



# LAKESHORE UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST FELLOWSHIP

*A welcoming and accepting, diverse and inquiring spiritual fellowship*

## MARCH 2019



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Save a tree, save

### MARCH 3

#### "Trouble and Joy" February Sky (Phil Cooper and Susan Urban)

"A condition of living life on this plane is that it is a greatly varied experience. We believe that in order to participate fully in life, it is necessary to embrace all of it, the sad and tragic along with the joyful and pleasant. This service will explore this paradoxical concept."

February Sky is always a delight to hear. Phil is a traditional singer Celtic guitarist and song writer/singer. Susan is a songwriter and plays 6 and 12 string guitars, 6-string banjo, mountain dulcimer, hand percussion instruments and Native American style flute. They have been here many times before. Do come hear them again, or for the very first time!

### MARCH 10

#### The Joy of Seeking Together: How Spiritual Companionship Works and How it Can Help People-- -Even Secular Humanists!

Spiritual companionship (also known as spiritual direction and spiritual guidance) is a one-on-one relationship of deep listening, of journeying with another. Those who seek guidance are often looking at ways to deepen their spirituality. They may be considering questions of meaning and purpose in their lives and exploring their connectedness to all that is. Learn why we aren't meant to walk the journey alone!

Kathie Tilot, MTS, is a spiritual director and coordinates spiritual direction at the Norbertine Center for Spirituality at St. Norbert Abbey in De Pere,

### MARCH 17

#### "Death by Intention" Arthur Thexton

This is a discussion of the fraught topics of the death penalty, abortion, war, and end-of-life issues, and the difficulty of achieving ethical consistency when forming positions on them.

Arthur is a lawyer who also finished seminary. He'll have at least two perspectives to examine these issues.

### MARCH 24

#### "Belonging From and Indigenous Perspective" Norbert Hill & Kathleen Rattaree

From an Oneida Nation perspective, Hill will discuss citizenship and responsibility; tribal demography, the myth and reality of DNA and citizenship using Senator Elizabeth Warren as a catalyst for understanding. He will cover Indigenous Civics--values and governance of the Iroquois Confederacy. Kathleen Rattaree will discuss from a non-Native ally perspective. She will discuss the book creation and impact it has had on conversations. Although the idea for this book began in Oneida, Wisconsin, the final result spans the globe.

Norbert is the area director of education and training for the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin. His previous appointment was vice president of the College of Menominee Nation for their Green Bay campus. Norbert also served as executive director of the American Indian Graduate Center (AIGC) in New Mexico, a nonprofit organization providing funding for American Indians and Alaskan Natives to pursue graduate and professional degrees. Norbert resides on the Oneida reservation with his wife. (continued)

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Kathleen began working with the Oneida Nation Trust and Enrollment Committee in 2013. She has served as project manager for Sustain Oneida. She assists in facilitating constructive community dialogue on tribal enrollment criteria. She holds a masters of science in medical anthropology, and a masters of public health from UW-Madison. She lives just outside GB with her husband, two young children, a 100-pound dog, nine hens, one rooster, and various wildlife.

## MARCH 31

### “Expectations are...” Tony Larsen

How would you finish that sentence? Are expectations good? Are they bad? Does it depend? And does any of this matter?

Come this Sunday with whatever expectations you have. ... Or not.

Tony is a retired UU minister. He served Olympia Brown Unitarian congregation in Racine. He speaks occasionally at the Door County Unitarian congregation as well.

### Brrr... Done with Winter Yet?

This morning, as I walked Jasper through foot-deep snow, every blowing or shoveling neighbor I met along the way had the same thing to say: “I think I’m done with winter!” Ordinarily, I like this time of year for the crystalline beauty of the snow and for a blazing hearth and cozy sweaters inside. But this winter is different, partly because I now have a dog. The subzero temps, the three-foot piles at every crosswalk, the two inches of ice on the sidewalks—well, I do think I’ve had enough of all that.

On the other hand, the seed catalogs have arrived so I am already plotting spring, weaving fantasies of Swiss chard, tomatoes, basil, watermelons, garlic, fresh thyme. I know mindfulness means living in the present—but dreams of warming soil and longer days do beckon enticingly.

By its nature, your board looks to the future also, but with less inclination to fantasies! These days, we are working more consciously to align our efforts and priorities with the strategic plan that was developed in 2015, and we’re looking forward to developing a covenant of right relations with our community if that is a direction the community wants to take. Jim Hollahan is spearheading the strategic planning work, and he and Ginny Finnel are also leading a covenant planning work group that’s currently touching base with committees to share information and gauge interest and perspectives.

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**The next Board Meeting** will be held on **Wednesday, February 6, at 1pm, in the Fellowship.** As always, if you have any issues you would like addressed or would like to attend a meeting, please let a member of the board know. All are welcome to attend board meetings. In the spirit of transparency— Minutes of past board meetings are filed in the library.

## 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:*

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You will hear more about this at services this month in preparation for congregation-wide discussion.

As the UUA reminds us, we are not a credal religion, we are a covenantal religion. That is, we are bound together not by a shared set of beliefs but by our promises to each other. The seven principles are our covenant with the UUA; our covenant of right relations proceeds from the ideals those principles articulate and spells out the ways in which we promise to honor them. More on this to come.

Also in the planning stages this month is our annual pledge campaign. This year, we expect to do things a little differently. We would like to meet personally with each of you during April, either one-on-one or at one of several circle suppers we will schedule. Our purposes are three-fold:

1. to thank you for all you have done to support the Fellowship this past year;
2. to solicit your input on how well the Fellowship is meeting your needs and to hear your suggestions for the year ahead; and
3. to provide information on future planning, resources, and needs and to ask you for your pledge.

We expect to kick the campaign off at the end of March and will schedule a celebration and dinner to thank all our pledgers in late May.

With so much to do between now and then, spring doesn't seem that far off any more. I think I feel warmer already!

*Euca*



**Multigenerational worship is designed to engage all ages, from babies to elders, in a shared experience of spiritual growth.**

**Please join us in service, all ages, all welcome.**

**For our youngest activity bags, full of fun and entertaining things to do during service will be provided.**

**Rocking chairs to sooth, or quiet space to calm, your children are welcome into our beloved community**



More than tea & toast

**Don't forget!**  
**Saturday, Breakfast Club,**  
**March 2 ~ Dali's Café 9:30 am.**  
 Dali's is closed for two weeks, no breakfast in Feb.  
 First Saturday of every month.  
 Join us for breakfast and conversation.

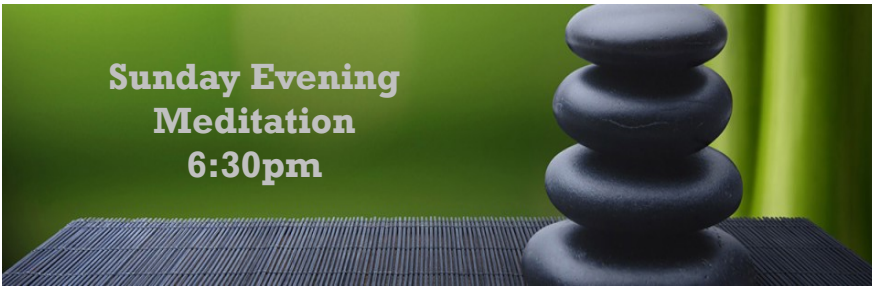
## Reflective Listening

March 5 ~ 10:00am

A small gathering to share from our deep-  
 er selves, to hear ourselves and one another  
 more gently and respectfully. Nancy  
 Horvath will facilitate our practice of  
 Respectful Listening.



**Sunday Evening  
 Meditation  
 6:30pm**



*Sources  
 of Our  
 Faith*

INSPIRATIONAL READINGS

KATHLEEN BOKING, EDITOR

Unitarian Universalist  
 Sources of Faith  
 Sharing/reflection group will  
 meet 1st Sunday of each  
 month, after coffee, see you;

**March 3**

*Some preparation for each  
 session is expected.*

The living tradition we share draws from many sources. This collection of inspirational readings from many cultures and times provides a felt sense of the six Sources of Unitarian Universalism. Organized by Source, and introduced with thoughtful essays from the editor, these readings are ideal for use in worship or for personal reflection.



**Don't Forget!**  
**Circle Suppers, breakfast,  
 brunch or Lunch!**

We're seeking HOSTS for the  
 Fellowship's Circle Supper, breakfast,  
 brunch, or Lunch in March, April, or  
 May!

First Saturday of each month, join the  
 Breakfast Club, at Dali's Café, at 8th &  
 York. Informal, no need to reserve your  
 space, just show up and enjoy breakfast  
 with friends.

**These suppers are simple and fun!**

A potluck at a host's home, or a gathering  
 at a restaurant. Host choice, lunch, or  
 dinner, weekend, or weekday! Home, or  
 favorite restaurant.

Circle Suppers are a great way to get to  
 know Fellowship friends. For the pot-  
 luck meals, in guests homes, participants  
 coordinate with their host on what to  
 bring. For a restaurant dinner, hosts  
 choice, participants pay for their own  
 meals. It is recommended that a Circle  
 Supper include 6-10 people, to contribute  
 to good conversation over a shared meal.  
 It does not have to be an even number, 7  
 works too!

We're organizing it a little different—  
 you'll find Circle Supper sign up sheets  
 in the vestibule of the Fellowship. Any-  
 one interested in hosting, fill in the host  
 section of the sign up sheet, date time  
 and pot-luck or restaurant, feel free to  
 announce you're hosting during the  
 service announcements, and guests will  
 sign up. **Super Simple, Circle Suppers!**

Contact Kim Everett, or adult activities  
 committee, for questions, or to include  
 your Circle Supper in the newsletter.

**Friendly Fellowship  
 around Good Food!**



## GLOBE

# Green Living On Behalf of the Earth

## Weekly Green Tips



**DID YOU KNOW?** US CONSUMERS SPEND UP TO 10,000 TIMES MORE PER GALLON FOR BOTTLED WATER THAN FOR TAP WATER. CONSIDER BUYING A REUSABLE WATER BOTTLE. SAVE YOURSELF SOME MONEY AND SAVE OUR WATER.

**Did you now?** Refrigerators account for **1/6 of a home's energy use**. Opening the door accounts for between \$30 and \$60 of a typical family's electricity bill each year. Select energy-efficient models when buying replacements.

**Did you know?** Many idle electronics—TVs, DVD players, stereos, microwaves—use energy even when switched off to keep display clocks lit and remote controls working. Switch off power strips and unplug electrical devices when you're not using them.

**Did you know?** An average tree can absorb one ton of carbon dioxide over its lifetime. Plant a tree.



From World Water Day to Earth Day (March 22 to April 22), Unitarian Universalists and other people of faith and conscience take action to build resistance to climate change and add our moral voices to the movement for climate justice.

Individuals, families, groups, and congregations can engage in powerful practices throughout the month, learn together, and take action to shift to a low carbon future, advance the human rights of frontline communities, and grow the climate justice movement.

Be inspired, get connected with other people of faith and conscience committed to climate justice, and commit to long-term actions that will help save our world. This is your movement. You have the power to make a difference. How will you respond?

Unitarian Universalists see ourselves as one thread in a single fabric of all existence. We embrace nature's beauty and are in awe of its power. We have a responsibility to care for our home and stand together with those most affected by pollution, environmental destruction, increasingly severe natural disasters, and other impacts of climate change.

**LUUF Globe committee will be participating in the Manitoowoc County "Earth Cares" day, on May 11, 9am—1pm. Watch for more information and opportunities to participate in the April and May newsletter.**

# 2019 GREAT DECISIONS

Foreign Policy Association



Refugees and Global Migration

The United States and Mexico:  
Partnership Tested

The Middle East: Regional Disorder

The Rise of Populism in Europe

Nuclear Negotiations:  
Back to the Future?

Cyber Conflicts and Geopolitics

Decoding U.S. – China Trade

State of the State Department  
and Diplomacy

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as possible, often within a week.

## Nuclear Negotiations: Back to the Future?



**March 4**  
**Andrew Kydd, PhD**  
**UW-Madison**

The President has met with Vladimir Putin as the New Start Treaty with Russia comes up for renewal in 2021. The first presidential summit ever with Kim Jong-un occurred to discuss denuclearizing the Korean Peninsula. President Trump has decertified the Obama nuclear deal with Iran. To what degree should past nuclear talks guide future U.S. nuclear arms control negotiations? Can the art of the deal apply to stabilizing our nuclear future?

## Cyber Conflicts and Geopolitics

**March 11**  
**Kevin Kelly, J.D.**  
**UW Law School**



Cyber conflict is a new and continually developing threat. Russia has been accused of interfering in the 2016 presidential elections in the United States and China is highly committed to using cyberspace as a tool of national policy. Dealing with cyber conflict will require new ways of looking at 21st century warfare. Is the United States prepared to respond to such threats?



## Decoding US-China Trade

**March 18**

**Martin Farrell, PhD  
Ripon College  
(Retired)**



Though arguably the most advanced economy in the world, the United States still uses centuries-old numbers to measure trade. These antique numbers mangle understanding of the U.S.-China trade relationship, shrinking America's true economic size and competitiveness, while swelling China's. Bad numbers give rise to bad policies that ultimately kill U.S. jobs and cede market share to China. What other tools can the United States employ to counter China's unfair trade practices?

## State of the State Department and Diplomacy



**March 25**

**Daniel C. Stoll, PhD  
St. Norbert College**

During the Trump administration, the usual ways of conducting diplomacy have been upended. Many positions in the State Department have never been filled, and meetings with foreign leaders such as Kim Jong-un and Vladimir Putin have been undertaken with little advance planning. What effect are these changes having now, and how will they affect ongoing relationships between the United States and its allies and adversaries?



It does take a village to care for the families we host. I am proud to be part of you and your efforts and willingness to step up are GREAT.

Thank you especially for delaying your trip Mary Jo and Dick. And Scott thanks being ready to help.

Call Volunteer coordinator at Hope House (920) 686-1436 if you'd like to volunteer

### Hope house wish list

Paper Towels, Toilet Paper  
Laundry Detergent, Dryer Sheets  
Cleaning Supplies, and wipes  
Pillows, Blankets, Sheets

For additional items, visit their website at:

<http://hopehousemc.org/wish-list/>

### Lakeshore UU Volunteer weeks

**March 10—March 16**

**Contact Nancy Slatterly at:  
nancy\_slattery@hotmail.com  
If you are available to volunteer.**

Check out Hope House facebook page for more information about upcoming events and happenings.

<https://www.facebook.com/hopehousemc/>



***Painting Pathways Club House Inc.***  
***Club House international registered.***

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

<http://paintingpathways.org/>

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*Two Rivers Mishicot Ecumenical Pantry*

**Don't forget our food basket in the vestibule of the Fellowship**



**Please drop off your non-perishables and they will be taken to TREP.**

**Pantry needs:**

Meals in a can, cereal, chili beans, baked beans, chicken noodle soup, soda crackers, tuna, macaroni and cheese, ramen noodles, jelly, peanut butter, packaged rice, or noodle meals, pasta and rice. Toilet paper, tooth paste, shampoo deodorant, bar soap, cleaning supplies and diapers.

Please drop your contributions in the coat room and they will be delivered to TREP.

**Volunteers needed:**

People to take clients around for food on Monday mornings from 8:00—noon. Or, Wednesday morning from 8:30—noon

Volunteers to drive the cube truck on Monday or Wednesday mornings. Heavy lifting involved, bring muscles.

Call TREP at: 793-5364 if interested.

**Coats for kids**

If you have a gently used coat, please take it to Cool City Cleaners to be cleaned free of charge, just tell them it's for TREP Coats for kids. Gently used snowpants or boots can be dropped off at TREP, or left with food collection bags in the coat room of the Fellowship



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Domestic Violence Center (DVC)

**new name is... in courage**  
**still** SUPPORTING VICTIMS of DOMESTIC ABUSE and SEXUAL ASSAULT

24/7 CRISIS LINE (920) 684-5770

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#### **SHELTER ASSISTANT/CRISIS LINE:**

Answer the DV & SA crisis lines (training provided)  
Assist residents as needed in shelter with daily living skills  
Other volunteer opportunities:  
Restocking kitchen cupboards  
Organizing/cleaning  
Processing donations

#### **RECEPTIONIST/OFFICE WORK:**

Greet visitors (during daytime hours)  
Assist with clerical duties such as:  
Data entry  
Making copies  
Filing  
Preparing mailings  
Familiarity with Word and Excel a plus

#### **SPECIAL EVENTS/FUNDRAISING:**

Lend a hand at special events.  
Fundraisers.  
Mailings

#### **TRANSPORTATION:**

Assist in the transportation of clients to appointments  
in the  
community and other various destinations.  
Can use agency van or your insured vehicle

#### **MAINTENANCE/YARD WORK:**

Help with regular maintenance or yard work.  
Summer lawn mowing is always needed.

For additional information about volunteering at inCourage, visit their website at:

<https://incouragewi.org/volunteer-page/> Or call 1-920-684-4661

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## of Manitowoc County, Men's Homeless Shelter

[www.thehavenofmanitowoc.org](http://www.thehavenofmanitowoc.org)



<https://www.facebook.com/The-Haven-of-Manitowoc-County-119607058158558/>

## Things We Need

### Personal Items

- Bath Towels and Wash Cloths
- Body Wash
- Ear Swabs
- Jeans size 29-32 waist
- Lotion
- Nail Clippers
- rain ponchos w/ hoods
- steel toed boots all sizes
- sunscreen
- Underwear ( no briefs ) socks all sizes

### Food Items

- bottled water
- Butter
- charcoal and fluid for grilling
- cheese
- coffee creamer
- Coffee regular grind
- fruit juices
- Milk
- salad dressings
- Sugar

### Shelter Supplies

- 45-49 gallon black garbage bags
- air fresheners (glade, febreze )
- alcohol pads
- aluminum foil
- Batteries (all sizes)
- fans--prefer box style
- kitchen dishes, plates, cups, silverware
- Laundry Detergent
- light bulbs
- lysol disinfectant spray
- non latex gloves
- Paper Towel
- pots/pans,cooking utensils
- power strips
- Toilet Paper
- Y/Z vaccum bags
- Ziplock Freezer Bags

### Office Needs

- clear document protectors
- legal pads
- manila folders
- packaging tape
- post it notes
- printer paper 8 1/2 X 11
- Resume Paper
- used laptops

## The Haven Beauty Brigade, E-Waste Brigade, and Drink Pouch Brigade Recycling Fundraisers

### Beauty Brigade Recycling Info -

The Haven now collects used personal care packaging to send in for reimbursement.

#### Accepted waste includes:

1. Hair care packaging such as shampoo bottles and caps, conditioner bottles and caps, hair gel tubes and caps, hair spray bottles and triggers, and hair paste plastic jars and caps.
2. Skin care packaging such as lip balm tubes, face soap dispensers and tubes, face lotion bottles, tubes, and plastic jars, body wash containers, soap tubes and dispensers, body lotion dispensers and bottles, shaving foam tubes (no cans), and hand lotion bottles and tubes.
3. Cosmetics packaging such as lipstick cases, lip gloss tubes, mascara tubes, eye shadow cases, bronzer cases, foundation packaging and bottles, powder cases, eyeliner cases, eyeliner pencils, eye shadow tubes, concealer tubes, concealer sticks, and lip liner pencils.

**Watch for a collection box in the coat room, coming soon.**

For E-Waste visit weblink and drop off at the Haven

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2<sup>nd</sup> Annual  
**Shamrocks for Shelter**

**Knox's Silver Valley**  
**March 16th**  
**11:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m .**



**Free Community Event Open to the Public**

**Bean Bag Tournament – registration forms at Knox's Silver Valley**

**Music by: Riley Haupt (11:00 to 1:30) and Charlie Bucket Band (2:00 to 6:00)**

**Brats, Burgers, Corn Beef Sandwiches**

**Irish Bucket Raffles/Silent Auctions – 50/50 Pot of Gold**

**Luck of the Irish Door Prizes – Lucky Leprechaun Coins**



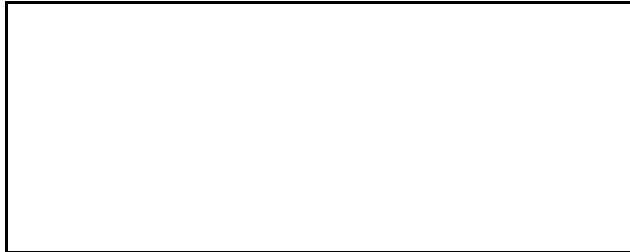
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St. Patrick's Day attire  
or come as you are**

**Prize for best costume!!**



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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

**PEACE TO ALL**

