whiteboard just to get ahead of them.

This year we are holding OWL for grades 7-9. Ask any OWL facilitator and they’ll tell you that this is the most grueling session. It meets once a week for nine months, it lasts two hours and did I mention it’s for grades 7-9?

OWL (Our Whole Lives) is a fully comprehensive sex education program. There are classes for kindergartners through octogenarians. This year we have students from our own church, one student whose family is in no way connected with the church, and a student from Second Unitarian in Omaha whose mom drives him into Lincoln every week. These parents have made a commitment to their children’s sexual education and I’m so happy that we are able to support them.

I hope that you got a chance to look over the Valentines that were displayed in the gallery a few weeks ago. Leave it to UU kids to creatively express their appreciation for lessons about sexuality, expression, relationships, consent, protection against STI’s and unintended pregnancy, puberty, bullying, options, and intimacy. OWL creates a safe space for them to learn and ask any questions they might have.

It is my personal joy to have watched our program grow but we are still struggling. We need more amazing facilitators who are passionate about arming kids with factual information and confidence regarding sexuality and relationships. There is training available this summer for grades K-5. We need people and funds. If you would like to attend training or if you would like to donate so that others can go to training please contact me at childcare@unitarianlincoln.org.

Feel free to reach out if you would like to know more about OWL and what classes are coming up, such as adult sessions this Summer and a parody class as an auction item!

I hope you feel a bit more informed about what’s going on in OWL and a bit less confused about what you may find written on the whiteboard in the Gathering Place.

Blessings,
Ashleigh Fuson, RGL Committee Chair

APRIL RGL CALENDAR
Preschool Class and Nursery Care are available every Sunday for younger Pre-K children in the Preschool Room.

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April Adult RGL Class Offerings
The following one-session workshops/classes are being offered this spring as part of the Adult RGL Program.

- Unseen Challenges of Diabetes
  Saturday April 27 • 10:30AM - NOON

- Parenting and Support of Transgender Youth
  Saturday April 13 • 10:30AM - NOON

- Caring for Aging Parents
  Saturday April 20 • 11:30AM - 1:00PM (Brown bag lunch)

- Science and Practice of Buddhist Meditation
  Sunday April 14 • 11:30AM -1:00PM (Brown bag lunch)

You may sign up until the week before each class is scheduled by sending an email to Duncan Case frankcase4346@gmail.com.
Partnering with Clinton

From Karen Dienstbier

Volunteering in the library at Clinton Elementary School is a joy and a quiet time for me. The librarian Linda Staenberg is a fun person with whom to work. She always has something for me to do. Sometimes it may be hanging decorations on the bulletin board outside the library door, at other times it is simply shelving books. She is very good about explaining which part of the library houses certain books. Depending upon the day and the activities, the room is either full of children excitedly choosing books or it is a quiet time to just shelve the books. If you can spare a few hours to help children, please volunteer! contact Mark Weddleton at mweddleton@gmail.com or 402.499.6672.

Volunteers needed for Clinton Bike Rodeo and Family Health Night

Our partner school Clinton Elementary is looking for volunteers from our church to staff activities from 4:00PM - 5:30PM Thursday, April 25. Clinton is located at 29th and Holdrege. If you can Show Up for this, contact Mark Weddleton at mweddleton@gmail.com or 402.499.6672.

Board Nomination Forms

April 14 is the deadline for candidate nomination forms for Board of Trustees to be submitted to the church office or to a committee member.

Anyone thinking of becoming a candidate for the Board of Trustees position should have their candidate form filled out and a photo attached and sent to the church office by April 14. If possible please plan to attend the two Town Hall meetings which will be on April 28 and May 12 after church.

For questions please contact any member of the Nominations Committee – Karen Dienstbier, kdien@allophone.com, or Kathy Disney, Kate McDougall, Karen Heafer or Larry Pelter.

Bluestem Summer Camp

Bluestem Montessori is offering three weeks of summer camp this year for children aged 5 - 10 (entering grade K - 5). The cost is $175/week, with a nonrefundable $25 deposit due with application and the remaining $150 due on or before May 15. The hours are from 8:30AM - 3:30PM. Head on over to www.bluestemmontessori.com/enroll to register. Please provide lunch and a change of clothes daily. A snack will be provided.

Insect Investigation June 24-28

Come learn about your favorite creepy crawlies at Bluestem! Did you know insects are the most successful creatures found on our planet? Learn how they've populated every nook and cranny of the Earth! Did you know that prehistoric insects were huge? Did you know there still are some huge insects? Did you know that insects live in Antarctica, and that there are insects that eat poop?? We'll make our own insect homes, experience the world as insects do, and learn how they make our world a better (and buggier) place to live.

Pirates on the High Seas - July 15-19

Yo ho! Travel back in time to the swashbuckling age of pirates! What was it really like aboard a pirate’s ship? Where did pirates bury their treasure? We’ll set sail on the seas of our imaginations (and history!) to answer these questions. Design your own flag, go on a treasure hunt, and learn the stories of history’s most feared buccaneers!

Adventures in Outer Space July 22-26

Space… the final frontier. Join us on a journey through our galaxy and the stars beyond. What does it take to be an astronaut, and what does it feel like to be in space? How far does space go, anyway? What makes a planet (and why isn’t Pluto one)?
Showing Up for Social Justice

Upcoming events:

An Evening with John Pavlovitz—Stuff That Needs to be Said
Thursday April 4 • 7:00PM • First Plymouth Church
Forgiveness is the theme of several events in April that are related to The Forgiveness Project. Free Admission.

Forgiven: Love Conquers All
April 8 - 10 • 8:00PM • Nebraska Wesleyan University Studio Theatre, 48th & St. Paul
A portrayal of local stories written and performed by students. Free Admission.

Interfaith Prayer Breakfast
Friday, April 12 • 7:00AM • Lincoln Station

Monthly Meeting
Tuesday, April 2 • 7:00PM
Our guest speaker is Monica Zinke, executive director of Fresh Start. Join us to learn more about this organization that the church supports through donations and providing meals. All are welcome to join us for this presentation and then leave or join us for the business portion of the meeting, which goes till 8:30PM.

The F Word: Stories of Forgiveness.
April 28 - May 16 • Gateway Mall
Stories of forgiveness from around the world will be displayed.

Who Establishes Policies?

From Linda Brown, BOT President

The question of “Who establishes policies for the church?” came before the Board in March. The answer is: “It is a responsibility of the Board to establish policy.”

When the new congregational governance model and the Bylaws were approved at the May 2018 congregational meeting, all the previous policies went away. Many of them tied responsibility to the Management Team, which no longer exists. Consequently, this year the Board is working hard to rewrite all of the policies. We have tried hard to incorporate the language from previous policies into the updated policies. I am thinking about the gift acceptance policy, the LUF BOT agreement, the safety policy.

The Green Sanctuary Committee wrote an environmental policy, which was reviewed by the Program Council and then went to the Board for final approval.

We understand that the Program Council and committees create their own working guidelines/procedures. These are not binding for other groups in the church in the way that policy is.

We also have internal policies (maybe we should call them procedures) that the board has reviewed, but does not approve. Examples include the financial handbook and the building use/rental agreement procedures. These are living documents, subject to change.

Ultimately, we want all of the policies and internal procedures posted on the website at About us>Leaders>Church Policies/Procedures. Know that the Safety policy is still in review.

Fair Trade for Social Justice

You can continue to purchase Equal Exchange coffee and chocolate and Palestinian olive oil at the kiosk beside the bookstore.
Midwest Leadership School UUA

From Linda Brown, BOT President

July 14 - 20 • Decorah, IA

Consider attending Midwest Leadership School UUA, July 14-20, 2019 at Luther College in Decorah Iowa. The adult and youth programs are separate, but run the same week. I attended this intense week several years ago. I recommend it for those interested in leadership in the church. For me, the week was filled with opportunities for learning about leadership styles, small group worship design, and growing my own self-understanding through writing assignments. The experience is too enormous for me to fully describe. Please see the website https://www.mwls.org.

We can send 4 adults and 4 students. The tuition fee for adult participants is $590 each, the student tuition fee is $495 each. The congregation also pays a fee for each participant. The Board wants to encourage attendance. After rereading the cost of the additional congregational fee, I realize the Board set aside enough money to pay the congregational fee for the 4 adults and 4 students. I do realize that the tuition fees may still be daunting. A new grant/loan period for Cole funds will be announced after the April 9 Board meeting. Interested persons could apply for some support at that time. Scholarships are also available from the school. Everything is on a "first come" basis. Email lindar1brown@gmail.com to get on the list.

IMPORTANT DEADLINE - May 5

Share the Plate

It is time to nominate local non-profit organizations and/or national Unitarian Universalist related organizations that express our principles to be considered for Share the Plate for June 2019 through May 2020. Each year, we select one Sunday a month in which the offering is given to a local or UU organization.

Email admin@unitarianlincoln.org or pick up a paper form and provide three pieces of information on or before Sunday, May 5: • Nominator’s Name (you) • Nominee (the organization) • A short, descriptive paragraph (200 words or less of your nominee’s activities, goals and/or purpose.) Past Share the Plate recipients can be found on the church’s web site under Ministries >Outreach. Ten Share the Plate recipients will be voted on during the Spring Congregational Meeting May 19.

Unsung Unitarians

It’s that time of year again: time to honor one among us as the 2019 Unsung Unitarian! The Unsung Unitarian Award is annually conferred to a church member demonstrating amazing leadership … but having done so quietly and behind the scenes. For a reminder of the award’s past honorees, visit www.unitarianlincoln.org/unsung. Nominations are offered by the congregation - but it is the board who votes upon the winner. The 2019 Unsung Unitarian will be announced at the Spring Congregational Meeting.

Nominate someone by emailing the Church office admin@unitarianlincoln.org by Sunday, May 5.

Note that staff members and current church governance (Trustees and Program Council members) are traditionally exempt.

Eldon Drive in Concert

Saturday, May 11 • 7:00PM • Auditorium

Jazz, Poetry, and Micro-drama In the coffeehouse tradition with special guest performers. Join the protest of neoliberalism, American Empire, climate disruption, and social injustice.
Green Corner

Recommended Reading

Are you a justice activist? Are you committed to a more just and life-sustaining world? The UUA (Unitarian Universalist Association) Common Read offers powerful ideas for supporting our environment and social justice work. Order your copy of Justice on Earth at https://www.uuabookstore.org/. “Fourteen activist ministers and lay leaders apply a keen intersectional analysis to the environmental crisis, revealing ways that systems of oppression intersect with and contribute to ecological devastation.” Also available as an eBook in the Amazon Kindle store and on Google Play.

April is Earth Month!

Saturday, April 6 • Innovation Campus

UNL will host the 19th Annual Central Plains Severe Weather Symposium, Family Weatherfest and Science Spectacular. The theme is weather, environment, and climate change. The event includes 75 exhibits, many with hands-on activities for curious kids of ALL ages. Weatherfest is free and open to the public. For a detailed schedule of activities and pictures of past events, see https://weatherfest.unl.edu/.

Green Sanctuary Reflections

Sunday, April 7 • 10:00AM • UCL

Members of the Green Sanctuary Committee offer reflections on their reading of UUA’s 2018-19 Common Read, Justice on Earth: People of Faith Working at the Intersections of Race, Class and the Environment.

Lincoln Earth Day

Saturday, April 27 • Union Plaza

For more details, see https://lincolnearthday.org/

Spring Grounds Cleanup/Potluck

SAVE THE DATE: APRIL 21

We need many helping hands to stay after the service to prepare our grounds for spring. Help clear out winter debris so that our grounds can stay healthy and beautiful. At 1:00PM we will enjoy fellowship with a potluck lunch and hear about plans for this year’s grounds care. The church has plenty of leaf rakes, but please bring pruners and loppers, if you have them. If physical labor is not your thing, contributions of potluck food, and setup/cleanup are also greatly appreciated. If it rains on April 21, our back-up date is Saturday, April 27. Contact Martha with questions about the grounds marthahorvay71@gmail.com and Jackie to volunteer to help with the potluck egan@neb.rr.com.

Friendly Faces Volunteer Wanted

Would you like to visit some people who have indicated they would enjoy occasional visits from other Unitarian Church Members?

Would you like to have someone from the Church visit you?

Just give a call or email to Jackie Egan (egan@neb.rr.com 402.435.6111) or Shirley Maly (smaly@nttne.com 402.477.6787)

We coordinate the Church wide program called Friendly Faces and we could use more people who visit and more people who want visits. We would like to coordinate more visits.
“Who We Are” Oral History Project

Sunday evenings in April

Whether you are a new friend or a long time UU member - consider these questions -

• How would you like to be remembered by our Church family?
• Why do you consider the Unitarian Church of Lincoln to be your spiritual home?
• How has the Church evolved over the last 50 years?
• Will you share a story about your time at our Church - perhaps one that other UU’s might have forgotten or don’t know?

Each Sunday evening in April from 5:00PM - 9:00PM (including Easter), Membership Associate Judy Hart and members of the LGBT Welcoming Committee and the Membership Umbrella will audio record your stories in the Church library. These recorded oral histories will be stored on our UCL website.

You can tell your solo story or bring your siblings and tell a family story or consider bringing other UU friends and tell a story about a specific chapter in the history of UCL.

Sign up in the Gallery on Sunday mornings or Third Thursday after service or in the office during the week. Please contact Judy Hart with questions - membership@unitarianlincoln.org or 402.474.2206.

Winter Lecture Series Wrap Up

On Sunday evening, March 17 with the final lecture, the 2019 Series entitled “The Korean Peninsula: Past, Present, and Future” came to a successful conclusion. The audience participation for the six lectures was particularly strong this year, ranging from over 200 with good weather to around 140 on the dismal days. The audience-driven Q&A sessions were also well attended, with more than 100 returning after the brief refreshment break and staying until the 9:00PM cutoff time.

The program for the series can be viewed at the Winter Lecture Series webpage and the videos of the lectures and the Q&A session are available at the church’s YouTube channel.

Each year the Series is sponsored by the Social Action Committee. We also partner with UNL’s OLLI (the Osher Lifelong Learning Institute) and receive support from Humanities Nebraska and the Nebraska Cultural Endowment. We wish to thank the many volunteers – members and friends of the Social Justice Committee – for providing and serving the refreshments and cleaning up afterwards.

If you are not currently on the email list and wish to receive announcements of upcoming lecture series, please email a note to Dick Dienstbier at rdien@allophone.com with “Winter” as the subject line.

Roy Zimmerman Returns!

Thursday, May 2 • 7:00 - 9:00PM • Auditorium

Way Station Concerts is presenting Roy Zimmerman on his 2019 tour of the dividing states. A familiar performer to Lincoln, Roy is a guaranteed good time. His website says: In the current national nightmare, we need to laugh. And we need to hope. Roy Zimmerman’s signature blend of heart and hilarity has never been more necessary. www.royzimmerman.com
Bridge Groups

Tuesday group:
Every Tuesday • 2:00PM
Gallery

Advanced group:
Every Wednesday • 1:00PM
6300 A Street • Gallery

Want to join us? Contact Coordinator Corine Simon simondp@neb.rr.com
402.435.0225

Coffeehouse

4th Friday • April 26 • 7:00PM • Gallery
Board games for adults and kids. Open to all individuals. Preceded by PFLAG/UU Potluck at 6:00PM. Contact Deb Hope debra.a.hope@gmail.com

Men’s Potluck

2nd Monday • April 8 • 6:30PM • Gallery
All men are invited to attend to enjoy good food and conversation. Table service will be provided. Contact Bruce Raymer 402.475.7875 bruce.raymer@gmail.com

Newcomer Chat

First Sunday • April 7 • 11:15AM • Library
Meet with visitors and friends in the Library to watch and discuss a 5-minute film. Contact Shelly Fowler seeshells@mac.com

PFLAG (Parents and Friends of Lesbians and Gays)

4th Tuesday • April 23 • 6:30PM • Gallery
The LGBTQA Welcoming Committee sponsors PFLAG which meets at our church. Confidentiality at each meeting is very important. Please join us! www.pflagcornhusker.org

Tai Chi

Every Wednesday • 6:00PM Gallery
All UU Members and Friends are invited. No experience necessary.
Contact Reed Maly 402.570.3841

UMDOC “Unitarian Men Discussing Over Coffee”

Second Tuesday • April 9 10:00AM • BRAEDA (33rd & Pioneer)
New participants are welcome any time. Discussion topics vary. Visit us for more details or contact Duane Polzien duaneep2000@yahoo.com

UU Women Gathering

1st Saturday • April 6 2:00-3:30PM
Topic: Spring Challenges & Check-Ins
Leader: Denise DeBose
For info or location: Contact Marilyn 402.730.9483 Revdiva1@hotmail.com

Women’s Book Group

Every three weeks • 10:00AM Gallery
For more information, contact Diane Richards dianemn2@gmail.com
April 20 - Our Souls at Night by Kent Haruf
May 11 - Becoming by Michelle Obama

Young Adults Gathering

Meets sporadically. Informal social gatherings for Young Adults (age 18-40) Activities/discussion topics vary. Attendees need not be members or regular visitors. Contact Morissa Raymond at 402.840.1178 or morissaraymond99@gmail.com

Zen Meditation

Every Thursday • 7:00PM Music Room
We are a small group of UUs who meditate at church each week in the Music Room. Contact Norm Simon 402.435.0225
LIGHTING THE WAY TO LITERACY THROUGH WRITING

Monday April 15 • 6:30PM – 7:30PM

A Writing Marathon sponsored by the RGL Committee
presented by the Eastern Nebraska Reading Council

Writing has many purposes and venues. The evening will
provide you with information on how to improve, enhance,
and celebrate writing for yourself. Join us for an evening of
wine (and other beverages) and listen to the benefits of
participating in the Nebraska Writing Project and
participate in a Writing Marathon led by Bailey Feit. This is
a great writing experience for teenagers as well as adults.
If you have questions or plan to attend please contact
Karen Heafer, kheafer@neb.rr.com, so we have materials
for everyone!

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Milestones,
Millstones
and Stepping Stones

Chelsea and Darren Krafka welcomed their third child Milo into the world in mid-March. Everyone is doing very well. They could use some support with meals this month, here is the mealtrain link: LINK


Longtime friend of the church, Loene Hollis, died after an extended battle with brain cancer. A celebration of life service was held in March.

Marilyn Harker’s daughter Erica is recuperating after back surgery. So far so good!

Please keep the Weymouths in your thoughts after the death of Edgar Pearlstein, Evelyn’s stepfather for whom she had been caring.

The Beacon is published monthly. Newsletter deadline for submissions is the 18th of each month to news@unitarianlincoln.org. The Beacon is available online at www.unitarianlincoln.org/newsletter.

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