

Greenville Unitarian Universalist Fellowship



Lord Hanuman

A Liberal View of Hinduism

September 5, 2010



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GREENVILLE UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST FELLOWSHIP

Sunday, September 5, 2010

Order of Service



Welcome		Steve Compton
Sharing the Hand of Fellowship		Old Friends & New
Prelude		Charlie Smith
Chalice Lighting		Steve Compton
Opening Words		Steve Compton
* Opening Song	<i>Come, Come, Whoever You Are – # 188</i>	All sing
Community Caring	<i>Please share your joys & sorrows in our Community Memory Book before or after the service.</i>	
Candles of Joys & Sorrows		Cathy Jaggars
Story for All Ages		Steve Compton
Words for Reflection	<i>Responsive Reading #611</i>	Steve Compton
Silence for Reflection & Musical Response		Charlie Smith
Offertory		Charlie Smith
Sermon	<i>A Liberal View of Hinduism</i>	Dr. Savita Nair
* Closing Song	<i>Love Will Guide Us – #131</i>	All sing
Closing Words		Steve Compton
Postlude		Charlie Smith
Benediction		Steve Compton

Hymn Hotline"



Feeling despaired in a way that only your favorite tune can cure? Never fear, the Hymn Hotline is here! Let us know what you'd like to hear and we will get it in the service, and with a nod your way to boot! Email music@greenvilleuu.org today!

“Joys and Sorrows” -- You may write your Joys or Sorrows in the Memory Book on the table in the front of the Sanctuary. The worship associate will then craft a short prayer lifting up those Joys and Sorrows. If you are not inclined to write in the book, you may also simply light a candle in silence.



~ Thanks to Our Service Associates ~

Worship Associate Steve Compton
Accompanist Charlie Smith
Ushers Linda Turner & Sarah Fletcher
Sound Crew Chevar Ray Brown, Richard Fuller & Reed Humphrey
Flowers Flower Ministry

**Please rise in body or in spirit as you are willing and able.*

Please turn off cell phones, pagers, etc. before our service begins.

- *Welcome Newcomers!* If you are here for the first or second time, please feel free to let the offering basket pass you by; you are our guest. After the service, you are warmly welcome to join us in the Right Over Flow Room, under the Welcome Banner, for coffee and conversation. Welcoming members will be there to meet and talk with you.
- Recordings of Sunday Services may be ordered and picked up opposite the wooden entrance doors to the sanctuary where the Audio Stand is located or by email to recorded4uu@gmail.com.

Sunday, September 12th, 2010, 11 a.m.

Our Annual Water Service

Reverend Pat Jobe

For more information visit www.greenvilleuu.org

*Spare change in the offering basket goes to
help those in need.*

Weekly Updates on Attendance & Contributions

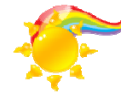
8/29/2010 Attendance: 146

8/29/2010-9/3/2010 Contributions: \$ 3,918

Highlights in Lifespan Religious Education



From Babies to Sages



September 5, 2010

Classes and Events Today

9:30 AM	Childcare Opens
9:45 to 10:45	Course in Miracles, Discussion Group, The Work of Byron Katie,
11:00 to 12:15	6 th -12 th grade – The Crucible
11:20-12:15	PreK to 5 th grade – Romania with Marion Grier

FALL CLASSES BEGIN SEPTEMBER 19TH. PARENT ORIENTATION SEPTEMBER 12TH AT 10 AM.

sUumer is here!!

We are making travel plans for our kids (age preschool – rising 5th grade). They are going to Culture Camp, World Tour II for their summer classes. While they learn about countries they also learn about peace and conflict resolution.

SCHEDULE

August 29, September 5 Will be Romania with Marion Grier
September 12th – Parent Orientation to CYRE 2010-11, 10 AM
September 19th – Fall CYRE classes begin

Youth (Teen) Summer Curriculum Popcorn Theology

Teens, come chill, watch a flick, discuss and see what theology is presented in pop culture. Where do you stand on the issues they bring up? Ages? For rising 6th graders to 12th grade. Movies are PG and PG-13. Starts promptly at 11 AM. Our summer movie series will include the following films and dates. Please check your *Flame* for details on the movies. Now: The Crucible.

Discussion Short Story For September 19 Founders Room

"Interior Space" by John Irving will be the selection for the Short Story Discussion September 19 at 9:45 p.m. in the Founders Room. For more information contact Herb Reeves at hrbrvs7@gmail.com.

Becoming Women of Wisdom Marking the Passage into the Crone Years* Begins September 19, 2010 – Five spots left



Judy Root will facilitate a small group of mature women in community through an abbreviated life review to reveal memories, thoughts, feelings & experiences

most valuable for a vibrant mature life. The process will celebrate the cycle of life & the sacred feminine. What are the most significant threads from your past? What were or are the challenges & opportunities of life stages? What infuses, gives your life meaning now? How do you connect & contribute? With whom? Begins Sept. 19th -- & group plans Croning Ceremony Oct. 31st .
Required: Register at the GUUF Office (271-4883 or via email at adultregistration@greenvilleuu.org for the SIX, one-hour 15 min. sessions Sept. 19th, 26th; Oct. 3rd , (no session Oct. 10th), Oct. 17th, 24th & 31st at 9:30 am in the Women's Room. Limit 10 GUUF members in circle. Let us know if you have any specific physical or seating needs. *With inspiration & some materials from curriculum of same title by Melody Lee, with Karen Edwards and Dorothy May Emerson.

Rev. Pat Jobe continues to lead the Work of Byron Katie in the downstairs classroom, next to the women's room.

The class is open to newcomers and the work is easy to learn, but ongoing to practice. The class has voted to begin meeting at 9:15 a.m. in order to get more work done. Please call Rev. Jobe at the office, 271-4883 or on his cell 843-708-1033 or email him at patjobe13@gmail.com if you have questions. Just show up if you'd like to sample the work. He also encourages those interested in sampling The Work Of Byron Katie to look at thework.com, especially her free videos.

The UU Women's Book Group

The UU Women's Book Group will not meet during the summer months. Our next meeting is on Sunday, September 12 at 9:45am in the Women's Room. Our book selection is A Reliable Wife by Robert Goolrick. This is described as being "a glittering, poisoned ice-cube of a tale." Discussion will be led by Susan Cooper. Questions? Contact Susan at: 288-4912.



How to Reach Us:

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Steve.Duda@aecom.com

For photos from children and youth events, join Facebook and "befriend" GUUF DLREA. Only members and long-time friends will be "befriended." Parents, make sure your children are registered to stay in the information loop!

~On Going Meetings and Classes~
Childcare begins at 9:30 am each Sunday

Alcoholic Anonymous (CR) Thursdays, 7pm, Contact: Cathy Jaggars (349-1251)

A Course in Miracles (RE Classroom) Sundays, 9:45 — 10:45 am, Contact: Jean Blank (239-0110)

Beginner African Drumming (ANX) 4th Thursday 6:30 – 7:30 pm beginner practice, Contact: Joan Baker (232-1660)

Discussion Group (FR) Sundays, 9:45 — 10:45 am, Contact: Herb Reeves (297-4929, hrbrvs6@yahoo.com)

Women's Book Group (WR) 2nd Sunday each month, Contact: Susan Cooper (288-4912)

Old GUUFers (ROR) 2nd Thursday each month, 12:30 - ? contact: Suzanne Hart (235-1714)

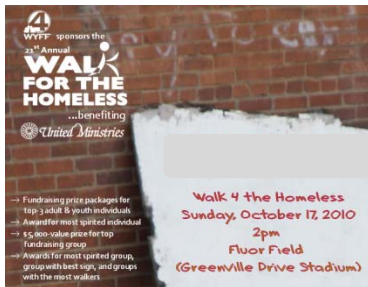
Zen Meditation (CC) Tuesdays, 7:30 pm promptly, if you need some guidance then show up at 7:15 pm, website: meditation.meetup.com/216 Contact: Carole McAfee (834-7390)

GUUF Singers (CR) Sundays, 9:30 – 10:45 am, Contact: Miriam Davidson (285-0994 or miriam@wishingchair.com)

Hiking Group (Off Site) on going with dates and locations to be determined, Contact: Karen Csizmadia (322-6441)

Earth Spirit Group (TBA) 2nd Saturday each month, will support all fire ceremonies, interested persons should contact: Dana Couillard at (423-4221 or earthspiritquuf@yahoo.com)

Get Geared Up and Read to
WALK Sunday October 17th 2010 at 2 pm



This is not just a walk fundraiser, it's an educational tour, too. You'll travel the same route (approximately 4 miles) that

your homeless and less fortunate neighbors take when seeking assistance from human services agencies. We will begin and end at Fluor Field (Greenville Drive Stadium) at the Field Street entrance. The Walk begins at 2:00 pm, but we recommend you arrive by

1:30 pm to check in. You may park at County Square on University Ridge and ride the trolley to the stadium.

In addition to supporting the Walk through fundraising, you may also donate shelter supplies or non-perishable food. We will have bins at the stadium to collect toiletries, laundry detergent, new-in-package men's and women's underwear (size 34 and medium respectively), and food such as canned meats, dry beans and peanut butter. **See Rev. Jobe or Diane Lawrence to Register to walk!**



Share Your Vacation Photos

This is your chance to share your vacation photos at the GUUF annual Water Service. All you need is a few of your favorites on a picture CD and get them to the Social Events co-chair Carolyn Kelly-West no later than September 5th. Carolyn will start collecting the CD's at the August 8th service.



We will have our Water Service on September 12th with a luncheon sponsored by the UU World of Children, and a viewing of the photos on the big screen in the Sanctuary. The lunch will consist of a sandwich, drink and chips or fruit. Cost will be \$5 and proceeds will go to the UU World of Children. We would like to hear your comments along with the viewing of your photos.



Oyez! Oyez! Oyez!

The Old GUUFers start lunching together at the Fellowship again on Thursday, September 9th at 12:30 pm at the GUUF Café.

If any retirees not on last year's call list wish to join or rejoin us please get in touch with Suzanne Hart at 235-1714 or Martha Baron at 675-9863

~ Congregational Care Items ~

We extend our loving support to:

Susan Cooper whose Mother passed away quietly in her sleep at age 101.
Martha Baron whose daughter starts chemo this week. She asked for healing thoughts for Melanie.

Kim Williams who was diagnosed with cancer. On a positive note, she was nominated and accepted the position as director of the Greenville area PFLAG.

The Hausers' close friend, Susan Ivey, passed away.

We celebrate with:

Garnett Conaway who celebrated a birthday and has now outlived her Mother who was diagnosed with cancer at the same age as Garnett.

Maureen Nery on the occasion of her mother's 92nd birthday, an accomplishment after being in ill health.

If you or a member of your family are in crisis or are hospitalized, please contact Pat Jobe at 843-708-1033 or contact the office during office hours. Pat is available 24/7 for emergencies, but other needs can generally come through the office. Pat is working on getting a local cell phone.

Welcoming Congregation Welcomes You!

Welcoming Congregation is a designation approved by the congregation stating that the Greenville UU Fellowship welcomes, supports and honors the lesbian/gay/bisexual/transgender community among ourselves and in the greater community.

The Welcoming Congregation movie night has been so successful, that the WC Task Force is continuing the series through the fall. Upcoming movie dates are: Sept. 15th; Oct. 20th; and Dec. 1st. The movies are free and open to the public. Light snacks are provided; beverages are not. All movies begin at 7 pm in the Founder's Room.

September 15: "A Single Man"--- This stream-of-consciousness, 1960s-era drama centers on a day in the life of George Falconer (Colin Firth, in an Oscar-nominated role), an English-born, Los Angeles college professor reeling from the death of his lover of 16 years.

Other Upcoming Events:

WC Task Force Meeting: Sept. 19th after Sunday Services in the Founder's Room. All are welcome to help us plan and dream!

Coming Out Day October 11: Celebrated nationally every October, this GLBT holiday focuses on acceptance and support. More details to come.

GLBT Social Night: An opportunity to create new friendships and strengthen others by sharing conversation and activities. The first one is planned for Wednesday, Nov. 17th. More details to come.

World AIDS Day Dec. 1: The grim toll of this disease is acknowledged internationally on this day annually. We will have a special movie showing and other events. More details to come.

IT'S NOT TOO LATE...

to sign up for the **FREE Training** sponsored by the Western Carolinas Cluster being held here **at the Greenville UU Fellowship, Saturday, Sept. 18, 9:30am-2pm.** Board members, committee members (or **ANY GUUF members Who are Interested**) are invited to attend

- **meet people from other UU congregations**
- **network and share ideas**
- **learn skills you can use at GUUF or at work**
- **learning and fun guaranteed!**

Contact Bibi Harris for more info or to register 836-0399 or bibiharris@bellsouth.net

Southernside Help Needed

If you are interested in preparing bagged lunches for Southernside please contact Francine Proulx at 704-3263 or e-mail me at theproulxfamily@mac.com. This is a great project for Covenant Groups. We have a complete set of instructions on what to do and where to bring the food.