



Outer Circle

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MISSION STATEMENT

We strive to build a beloved community through shared worship, responsible spiritual freedom, exploration and reverence.

We are a welcoming congregation, embracing our interconnectedness, engaging with others by living our principles in our community, and working to transform our world and ourselves.



Rev. Jan Nielsen

Minister's Message

Dear Friends,

All around us we see signs of spring – jonquils and hyacinths in bloom, the birds in full chorus early each morning, trees covered with buds and blossoms. This season of renewal and hope is a time to take in all the sights and smells and sounds of new life.

Springtime is a season also for looking at our lives – a time for looking at where we have been and asking where we hope to go and a time also for asking if the life we are living speaks the values we hold closest to our hearts. The turning of the earth toward spring is a time to clean away all that gets in the way of living our values and all that might keep us from being “real” – our true, honest, selves.

Growing up, I got the message loud and clear: “*Be who you really are,*” but it has taken me many years to learn to keep others’ expectations from leading me to try to be someone other than my true self. “*Now I become myself,*” wrote the poet May Sarton. “*It’s taken Time, many years and places. I have been dissolved and shaken, Worn other people’s faces . . .*” The poet speaks truth. It’s a life-long task, for most of us, this spiritual work of learning to wear our own face – to tell our truth and to be our true selves. The Zen master teachers call true self “the face you had before you were born.” We can’t reach spiritual maturity, whatever our age, without learning to wear “the

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Sundays in March

Join us for Sunday Worship 11:00 am

Our March Theme is “Integrity”

“Integrity is an ongoing process, a dynamic happening over time that requires our ongoing attention. . . . Deep inside, our integrity sings to us whether we are listening or not. It is a note that only we can hear. Eventually, when life makes us ready to listen, (integrity) will help us to find our way home.” – Rachel Naomi Remen

Questions for reflection:

*What are your core values?**In what ways do you integrate your core values into your everyday life?**How do you know when you are acting with integrity?**What does a life of integrity look like to you?**What helps you to live a life of integrity?*

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Services

March 5 Rev. Brian Mason, with Rev. Jan
Rev. Brian Mason is a Unitarian Universalist minister currently serving as Resident Chaplain at Saint Louis University Hospital and Cardinal Glennon Children's Hospital

March 12 Rev. Jan K. Nielsen

March 19 Rev. Jan K. Nielsen

March 26 To Be Announced

In the Life of the Church

Board President's Note

Every day is a new beginning and every day is a new start in our personal lives as well as our congregational life. We are evolving all of the time. We don't need to make UUCLR "great" again, because UUCLR is already great. But each day is a new start in expanding our greatness.

I am truly flabbergasted by the amount of change we are able to generate just by being generous with our congregation's home. We are a busy hub that builds bridges with other non-profits, and they in turn build bridges while working towards their mission. We really have no idea how many people we reach by providing sanctuary for them to meet. We offer support to our own Girl Scout Troop, and to the Little Rock Collective Liberation Study Group which brought over 120 people one Wednesday evening. This group is studying how to be more effective by working together. It's a wonderful chance to meet a lot of other people out of our congregation without having to leave our "home," and the information is so timely. Childcare is provided if you want to attend.

And of course, we have touched the lives of many through Narcotics Anonymous that meets twice a week and is open to anyone who needs their support. The list goes on and on: Hindu religious

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face we had before we were born." In other words, we can't reach spiritual maturity without coming to know our true self.

The work of coming to know our true self is a central task of the spiritual life. I hope you'll join us for worship during March here at the Unitarian Universalist Church of Little Rock where we will look together at what it means to live lives of integrity. Here at our church, we honor the freedom of all to be real and encourage one another to strive to know our true selves.

May the season of rebirth bring new life to your heart.

Love and blessings,
Rev. Jan

classes. AR Coalition for Peace and Justice, a Buddhist group, AARP Tax Aide, Kiwanis Children's Fundraiser, etc. Our building is for us to carry out our mission and has no energy without the life we put into it.

I am humbled by the foundation that was built by those who came before me and put money into a piece of land that was not even in the city limits. These same people continued to give and give and because of them we can offer our space. I'm so proud we are here and able to contribute towards making sure the foundation stays solid for the future. Our Annual Fund Drive is a privilege that allows us to Build Bridges.

With gratitude,
Cas Rifkin, Board President

Opportunities Aboard

Hmm...what to do, what to do... Well, how about putting in your name for membership on one of UUCLR's great committees? The Nominating and Leadership Committee is working on filling the spaces on committees that will be vacated at the end of the church year on July 1, 2017.

We would love to consider you for one of these positions if you would like to serve. So pick your favorite spots and let us know. Below you will find the openings that will be available.

Strategic Planning	Memorial Woodlands
Nominating & Leadership	Endowment
Committee on Ministry	Board of Directors

You may contact the office or, more efficiently, one of the committee members, and let us know what may appeal to you. We will provide you with detailed information on each position and its responsibilities and can answer any questions you may have.

The Nominating Committee members are: Kater Reynolds, Dawn Harris, Kay Danielson, Miranda Keith, Nathan Roberts and Mindy Morrell, your President-Elect. We hope to see you on a committee soon!

In the Life of the Church

Don't Miss the Fellowship Dinner!

March 4

5:30 Mix & Mingle 6:30 Dinner 7:30 Program

Please RSVP to UUCLR@uuclr.org

Indicate how many in your party, whether each would prefer a meat, vegetarian or vegan entrée, and if you need child care.

2017-2018 Fund Drive

And if you have not yet pledged to support the work of our church, it is never too late! Gifting forms are available in the church office and on the church web site (uuclr@uuclr.org). Our goal is to increase pledges by 10 percent in order to build more bridges, support our programs and meet increasing costs of operations.

FORUM

Mar 5 "Long Strange Trip" - UU Film Series Part IV of VI: Universalism 1600-1860

This film documents the development of Universalism from the early German and English pietists such as Jakob Boehme and Jane Leade, and 18th century English ministers.

Mar 12 Second Sunday Share the Plate

UUCLR Ministry to the Men of the Central Ark. Center of the Ark. Dept. of Community Corrections (familarly known as Prison Literacy Program)

Mar 19 Theme Sunday - "Integrity"

Mar 26 Opiate Addiction

Discussion led by John Hill

Resources for Reflection (Continued from Page 1)

- *Living a Life That Matters: Resolving the Conflict Between Conscience and Success* by Harold S. Kushner.
- *Upstream: Selected Essays* by Mary Oliver.
- *This I Believe and This I Believe II* edited by Jay Allison and Dan Gediman.
- *On Living* by Kerry Egan.
- *Learning to Walk in the Dark* by Barbara Brown Taylor.
- *Gilead* by Marilynne Robinson.



March Birthdays



Happy Birthday to Members and Friends

Michael Finley.....	3/2	Beth Bratton	3/21
Astrid Curtis	3/5	Nancy Kimpel	3/23
Don Barnes.....	3/12	Paulette Mehta	3/25
David Prud'homme	3/12	Kerrie Carlock.....	3/26
Katy Towbin.....	3/13	German Segura.....	3/27
Miles McCullough	3/19	Ren Segura	3/28
Emily Mellor	3/19	Robert Ebert.....	3/29
Naveyah Finley.....	3/20	Jean Pennucci.....	3/29
Raphael Van Blaricom.	3/20	Robert Ebert.....	3/29
Shirley McFarlin.....	3/21		

Contact the church office at 225-1503 for corrections or additions.

Children's Classes

Our Whole Lives (OWL)



Jr. High OWL classes will meet **March 5, April 22 and 30 at 9:20am**. We are planning a lock-in on either March 11-12 or April 1-2.

Class is scheduled to end at 11:00am, but often runs over. Parents should plan to pick their children up no later than 12:00pm.

Jr. High OWL Lock-ins Planned

We have two upcoming lock-ins planned for the Junior High OWL kids. The first is on March 11 and the second will be on April 1. For information, contact Rachel Finley, rfinley5@yahoo.com

Explorers

Theme-based Religious Education Program



Children ages 5 to 3 attend *Explorers* on Sunday mornings from 10:00-10:55am in the Alcott room, downstairs in the RE building. We make good friends, and explore our monthly ministry themes through stories, games, art, and spiritual practices.

This month, we are working with the theme of **Integrity**. Please have children wear clothing and shoes that are suitable for outdoor activities. We will be spending as much time as possible outdoors while the weather is pleasant.

In the Life of the Church



Book Exchange & Recycle Sunday, March 5 Book and Children's Swap

Please bring CFL light bulbs, 4 and 8 ft. fluorescent bulbs, empty ink cartridges, and old/outdated electronics (computers, copiers, DVD players, paper shredders, printers, TVs, VCRs, phones, stereos, radios, fax machines, and microwave ovens).

Remember to bring your aluminum cans and metal every Sunday.
Lance will recycle all cans that are collected.
Leave metal on the back deck of Thomson Hall.



Board Actions - February

The following two motions were approved at the Board meeting on February 20:

- The Finance Committee's recommendation to transfer \$350 to Leadership and Nominating Committee;
- The proclamation that Selma and Jerry Blackburn, individually, are Cornerstone Society members.

The board expressed thanks to several members for their support of our church community:

- John and Valerie McNee for hosting a party for Fair Share contributors to the 2016-17 Annual Fund Drive;
- Bill and Debby Goolsby for hosting the Financial Leaders reception;
- Cas Rifkin for providing the delicious food at the reception;
- Bill Kimpel who continues to work tirelessly to maintain and improve our physical facilities;
- Karen Walls for her dedication and service to UUCLR as our administrator.

Faith in Action Opportunity

The Van

Help sort clothing donations in North Little Rock for The Van, which delivers needed items to the homeless. We volunteer monthly on first Thursdays at 10:00am, third Thursdays at 1:00pm. Contact Cas Rifkin casrifkin12@gmail.com. Carpooling is an option.

Expand Your Mind, Read a Book!

The Between the Lines
Book Club will meet
Monday, March 6 at 7:00pm
to discuss:



***What Alice Forgot* by Liane Moriarty**

For information: Contact Kevin Jones
851-4358 or kmjones1231@sbcglobal.net

RE-Questors

Discussion: *The Coming Future of Humankind*

Primary Reference:
Homo Deus: A Brief History of Tomorrow
By Yuval Noah Harari

10:00 AM Sunday in the Pehrson Room
Learning To Be The Best That We Can Be

Young at Heart

Young at Heart will meet on Tuesday, **March 14 at 11:45** for a \$7 lunch followed by our program. This month, we will be entertained by a Reader's Theatre and will have a lively discussion afterwards.

Come and bring friends and guests!
See you there!

In the Life of the Church



UUCLR Concert/Silent Auction Fundraiser

Saturday, April 8, 2017 will be one fun evening! Singer/songwriter Tom Neilson will be giving a concert and we will be hosting a silent auction. Tom performs songs about human rights, ecology and justice – all of our UU values. Some of his titles include “It Takes a Cabin to Stop a Pipeline” and “Immense Expense is Mainly in Defense.” Tom will also be selling his CDs that evening. Mr. Neilson is a folk musician who presents family-friendly concerts.

At the same time we will be hosting a silent auction. We are working with other organizations, such as Planned Parenthood, Sierra Club and the AAUW, who will be providing items for the auction. There should be lots of goodies!

How about YOU? How Can You Help? We Need Donations!!!

What can you provide for the auction? Here are some ideas: baked goods like the promise of a cake for a birthday; kayaking lessons or an outing; child care for a certain number of hours; art work by you or someone else; music lessons; a concert; legal advice; financial advising; leaf raking and yard work; errand running; jewelry; gift baskets; canning lessons; flowers delivered in season; dog walking/pet sitting; reading to children or the elderly. Services may be transferred: someone could buy your hour of reading and send you to a nursing home to fulfill the donation, or have you read for children at their grandkid’s school. Someone could give the cake you bake to a neighbor or have you rake someone else’s yard who really needs a boost. What about some of those Christmas gifts that you may not ever use? **Remember this isn’t a rummage sale – items need to be new, unused and special.**

Teaser: our first auction item is the new, yet-to-be-released CD of the Brahms Piano Concerto No. 2 with Norman Keieger, piano, Philip Mann, conductor, and the London Symphony Orchestra, **signed by Kreiger and Mann with a special message to UUCLR!** Start planning your bids!

For more information or to make your donation:

Kater Reynolds at 501-614-9647 or katerviola@gmail.com

or Sue McDonald at 501-442-6623 ttsue6696@gmail.com

You may also fill out a donation card in the foyer at the church.

Calling All Women!

We would love for you to be added to our UUWAG (Unitarian Universalist Women’s Activity Group) email group. It’s a casual list that lets you know of activities that happen about once every month or two. Our activities vary from brunch at someone’s home, eating out, museums, or whatever we decide! It’s a fun way to get together for friendship and fellowship and is usually on Saturday morning. Please let casrifkin12@gmail.com know if you want to be added to our list.

Church Work Day

There is a church work day scheduled for **March 4** (start around 9:00am). We will continue with playground work, outdoor cleanup and any other areas that need some TLC. If the weather turns bad, we will cancel and reschedule.



If you would like to be added to the Facilities email group to receive updates and notifications, please send a request to uuclr@uuclr.org.

In the Life of the Church

2017 Buffalo River Camping and Canoe Trip

The UUCLR Memorial Day trip to the Buffalo River is a wonderful time of camping, fellowship, and fun on the river for all - except the beleaguered organizer who is trying to find canoes, match up partners, outfit everyone with a life jacket and paddles, and collect last minute payments. This year, so that everyone, including the organizer, has a fun and safe weekend, **there will be some IMPORTANT changes:**

1. Anyone may camp, right up to the weekend - cost is \$8 for each adult 18 years or older per night. The UUCLR organizer will still collect the fees and pay the U.S. Park Service. Please pay this person in advance, if possible. Juggling money and making change can be tough while in a bathing suit.
2. Cabin reservations are the responsibility of individuals. Some lodge rooms are being held - please email uuclr@uuclr.org for info.
3. **If you want to go on the river, all canoes/kayaks/shuttle reservations for Saturday and/or Sunday are to be made directly with Dirst Canoe Rentals.** Their phone numbers are 800-537-2850 or 870-449-6636. **UUCLR will no longer be responsible for canoe reservations.**
Warning: Canoes can be scarce on this popular weekend, so please do not wait past May 1 to make your reservation - the sooner the better. Tell Dirst you are part of the UUCLR group so that you will be included for the shuttle busses. You do not have to rent from Dirst, but coordination may be more difficult if you pick a different company.
4. Potluck at the Pavilion is on Saturday, starting at 5:30pm. A grill is available if you wish to bring charcoal. Bring your own plates, cups, utensils, something to drink, and a dish to share. Take away all your dirty dishes, left over food, and trash. It is **pack in/pack out**. We ask \$4/adult to cover pavilion costs. This should be paid ahead of time.

The biggest change is the shifting of all responsibility for canoe rentals to individuals. No float money will be collected by UUCLR.

Visit www.uuclrbuffaloriver.org for lots of information and reservation forms.

New Member Welcome

Kaiden O'Sullieabhain



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Kaiden is a 22-year-old native of Little Rock, Arkansas. His passions are volunteering and social activism.

His hobbies are reading and making bad puns. He plans to be an active member of the Faith in Action committee and hopes to be in leadership one day.

Nan Bernardo



Nan Bernardo

Nan grew up and spent most of her life in New Jersey. She has been a widow for 12 years. In mid-2015 she retired from practicing environmental law with BASF Corporation and moved to Searcy, Arkansas.

This move was prompted by a desire to move to a warmer climate (not necessarily a hot climate, as she has found the Arkansas summer months to be) and to be close to her daughter, son-in-law, and two grandchildren who live in Searcy. She also has a son still living in New Jersey.

After working in one job or another for the past 50 years, she says she is thoroughly enjoying retirement. She likes to garden and seems to have an affinity for raising moles. She does spend a lot of time at her local gym exercising in one form or another. She is also an avid bike rider. For vacations, she likes to participate in long distance bike tours.

Nan is also interested in volunteer work. She has volunteered at Heifer International (gift shop) the past year. She is on the UUCLR facilities committee and is getting involved in the prison outreach ministry. Nan is always looking for opportunities to give back.

In the Life of the Church

Transition Team II Report

I want to start by thanking all of the Transition Committee II members for their hard work. We had a very productive interaction with a large number of members and friends of the church on February 26. I want to highlight the discussion points for the benefit of those who could not attend.

The current status of the process was reviewed. Following the meeting, the intent is to give people approximately 6 weeks to discuss the issues. After that, a poll will be sent out by various means to be sure we reach everyone. This poll will address some different questions than the original poll based on feedback from the congregation as well as information concerning very preliminary cost estimates that the Executive Committee and Board have obtained about various options. Once the results are tabulated and disseminated to everyone there will be another Congregational Conversation to discuss how to proceed.

Meeting Talking Points

1. Why do we need more space and what type of space is needed (i.e., worship, religious education, social, administrative, etc.)? I believe there was consensus that all of these needs must be balanced going forward.
2. Should any new space be achieved by renovation/expansion of the current building, a new building or another church that could be purchased. Cost will be a factor in this since the architect who looked at the project in a very preliminary fashion gave a minimum figure of about \$1M. The renovation/expansion option currently appears to be the most practical but all options still remain open. There does appear to be strong attachment to our current site by many members.
3. The issue of satellite churches to expand the UU presence was discussed. Rev. Jan commented that the UUA has done extensive studies showing that this works best when a large church has grown to big but it is not effective for a church our size. We recognize that there is difficulty caused by long commutes for some members. It was suggested that we need to create a map of our congregational members in relation to the church location - we will look into doing this.
4. Points were made about how to expand our presence in the community. One suggestion was to have some sort of of campus outreach ministry at different locations while another suggestion

was to do a better job letting the community know how much service (spiritual and social) we provide both on and off campus, including the use of our facilities by non-UU groups. A more modern electronic and visible sign was one suggestion for this. Everyone agreed we want to increase both the numbers and diversity of our congregation. There was also general agreement that any physical changes made are to support the mission of the congregation. To quote from the meeting, "the congregation is the people, not the building."

5. An important point was made that any changes in the church complex must take into account making all church areas accessible to everyone. It was agreed that this must be included in any planning.
6. The concept of two services was discussed but consensus seemed to be that this would be tough due to resource utilization (minister, RE, volunteers, child care, etc.). Telecasting the service from the Chapel to Thomson Hall was also discussed but a number of people felt this would cause a significant disconnect with quality of the experience.
7. Parking was brought up and it will be addressed in any proposed plan.

The Future Time Line

- 1) Discussion among the congregation;
- 2) A more focused poll;
- 3) Another congregational conversation;
- 4) The Executive Committee, Board, Strategic Planning Committee and Transition Committee developing a proposal to the congregation based on congregational input and after the architect does a formal plan with options and costs;
- 5) An official congregational meeting to vote on the plan;
- 6) A financial feasibility study to determine if and how we could pay for the plan (pledges, mortgage or a combination of the two);
- 7) Initiation of the approved and funded plan. A number of people have voiced frustration in the past about planning that never comes to fruition. Our goal for this would be a time frame of 6 to 12 months to be in the action phase.

I apologize if I have left out anything or misquoted or inaccurately stated anyone's comments.

With best regards and high hopes,
Phil Peters

In the Life of the Church

Faith Development Offerings Led by Rev. Jan Nielsen

We will gather on Wednesdays in Thomson Hall from 12:15 to 1:15. Feel free to bring your brown bag lunches. Newcomers are always welcome. The series will run until June 2017.

“Listening for God”: Explorations of Short Stories

Join Rev. Jan for **Listening for God**, a monthly, “drop-in, come when you can,” Wednesday noontime short story discussion group. The group will probe contemporary short fiction for insights, both spiritual and intellectual, about what it means to be human. The format is based on a long-used adult faith development model called “Listening for God” but “Listening for Life” also could be an apt title. Stories from the volume ***The Best American Short Stories of 2015***, edited by T.C. Boyle.

Mar 8 - *Madame Lazarus* by Maile Meloy
Apr 5 - *Kavitha and Mustafa* by Shobha Rao

May 10 - *About My Aunt* by Joan Silber
June 7 - *North* by Aria Beth Sloss

How Do You See It?": Explorations of Essays

Join Rev. Jan for a monthly gathering devoted to exploring contemporary essays taken from the recently released volume, ***The Best American Essays***, edited by Ariel Levy. As we read each essay on our own, we will ask, “How do I see it?” and then when we gather, we will invite one another to answer the question, “How do you see it?”

Mar 29 - *The Loudproof Room* by Kate Lebo
Apr 19 - *My Grandma the Poisoner* by John Reed

May 24 - *Reflections on Indexing My Lynching Book* by Ashraf H.A. Rushdy

Leadership Day at UUCLR

Please put **Saturday, March 25** on your calendar!

Your Nominating and Leadership Committee is putting together a day of interesting podcasts, to be followed by facilitated discussion.

The day will be made up of two simultaneous podcasts at 10:00am and 1:00pm of Ted Talks in the Chapel and Thomson Hall. We are planning to cover some important topics dealing with social justice and political participation and the actions you may take, as well as the roles our church can play in the stressful times in which we are currently living.

We encourage everyone to bring a sack lunch and interact between sessions – drinks and desserts will be provided. Please join us in our quest to provide liberal religion and be involved in social justice in central Arkansas!

Faith in Action Opportunities

Blood Drive Organizer Needed

Following the success of the blood drive that UUCLR hosted in December last year, the Red Cross has asked if we would host another drive in in December 2017. Additionally, Faith in Action would like to expand our ministry to include several blood drives throughout the year. To this end we need a volunteer to organize and communicate with the Red Cross of Arkansas. If you feel called to participate by donating your time to this very worthy project contact Kate Dockter at ksdockter@gmail.com.

School Food Backpack Program

If you have time to help or wish to donate either food or money, go to the church web site at uuclr@uuclr.org and sign up. If you sign up, you will be notified on all activities and needs.

In the Life of the Church

Kroger Cards Provide Donations

Twenty households from UUCLR who shopped at Kroger and used their Kroger cards between November 1, 2016, and January 31, 2017, resulted in a donation of \$115.29.

Registering Your Kroger Card Pays Off!

Caring Coordinator

If you know of anyone who needs assistance with meals, rides, caring phone calls or cards, please contact the office at uuclr@uuclr.org or call 225-1503. If you have an urgent need, Rev. Jan asks you to call her.



March Calendar

Wednesday, March 1

9:00am AARP Tax Aide
1:00pm Nominating Committee (Emerson)
5:30pm Committee on Ministry
6:15pm Fellowship Meeting (Barnum)
6:30pm Social Justice Discussion Grp (Chapel)
6:30pm Choir Rehearsal (Sanctuary)

Thursday, March 2

9:00am AARP Tax Aide
10:00am The Van (Off Site)

Friday, March 3

9:00am AARP Tax Aide
UUCLR Prison Ministry (Off site)
9:30pm Rental (Chapel)

Saturday, March 4

Fellowship Dinner (Thomson)

8:30am Work Day
11:00am Women's Writing Group (Pehrson)

Sunday, March 5

8:00am Recycle & Book Exchange (Chapel)
9:30am Pilgrims and Strangers (Emerson)
10:00am Children-Youth Programming
10:00am Forum (Thomson)
10:00am RE-Questors (Pehrson)
11:00am Worship (Sanctuary)
4:00pm Rental (Chapel and Barnum)

Monday, March 6

5:30pm Program Council (Thomson)
7:00pm Between the Lines Book Club

Tuesday, March 7

5:30pm Rental (Pehrson)

Wednesday, March 8

9:00am AARP Tax Aide
12:15pm Exploration of Essays
5:30pm Finance Committee (Pehrson)
6:00pm Girl Scouts (Pehrson)
6:30pm Choir Rehearsal (Sanctuary)

Thursday, March 9

9:00am AARP Tax Aide
10:00am FIA Backpack Team (Chapel)

Friday, March 10

9:00am AARP Tax Aide
UUCLR Prison Ministry (Off site)
9:30pm Rental (Chapel)

Saturday, March 11

2:00pm Jr. High OWL Lock-in (RE wing)
4:00pm Rental (Chapel)

Sunday, March 12

9:30am Pilgrims and Strangers (Emerson)
10:00am Children-Youth Programming
10:00am Forum (Thomson)
10:00am RE-Questors (Pehrson)
11:00am Worship (Sanctuary)
12:30pm Vegetarian Potluck (Chapel)
4:00pm Rental (Chapel and Barnum)

Tuesday, March 14

11:45am Young at Heart Luncheon (Thomson)
1:30pm Daytime Covenant Group (Emerson)
5:30pm Rental (Pehrson)

Wednesday, March 15

9:00am AARP Tax Aide
2:00pm OUTER CIRCLE DEADLINE
6:30pm Social Justice Discussion Grp (Chapel)
6:30pm Choir Rehearsal (Sanctuary)

Thursday, March 16

9:00am AARP Tax Aide
The Van (Off Site)

Friday, March 17

9:00am AARP Tax Aide
UUCLR Prison Ministry (Off site)
9:30pm Rental (Chapel)

Saturday, March 18

1:30pm Rental (Chapel)

Sunday, March 19

9:30am Pilgrims and Strangers (Emerson)
10:00am Children-Youth Programming
10:00am Forum (Thomson)
10:00am RE-Questors (Pehrson)
11:00am Worship (Sanctuary)
1:00pm Girl Scouts Field Trip
4:00pm Rental (Chapel and Barnum)

Monday, March 20

5:00pm Worship Arts (Thomson)
6:15pm Board Meeting

Tuesday, March 21

4:00pm Our House Meal (Offsite)
5:30pm Rental (Pehrson)

Wednesday, March 22

9:00am AARP Tax Aide
6:00pm Girl Scouts (Pehrson)
6:30pm Choir Rehearsal (Sanctuary)

Thursday, March 23

9:00am AARP Tax Aide
10:00am FIA Backpack Team (Chapel)

Friday, March 24

9:00am AARP Tax Aide
UUCLR Prison Ministry (Off site)
9:30pm Rental (Chapel)

Saturday, March 25

9:00am Leadership Event (Thomson/Chapel)

Sunday, March 26

9:30am Pilgrims and Strangers (Emerson)
10:00am Children-Youth Programming
10:00am Forum (Thomson)
10:00am RE-Questors (Pehrson)
11:00am Worship (Sanctuary)
4:00pm Rental (Chapel and Barnum)

Tuesday, March 28

5:00pm Membership Committee
5:30pm Rental (Pehrson)

Wednesday, March 29

9:00am AARP Tax Aide
12:15pm Exploration of Short Stories
6:30pm Choir Rehearsal (Sanctuary)

Thursday, March 30

9:00am AARP Tax Aide
UUCLR Prison Ministry (Off site)

Friday, March 31

9:00am AARP Tax Aide
UUCLR Prison Ministry (Off site)
9:30pm Rental (Chapel)

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