



Unitarian Universalist United Fellowship

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Discussion 10:15 a.m.

Service 11:00 a.m.

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July Calendar

- July 4: **Independence Day**
- July 7: **Discussion:** Joan Burns
Program: Retsuko Sims
“Fukuzawa Sensei: Founder of Modern Japan”
- July 14: 9:45 Board Meeting
- July 14: **Discussion:** Bob Collette
Program: Harold D Sims, PhD
“Cartel of the Suns.”
- July 21: **Share Sunday** One half of today’s loose collection will go to the Free Clinic
- July 21: **Discussion:** Margaret Evans
Program: Greg Rosasco
“Project Drawdown”
- July 24: Newsletter Deadline
- July 28: 9:30 Program Committee Meeting
- July 28: **Discussion:** Myrtle Hylton
Program: Brian Burke
“So You Want to Measure Happiness?”

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Our long time member Nick Karamessinis died June 10th. We send our condolences to his family.

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President’s Message

As we watch the spectacle of inhumanity now taking place at immigration detention camps around the country, our own state included, I can’t stop thinking about other sad parts of our country’s history as well. Our systematic abuse of both African Americans and Native Americans continues to this day, albeit in a slightly milder form than was practiced in previous centuries. Immigrants from China were first brought in as laborers and later prohibited from entering America at all. Americans of Japanese origin or ancestry were detained and deprived of their citizenship rights during the second “War to End All Wars.”

Why don’t we learn from these terrible mistakes? Why do we keep doing these awful things to our fellow human beings? Is it just our frail human nature? I’m reminded of the adage about good people doing nothing to stop the activities of evil ones. I’ll sleep better after I’ve made my objections heard by our Congressional delegation, even though my words will probably fall on deaf ears during two of the three calls I’ll be making. Care to join in this effort?

Donna Terrence

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Birthdays and Anniversaries

July 10	Marilyn Kaminski
July 13	Ben Harper
July 15	Retsuko Sims
July 26	Cindy Funkhouser

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