



LAKE SHORE UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST FELLOWSHIP

A welcoming and accepting, diverse and inquiring spiritual fellowship

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SUMMER SERVICE SCHEDULE

June 5	Michael & Nancy Slattery	School of the Americas
June 12	Jennifer Hollahan	Fellowship Envisioning
June 19	WUSANN	UU The Vote
June 26	UUA Assembly	Live Stream Sunday Service
July 3	Mary Jo Urban	This I Believe
July 10	Ginny Finnel	Chautauqua Institution in NY State
July 17	Linda Hunter	Spiritual Journey with the UUS
July 24	Ted Rulseh	TBA
July 31	Jennifer Hollahan	Northern Ireland
Aug 7	TBA	
Aug 14	Suzanne Zipperer	TBA
Aug 21	TBA	
Aug 28	Carol Wergin & Connie Hendries	TBA



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As we look towards our lakeshore summer, be sure to enjoy at our lovely garden. We will be placing a sign in Ciel's portion of the garden to honor her memory. Feel free to stop and pull weeds if you are so inclined.

Starting in July, listen for our ads on **NPR**. You may hear:

Support also comes from Northeast Wisconsin Unitarian Universalist Fellowships, where diverse beliefs joining in making a difference for good. Locations include Appleton, Ephraim, Manitowoc and more. Info at

NEWUU.org." Every other ad will feature us as a location.

We will continue to advertise for the next 12 months along with Fond du Lac, Green Bay and Ripon. The website NEWUU.org has links to our website and we can track the number of "hits" every month.

Programs that we targeted are: WPNE and WHID like Simply Folk and WPNE NEWS AND CLASSICAL like Morning Drive. We will receive additional spots on the IDEAS NETWORK as a bonus.

UUTHE VOTE: We will have a table at this year's Juneteenth Celebration at Citizens' Park on June 19th. Several members have volunteered to man (woman) a table with information on Voter Registration. We will be there from 12 noon to 6 p.m. Feel free to stop and see or volunteer for a 2 hour shift.

You will be receiving a call regarding our summer circle summers, or **Backyard BBQs**. Please make sure you sign up for a dinner to share your thoughts with us. We need to know what you are looking for from our Fellowship. And it's just a great time to get together after the long COVID drought.

We are pleased to welcome our new board in July. Elected at the annual meeting in May: Dick Urban - Vice President, Kathie Fishbeck - Treasurer, Sandy Bast - At Large, one year term Mary Dean - At Large, two year term, Linda Wenzel - At Large, two year term

And our thanks to Jim and Jennifer Hollohan for their invaluable help, energy, ideas and support these last few years. You were essential.

Kathy

LAKESHORE UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST (LUUF) LAY MINISTRY

Theologically, LUUF Lay Ministers are as diverse as Unitarian Universalist among our Lay Ministry you will find a variety of spiritual perspectives and beliefs about the sacred.

LUUF Lay Ministers are committed to serving all Fellowship members and friends, with the utmost of compassion and discretion. If you're in need of a good listener, connection, support and/or resources inside, or outside our Fellowship, in times of illness, or another of life's challenges, or to officiate at dedications, weddings, or funerals, please don't hesitate to contact any of the following LUUF Lay Ministers:

Linda Hunter huntel@comcast.net Erica Strauss erica.h.strauss@gmail.com Jim Hollahan-

Marion & Joel Marquardts

Annual Summer

POOL *Party*

POT LUCK

July 24th—1:00pm

Marion will make sloppy Joe's,
Bring a dish to pass.

Lawn chair's

Swimming Optional

321 Roosevelt, Valders

RSVP: kayemarquardt@gmail.com



Love is the doctrine of this congregation, the quest for truth is our sacrament, and service is our prayer. To dwell together in peace, to seek knowledge in freedom, and to share our strength in fellowship, thus do we covenant.

As Members and Friends of the Lakeshore Unitarian Universalist Fellowship, we affirm this covenant and promote the Seven Principles of the Unitarian Universalist Association.

As an expression of these commitments:

We show love and respect by

- Creating a community where all are welcome
- Celebrating individuality and ensuring that everyone's voice is heard
- Addressing issues with one another directly, assuming good intentions
- Accepting responsibility for what we say and do
- Supporting our Fellowship with our time, talent, and treasure
- Supporting each other's spiritual journey

We use the democratic process in our congregation by

- Hearing and valuing the opinions of all
- Ensuring transparency in our decision making
- Developing consensus when possible and appropriate
- Resolving differences respectfully, using our fellowship's mediation process when necessary

We work for social justice by

- Striving to become a more diverse and inclusive community
- Educating ourselves and collaborating with others on issues of social justice
- Working to change cultures of injustice.
- Protecting and preserving our planet

We welcome into our Fellowship those who may differ in beliefs but are in general agreement with our commitment.



Recognizing and uplifting LGBTQ voices is important year-round, but **Pride Month** gives people who identify as LGBTQ+ a much bigger spotlight.

Throughout the month, the LGBTQ+ community and their allies get together at parades, marches and other organized events in the U.S. and around the world.

While it's certainly a cause for celebration, Pride Month is also a time to reflect on **the history of the movement**; remember the lives lost to violence and HIV/AIDS; and pay tribute to activists like Harvey Milk and Marsha P. Johnson who helped get us to where we are today.

The parades and marches may get the most attention (and understandably so), but you can also show your support by shaping young minds with **inclusive books** or posting your favorite LGBTQ quotes on social media for all to see.

No matter how you choose to observe Pride Month, one thing's for sure: You don't want to miss out on the important events and awareness days.

Before Pride Month, there was Gay Pride Day, which was first celebrated on June 28, 1970. Over time, the day turned into an entire month of celebrations and remembrances — and thus Pride Month was born.

The particular date in June marks the anniversary of the Stonewall Uprising, also called the Stonewall Riots. During the early morning hours of June 28, 1969, police raided the Stonewall Inn, a gay club in New York City. In the days that followed, crowds gathered at the Stonewall Inn in protest, leading to violence and riots.

The rebellion lasted for six days, resulting in increased awareness around LGBTQ issues, along with the creation of advocacy groups to help fight inequalities and discrimination against lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and queer individuals.

After being unofficially recognized for years, Pride Month was recognized on a federal level by **President Bill Clinton in 1999**. Some of the following presidents carried on the tradition, as recent as **President Joe Biden in 2021**.



CELEBRATE PRIDE

There are a number of important dates to circle on your calendar throughout the month of June, including a series of Pride Month Awareness Days. Here are the ones to know:

- **June 5: HIV Long-Term Survivors Day**, honors and increases visibility around HIV survivor issues and needs
- **June 12: Pulse Remembrance Day**, a remembrance of the 2016 Pulse nightclub shooting victims
- **June 19: Juneteenth**, a commemoration of African American culture and the emancipation of African American slaves
- **June 27: National HIV Testing Day**, encourages individuals to be tested for HIV
- **June 28: The Stonewall Riots Anniversary**, commemorates the 1969 Stonewall Uprising
- **June 30: Queer Youth of Faith Day**, to celebrate and empower LGBTQ youth of different faiths.



The month of June includes four important days for the planet: June 5 is World Environment Day; June 8 is World Oceans Day; June 17 is World Day to Combat Desertification; and June 29 is International Day of the Tropics. Each of these dates is a chance to reflect on the problems affecting the planet; such reflection is essential to our continued survival.

World Environment Day: June 5



Each year, we use **500,000 million plastic bags and at least eight million tons of plastic** end up in the ocean; this is the equivalent of unloading a garbage truck every minute. This year, World Environment Day is dedicated to raising awareness about the unnecessary use of plastic.

World Oceans Day: June 8

Earth is known as the “Blue Planet” thanks to its oceans. Water covers 70% of Earth’s surface and, aside from giving the planet its characteristic color, our oceans are **home to 700,000 species and currents that regulate global climate**. The livelihoods of more than three billion people depend on the planet’s diverse marine and coastal ecosystems, which have absorbed 93% of the excess heat (CO₂) produced by humans since the 1970s. Despite this dependency, we have overexploited and destroyed the habitats of many species, introducing invasive species and protecting only 3% of the ocean’s surface. In addition, we have caused ocean acidification by forcing the seas to absorb the carbon dioxide produced by humans. This is one of factors that triggers coral bleaching and usually goes hand in hand with an increase in water temperature caused by climate change.



World Day to Combat Desertification: June 17

Desertification is the ecological process in which fertile and productive land loses all or part of its production potential due to deforestation, overexploitation of aquifers, over-irrigation, overexploitation of land, and climatic variation. Thirty percent of the Earth's surface has been degraded and lost its real value, directly **affecting some 250 million people**,



with an additional one billion at risk in areas spread over more than a hundred countries. These populations include the poorest and most marginalized citizens, who lack political representation. Land grabbing and the tendency to acquire productive land in a precipitous manner are confirmation of the increasingly evident fact that access to productive land will be crucial to improving economies and ensuring peace and stability in the future.

International Day of the Tropics: June 29

For many, the tropics are sunny lands with beaches, ideal climates, white sands, palm trees, and coconuts. But the tropics are also synonymous with abundance, since they cover 40% of the total surface of the planet and are home to approximately 80% of its biological diversity, 54% of its renewable water reserves, 95% of its mangroves, 99% of all mangrove species, and a large part of the planet's linguistic and cultural diversity. The tropics also harbor a significant number of threatened species, since, according to available data, the loss of biodiversity is higher in the tropics than in the rest of the world. Nearly half of the population living in the tropics suffers from water scarcity and the total area of tropical mangroves has decreased since 1980.



Friends of the Manitowoc River Watershed 2022 calendar
 For anyone interested in any of their events.



Calendar of Events 2022

Feb TBD	***Planning Meeting and Social Networking Date, Place, Time – TBD Watch for update!	Monthly Event - Adopt-a-Park, Walk Through, POC: Connie Specht & Sara Schuetze
Apr 26 7:00 pm <u>*Doors Open at 6:30 pm</u>	Tap Talk with Titus: From the Watershed to your Glass Speaker: Titus Seilheimer Location: Sabbatical Brewing	
Apr 30	Beach Cleanup POC: Kim Kettner	
May 14	Lower Schuette Park Tree Planting 9:30 – 11:30 am and 12:30 -2:30 pm Rain date Jun. 4 (same times)	
Jun 11	9:00 am Project Red and Cleanup at Little Manitowoc River (Lincoln Park Zoo) POC: Kim Kettner and Wendy Lutzke	
Aug 12	Moonlight Paddle- Manitowoc River Approx. 8:15 pm, Put-in Lower Schuette Park POC: Kim Kettner/Wendy Lutzke	
Aug 20 9:00 -1:00 pm	AIS Snapshot Day Lower Henry Schuette Park POC: Kim Kettner	
June, July Aug	Storm Drain Cleanup and Marker Project Dates, Place and Time – TBD POC: Wendy Lutzke	
Sep 17 9:00 am Evening	Beach Cleanup and LNRP Barn Dance POC: Kim Kettner LNRP 20 th Anniversary Event!	
Oct 4	***Planning Meeting and Social Networking Date, Place and Time - TBD	
Oct 18	TMDL Update POC: Jim Kettler Could be virtual/in-person combination	
Nov 5	Climate Change and Trees Date, Place and Time - TBD Could be virtual/in-person combination	

LUUF continues to support our 5 outreach community organizations.

- Hope House (Homeless Shelter)
- InCourage (Domestic Violence Center)
- The Haven (Mens shelter)
- TREP (Two Rivers Economical Pantry)
- Painting Pathways (Clubhouse International)

We can't do that without your help!

1. Ways to give — “Donate” button on our website www.lakeshoreuufellowship.org
This on-line donation system utilizes Pay Pal. Pay Pal fees are 2.9%, consider “tipping” up to cover these fees, when making annual pledge donations. It is an internet based program that is protected and quite safe. If you don't already have a PayPal account, you can set one up at www.paypal.com You can complete a direct transfer through your bank or credit card. Follow the PayPal instructions on-line.
2. You can continue to mail checks in through the postal system.
3. You can set it up through your bank with an online account.
Process is:.

*Sign into your on-line banking system

*Go to your Payment Center, online bill paying, or whatever your bank calls your on-line bill paying system.
Associated Bank uses “ Pay Bills”, for instance.

*Select “Add a Company or Person.”

*Fill out the information as requested,
Usually this is the name of the company, and address and phone number

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*Set up a payment and date to be completed. Or choose Monthly reoccurring

*The bank will issue a check and mail it to LUUF

LUUF Treasurer is checking the mail weekly, just as before this containment, and will submit the checks to Bank First every week.



We are called to put our UU values and faith into action to build a world that is peaceful, compassionate, just and sustainable.

In the tradition of UU's, our Fellowship, it's members and friends live our UU principals by participating in many social and human concerns endeavors. Social Action is the lifeblood of our Fellowship. It nourishes us spiritually and enriches our community.

LUUF's Social Justice committee sponsors many different ways to make a difference in the world through social justice and community outreach. We work with partners in the community at various concerns throughout the community and are often well represented. We have a strong commitment to social justice, supporting and encouraging our members and friends to be involved in some way with our social justice outreach activities.

Our Fellowship offers members and friends many hands-on opportunities to create social justice

Hope House of Manitowoc County



Hope House, a program of Lakeshore Interfaith Hospitality Network and an affiliate of Family Promise, is a non-profit organization whose purpose is to provide immediate shelter and guidance to homeless individuals and families. Contact Kim Everett kimeverett60@gmail.com if you are interested in volunteering. Information and training will be provided.

**Mark your Calendar, our 2022 Volunteer weeks are:
6/19 -6/25 8/7-08/13 9/25-10/1 11/13-11/19**

InCourage - Domestic Violence Center

Provides shelter, crisis intervention and supportive services for survivors of domestic and sexual abuse and their families, with a commitment to safety, respect and self-determination.



Painting Pathways



Painting Pathways Clubhouse empowers adults with diagnosed mental illness by building community, supporting recovery and changing lives.

Two Rivers Ecumenical Pantry (TREP)

Food assistance for those in need. Serving Two Rivers, Mishicot, and surrounding areas.



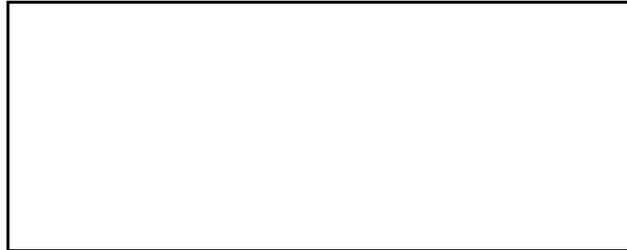
The Haven of Manitowoc County



The Haven of Manitowoc County provides shelter for homeless men for up to 90 days and offers a program to help them regain their independence



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LAKE SHORE UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST MISSION

*As a welcoming and accepting, diverse and inquiring spiritual fellowship,
We unite to create a community which stimulates a free exchange and
Exploration of ideas, foster spiritual and intellectual growth, and
serves as a base for active outreach to benefit the world around us.*

AS UNITARIAN UNIVERSALISTS, WE AFFIRM AND PROMOTE THESE PRINCIPLES

*The inherent worth and dignity of every person
Justice, equality and compassion in human relationships
Acceptance of one another and encouragement to spiritual growth in our congregations
A free and responsible search for truth and meaning
The right of conscience and the use of the democratic process
The goal of world community with peace, liberty and justice for all
Respect for the interdependent web of all existence of which we are a part*



**SIDE WITH
LOVE**



2022 Season
**THREE
BIG
NIGHTS**

10+ Food Trucks • Local Producers & Vendors
Family Activities • Live Music

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 22
SMOKE ROAD

WEDNESDAY, JULY 20
THE NOW BAND

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 10
SPICY TIE BAND

5:00 PM - 9:30 PM
FARMERS MARKET LOT

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Mission Greens Hydroponic Farm

There is an urgent need for fresh, healthy foods in our community. Each day, more families are turning to our nonprofit to meet their most basic need - healthy food. The time is now for us to act and ensure the vitality of our neighbors and friends.

Given the need for healthy food in our community, compounded by the effects of COVID-19, Fork Farms is partnering with Grow It Forward to set up an indoor hydroponic farm with 24 Flex Farm systems. Flex Farms are indoor hydroponic vertical farms that grow significant amounts of fresh food.

Mission Greens Products:

Herbs (Basil, Cilantro, Parsley)

Lettuce (Coastal Romain, Green Star, Red Oak, Butterhead, Cherokee)

Salad Dressings

Basil Hummus

Mission Greens Are Available At:

Our Retail Cooler/Cafe Harmony located at 1501 Marshall Street, Wednesday-Saturday, 8am-4pm.

Downtown Manitowoc Farmers Market, Saturdays June-October