

Unitarian Universalist United Fellowship

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Discussion 10:15 a.m.

Service 11:00 a.m.

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May Calendar

May 5: **Discussion**: Jeff Harper

Program: Rebecca Johns, PhD

"Environmental Education Challenges

and Successes in India: Taking the

Tiger by the Tail."

May 12: 9:45 Board Meeting

May 12: **Discussion**: Mike Davis

Program: Rev. Kathleen D Korb

"The Hope of the Future"

May 19: **PICNIC IN THE PARK**

May 22: Newsletter Deadline

May 26: 9:30 Program Committee Meeting

May. 26: Share Sunday One half of today's

loose collection will go to the Free

Clinic

May 26: **Discussion**: Hal Sims

Program: Jim Deveney

"Myths of Marx"

June 12: **Annual Meeting**

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Birthdays and Anniversaries

May 17	Justin Giacoletti
May 23	Gail Cohen
May 23	Michael Davis
May 25	Roland Chew

President's Message

These days, I'm saddened but not surprised by the hypocrisy oozing out of our nation's capital. One has to choose between laughing or crying when 20-year-old TV clips are shown featuring much younger versions of familiar congressional faces. These windbags wax eloquent, saying "no one is above the law" and talk about how shocked, SHOCKED they are by the actions of the sitting president circa 1998. Today, those same faces, now more wrinkled and worn, are stonily silent about far greater breaches of ethics, principles and law being foisted upon us from on high. Their 1998 words and deeds are coming back to haunt them and I, for one, am glad of that.

Political expediency always seems to leave a damaged country in its wake. Statesmanship has all but disappeared from our land. There are those who say it will take an awful disaster or major attack to bring us together again as Americans. I think the disaster and the attack are already here, beating down our democracy a little more every single day. Only we, the citizen voters, can step into the breach and save the day. Seldom in our history has the phrase 'power to the people' meant so much and been so important. Here's hoping the people wake up before it's too late.

Donna Terrence

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Please remember to turn in your pledge cards. If you didn't get a card or have misplaced yours, there are more on the hall table. Help Charles get to the top to light the chalice! Please return your cards by May 31st.

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