

January 2010 PROGRAMS

Sunday Jan. 3rd, "Questioning: A Way of Moving Ahead"

Although complacency is often a most comfortable feeling, particularly about things we feel most positive toward and most happy about, questioning should be one of the major behaviors of thinking persons everywhere. Richard's talk will take us through a series of questions that he has been asking, and offer glimpses into some answers he has gained; at least until the next set of questions arise from the previous answers. The dialogue, it seems, never stops, nor should it. "



Speaker: Richard Parrish

Lay Leader: Jay Noble



Sunday Jan. 10th "A Vocabulary of Reverence" In 2003, then UUA President William Sinkford said that we as Unitarian Universalists need to develop a "vocabulary of reverence" in order to be able to enter into effective dialogue with the rest of the religious community. This will be a challenge for UU's. Let's take a look at it together and see if we can identify some of the pitfalls and perhaps come up with some possible solutions.

Speaker: Jay Noble

Lay Leader: Celeste Fisher

Sunday Jan. 17th, "The Joys of Religious Diversity" focusing on the joy of having so many religions to choose from when you start your spiritual path, and how Unitarian Universalism can assist you along the way.

Speakers: To be announced

Lay Leader: Jonna Anderson

Sunday Jan. 24th, "To build a church"

Speaker: Daniel Polk (NTAUUS Board President)

Lay Leader: Tom Mitchell

A vision of growth through the lenses of history. As this congregation celebrates a milestone, Daniel will share a bit of UU History, stories from First Unitarian Church of Dallas, with some of its highs and lows. And a look at how they can guide us today.

Daniel will also lead a workshop (from 1:00 - 3:00) on the Vision-Mission-Covenant Statements process. Many of us have never participated in the process of developing goals and guidelines for a group we belonged to. This workshop will provide an excellent opportunity to learn all about it. For more information and to sign-up for the workshop, contact me at: Celeste Fisher <celeste551@yahoo.com> or 903--472-8227

Sunday Jan. 31st, " To be announced"



Speaker: Rabi Neal Katz

Lay Leader: Ruth Semrau