

Subject: UU News 16 January 2019 Loads of New Programming!

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UU News 16 January 2019

Your weekly UU News lets you see at a glance upcoming events
at the Unitarian Universalist Congregation of the Quad Cities.

(Note: This is only a partial list of upcoming events at UUCQC.
A full calendar can be found at uucqc.org.)

This Sunday

Next Sunday

Forum

Trivia Night!

Community Engagement with QCI

Game Night

Wednesday Night Adult RE

Playdate!
Caring Notes
Youth Religious Education Newsletter
Connection Circles! Parenting & Soul Matters
Christian Sources Team

This Sunday @ 10 a.m.



January 20
The Words of Dr.
Martin Luther King
Reverend Jay Wolin

In April of 1965, Martin Luther King Jr. came to Davenport Iowa and gave a speech at a ceremony in which he was the recipient of the Pacem-in-Terris Peace and Freedom award. We will hear some of that speech and reflect on the state of race and racism in Davenport today.

Next Sunday @ 10 a.m.



January 27
A Community of
Possibility
Rev. Jay Wolin

I often say I don't know my limits until I pass them. How else can we be sure what is possible? Often we

underestimate what is possible. Just because I imagine something is possible doesn't make it so, but it is a place to start. How does Unitarian Universalism help inform us about what is possible for our lives and this world? It is possible that this is what I will be talking about this Sunday.

Forum



**Sundays @ 9 a.m.
Community Room
Childcare Available!**

January 20:

January 27: Village School Code of Conduct

Join together as parents and congregants to give feedback in crafting our code of conduct to reflect our seven UU principles. We will also take the time to share our own family "codes" and how they relate to our lives as Unitarian Universalists.

Caring Notes

Get Well Soon & Birthday Wishes

Andrea Hawkins-Kamper, our Ministerial Intern, is home and recovering from double bypass open heart surgery. Her birthday gift was to return home (Jan. 8). She requests no visitors until after this upcoming weekend, January 14. Cards and emails are welcome (intern@uucqc.org). Please call before you visit. Ask in the UU office for a phone number and address as needed. There is a Caring Bridge website where you can find updates and other ways to help Andrea and her partner, Wren. Be sure to look at the Ways to Help section.



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[Andrea's Caring Bridge Webpage](#)

Next week help Edye Pearson celebrate her 97th Birthday. Cards are much appreciated. Please send them to her at Palmer Hills Apt. 208, 2617 Maplecrest Rd, Bettendorf, Ia 52722.

Trivia Night!

UUCQC TRIVIA NIGHT



SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 9 @ 6 P.M.

TRIVIA NIGHT WITH MR. TRIVIA!

**50/50, PIE RAFFLE, MULLIGANS,
BEER & SODA FOR SALE, AND A LOAD OF
FUN!**

\$10 PER PERSON; TABLES OF 8

CASH AT DOOR

***REGISTER YOUR TEAM/SINGLE SPOT AT
OFFICE@UUCQC.ORG***

CHILDCARE WILL BE AVAILABLE

**Bring us your
PIES!!!**

If you can donate a



homemade pie for the trivia night raffle, please contact Amanda.



Youth Religious Ed



YRE News!

Youth RE enriches the lives of not only the young people at UUCQC, but everyone their lives touch! Follow the link to learn more about Youth RE :)

YRE Newsletter

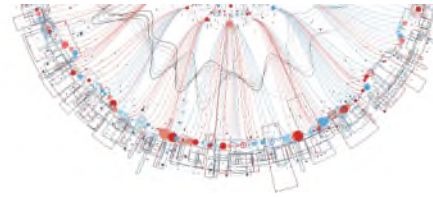
Adult RE: New Connection Circles & Wednesday Night Enrichment

Parenting Connection Circle

This Connection Circle takes place the last Saturday of the month from 10-11:30 a.m. in the downstairs lounge. Childcare will be provided.

We ask there you commit to attending at least 8 of the meetings in order to facilitate a deep relationship and connection with others who are





participating.

We may follow the Connection Circle with a potluck (kids welcome) depending on interest.

Please contact Ashley Myers at 563.320.9656 or adultre@uucqc.org with questions. Thank you!

[RSVP HERE](#)

Soul Matters Connection Circle

Soul Matters is a Connection Circle is a reminder that Unitarian Universalism is a distinctive community of faith, not a religion of "anything goes." Our monthly themes are not just interesting topics. Rather they focus us on a spiritual value that our UU faith has historically honored and calls all of us to embody in our lives.

In other words, at each meeting, we are reminded that our faith promotes a preferred way for us to be in the world. This is why each monthly theme is framed with the question: "What does it mean to be a people of _____?" It is our way of remembering that our faith asks something specific of us. This frame also honors the fact that we need each other to become who we most deeply want to be. We talk about being a people of faith, not just a person of faith because, for us, spirituality is not a solo journey. It is something that emerges in the context of covenanted community. We hold each other accountable. We offer each other the gift of deep listening. We share our various perspectives so all of us can see the greater whole. Through this we grow. Through others, we become ourselves.

Meetings will be held the last Thursday of the month from 6:30-8 at the UUCQC in the board room. In order to facilitate an intimate and safe space conducive to building relationships, we ask that you commit to attending 8 of our meetings (dates listed below). Child care is available upon request.

If you have any questions, please contact Ashley Myers at 563.320.9656 or adultre@uucqc.org.

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ADULT ENRICHMENT

@UUCQC

January 2019

In this issue:

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- Building Your Own Theology Series
- Soul Matters Connection Circle
- Parenting Connection Circle

There is a lot going on with our Adult Enrichment and Religious Education programming at the UUCQC! This monthly Newsletter is meant to keep you updated, informed and involved!

Committee Meeting:

Connection Circle
•Parenting Connection Circle

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Our next Committee Meeting will be held 1/17/19 at 2pm in the Board Room. Have an idea for a class? Want to get involved—Join Us!

Building Your Own Theology

Adult RE: Wednesdays from 6-8pm in the Board Room

1/2: Eschatology: How do we Account for Evil?

1/9: Justice and Beloved Community: What Is Our Place in the World?

1/16: Individualism and Community: What is the Role of the Church?

1/23: Suffering and Meaning: Why do Bad Things Happen?

*We are in a stream
whose source is
hidden...*

*The soul knows only
the soul; the web of
events is the flowing
robe in which she is
clothed.*

-Ralph Waldo Emerson

Christian Sources



New Christian Source Group January 20 @ 11:30 a.m. Board Room

Are you unfamiliar with Christianity and want to know more? Have you been in a Christian church and moved away? Or maybe wondering how Christianity is manifest in the UU context.

This Sunday, January 20th, anyone interested in a Christian source group is invited to meet in the Board Room at 11:30 to explore possibilities.

Youth RE Play Group!

PLAYDATE

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2/15, 3/8, 3/29, 4/19, 5/10, 5/31**

TIME: 9A-12P

This activity is appropriate for kids of all age groups.
Contact Ashley at adultre@uucqc.org or 563.320.9656 if you have questions or would be interested in leading an activity.

Immigration Project

Community Action!

ONGOING NEED FOR DONATIONS

(Please secure lids with masking tape if possible to prevent leakage)



Let's fill our ELEVENTH LOAD!!!

Currently, First Pres Food Pantry is caring for the families affected by ICE raids in Mt. Pleasant, Iowa. UUCQC is a collection point for donations.

We are in need of the following items for the food pantry at First Presbyterian Church in Mt. Pleasant, Iowa. Thanks for any assistance that you can provide.

Food

vegetable oil
masa
dried beans
plain pasta and rice
canned fruit & veggies
canned meats
sugar and salt
bottled water

Personal hygiene products

laundry detergent and dish soap
shampoo, tooth paste, and bar soap
tooth brushes, deodorants

paper towels and toilet paper
baby wipes

Winter clothing

hats, gloves, and mittens (all sizes)
scarves
coats for boys ages 1-18
coats for girls ages 2-19

Call the office 5633590816 before dropping by, please!

Game Nights



Every Other Friday Night @ 6 p.m.

Upcoming Dates:

Jan 11, 25

Join us for a family-friendly game night every other Friday in the social hall. Bring games or play one of ours! Snacks to share are always

welcome :)

QCI Events



601 Brady Street
Suite 208
Davenport, Iowa 52803
563.322.4910
qcinterfaith@gmail.com /www.qcinterfaith.org

Upcoming Quad Cities Interfaith Meetings and Fundraiser

QCI monthly Task Force Assembly

*Issues to address—Immigrant Rights, Mass Incarceration/Restorative Justice and School Discipline in Davenport Public Schools, i.e., breaking the "School-To-Prison Pipeline"

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*Leadership will reflect on the past year, and shares ideas for campaign work in 2019 and leading up to the 2020 Caucuses, Census, and November elections. There will be discussion of QCI's Integrated Voter engagement (IVE), a grassroots, door-to-door canvassing campaign to register voters, increase voter turnout, and organize voters around self-identified issues in low voter turnout wards and precincts 12 months a year

Monday, February 11th, 6:00 p.m., Broadway Presbyterian Church, Rock Island

QCI monthly "Social Justice Social Mixer"—open to all good social justice minded persons

*A monthly fundraiser for QCI, this event is open as a networking and fun social event for all persons, regardless of religious affiliation, who are engaged in social justice efforts, or are open-minded and want to learn from those who are

Thursdays, January 31st, February 28th, March 28th, 5:00-7:00 p.m. Social Mixer "Happy Hour"; 7:00-10:00 Classic and 90s Old School Hip-hop Dance party @ Rozz Tox music and performance venue in Rock Island (alcoholic and non-alcoholic drinks and food available)

Contact QCI Lead Organizer, Aaron Wagner, 641-990-4594,
aaronwagnerqci@gmail.com, for more information

Office Hours

UUCQC Office Hours:

Monday-Friday, 9 a.m. - noon (**afternoons by appointment**)

Amanda (office@uucqc.org)

563-359-0816

Rev. Jay Office Hours:

Call 563-359-0816 or email minister@uucqc.org.

UU News submission deadline:

Every Wednesday at 10 a.m. No exceptions.

Email office@uucqc.org

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