



OUUF Weekly Update

An Inclusive Community

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October 31, 2019

Upcoming Sunday Service

Sunday, November 3

Choir Rehearsal, 9:30am

Drop – in Support Group for Being Human, hosted by Rev. Amanda Aikman, 12noon

Monday, November 4

Dance Exercise for

Parkinson's Disease, 10:15am

Contact: Marsha Melnick, (360) 683 - 5712

Tuesday, November 5

Reading for the Fun of It, 1:00pm

Short Story Book Group,
Kitty Hawks
206-755-2832

or alettehawks@yahoo.com

Choir Practice, 3:00pm

Contact: Joel Yelland at
joelyelland@gmail.com

Contemplative Service,
6:00pm

For information please contact

Joel Yelland at

JoelYelland@gmail.com or

Diane Hill-Dwyer at

DJZhill@Q.com

Wednesday, November 6

Dance Exercise for

Parkinson's Disease, 10:15am

Contact: Marsha Melnick, (360) 683 - 5712

All Things Considered,

Women's Evening Group,

7: 00pm, Member's Home

Contact: Jean Stratton (360)

452-6719,

jeanmstratton@gmail.com

Men's Evening Group,

7:00pm, Member's Home

Contact: George Stratton (360)

452-6719

Saturday, November 9

Washington Recovery

Alliance, 9:00am

Contact: Sandy Goodwick

at sgoodwick@aol.com

Sunday, November 10

Choir Rehearsal, 10:15am

Contact: Joel Yelland at

joelyelland@gmail.com

Sunday Services Committee,

12noon

Contact: Bob Nuffer

e_nuffer@msn.com

Indivisible, 2:00pm

Contact Joan Cotta at

jcotta@ymail.com

or 408-206-0666



Sunday, November 3

Speaker: Rev. Amanda Aikman

Sermon: Single in a Married World

Description: An unseasonable reflection, with quotes from such sages as Phyllis Diller, about marriage, singleness, and what it takes to create a meaningful and connected life.

Bio: The Rev. Amanda Aikman served OUUF from 2001 to 2005 as our Consulting Minister. Amanda retired in Spring, 2016 after 23 years in UU parish ministry. She lives in Everett; Amanda has won over a dozen national sermon contests. She is a playwright and a spiritual director.



Sunday, November 10

Speaker: Joe Rettenmaier

Sermon: TBD

Bio: Joe Rettenmaier is currently serving as Intern Minister at Edmonds UU. He is a candidate for ministry with the UUMA and a Masters of Divinity student at Meadville-Lombard Theological School. Joe left his corporate pursuits in the fall of 2016 to pursue a calling to ministry and climate justice. He lives in Seattle and has called our magnificent Puget Sound home since 1988.



OUUF Candidates for 2020

The slate for our December 8 congregational meeting is now complete. Closer to the meeting you will receive the agenda and ballot in your email. Only members vote. The list below is to give you time to consider and get to know the people who volunteered as candidates.

During the November 17 service, Bob Nuffer will introduce the candidates and ask them to stand at their seat. The purpose is to recognize each person and to encourage people to talk to the candidates about their position. Please note the 2 Year At-Large position has two openings and three candidates.

Attached to the newsletter are statements from each of the board candidates. A thank you to the candidates for volunteering. Also, a thank you to the other members of the 2019 Nominating Committee; Penny Burdick, George Stratton, Susan Harris, and Kathi Gunn. Catharine Covert, chair of the 2019 Nominating Committee.

A. Board of Trustees

1. Officers

President Dianne Whitaker (1 year)

Vice President Joan Cotta (2 years)

Finance Director Don Hatler (2-year term)

2. At-Large (Ren Garypie is completing a 2-year term, therefore he will not be on the ballot except as a note.)

a. At-Large (1-year term) David Large

b. At-Large (2-year term) candidates are listed in the order they volunteered.

Sandy Goodwick

Sarah Whelchel

Kitty Hawks

B. Endowment Committee

3-Year Term Elaine Webber

1-Year Term Susan Harris

C. 2021 NOMINATING COMMITTEE

1. Rose Prestipino

2. George Stratton

3. Phil Zenner

4. Peggy Toppenberg

5. Catharine Covert

BOARD OF TRUSTEES CANDIDATE STATEMENTS:

<https://olympicuuf.com/wp-content/uploads/2019/10/2020-Board-of-Trustees-Candidates-Statement.pdf>

President:

Dianne Whitaker

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Joan Cotta

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Jack Webber

Webmaster

webmaster@OlympicUUF.com

Pastoral Care Lead:

George Will

pastoralcare@olympicuuf.com



Our 2020 annual pledge drive is well underway. So far 28 members and friends have turned in their pledge forms. Huge thanks from the board and finance committee to all of you. If you have not yet pledged, forms are available at OUF on the table with the name tags. Seri Mylchreest (serena@mylchreest.com) is happy to answer any questions you may have about your pledge. A draft budget will be presented to the congregation before the end of November. **The link below is the 2020 Congregational Giving form.**

<https://olympicuuf.com/wp-content/uploads/2019/10/Pledge-2020-Form-FINAL-2.pdf>



TODAY! October 31: Herding Cats Halloween! 11 am / lunch of guts and gore. Sequim Bay State Park. Too frightening! Kitty (alettehawks@yahoo.com).

Contemplative Service: The last service of the year will be held on Tuesday, November 5th at 6:00 pm. The theme this month is "Faith". The next service will be held in the Spring. For information please contact Joel Yelland > JoelYelland@gmail.com or Diane Hill-Dwyer > Q.com.



VOLUNTEERS

URGENTLY NEEDED

Additional volunteers are needed to fill in the thinning ranks of our greater pool. If you are looking for a way to contribute but don't have a lot of

available time, this is a perfect opportunity. All it requires is about 45 minutes of your time before service starts approximately once a month. If you are available to give members and guests a warm greeting upon arrival, please contact Vicki Sensiba at sensibag@hotmail.com or 360-683-8914.



As a responsible organization, OUF recycles much of its kitchen waste, which is then taken to the recycling center by volunteers. This only works if those helping out in the kitchen before or after service properly sort and clean materials.

A few rules: 1) Thoroughly rinse non-paper recyclables before putting them in the proper bin; 2) Recycle only plastics that are rigid and have a recycling symbol (a triangle with a number inside); 3) Do not recycle paper products with food waste or stains; 4) put corrugated cardboard in a separate pile beside the cans outside the building – they are a separate category. Questions: ask Dave Large: Dbiguy@aol.com

ONGOING GROUPS

Reading for the fun of it!

Short Story Book Group
First & Third Tuesdays at
1:00pm

To learn more contact:

Kitty Hawks
206-755-2832 or
alettehawks@yahoo.com

Tuesday Brunch

Second and Fourth Tuesdays
11 am at the Mariner Restaurant
in the JCPenney mall in Sequim

For more information contact:

Rose Prestipino,
roseprestipino@gmail.com

OOUF Men's Group

Wednesdays, 7-9 pm
At members' homes.

For More information contact:

George Stratton
(360) 452-6719

OOUF Women's Groups

All Things Considered
Evening Group

Wednesdays, 7-9 PM. At
members' homes

For More information contact:

Jean Stratton
360-452-6719 or
jeanmstratton@gmail.com

Reflections

Second and fourth Thursday 1-3
PM at the Fellowship Hall

For More information contact:

Serena Mylchreest
serena@mylchreest.com

Choir

OOUF Sundays at 9:30 am and
Tuesdays at 3:00 pm.

Newcomers welcome!

For More information contact:

Choir Director
Joel Yelland
509-322-5328 or
JoelYelland@gmail.com

For details on how
to join or start an

OOUF Affinity

Group:

[OOUF Affinity
Groups](#)

To Combat Addiction - We Must ORGANIZE A Training Event – RIGHT HERE! Saturday, November 9 (9 – 5)

Olympic Unitarian Universalist Fellowship

1033 N. Barr Rd.

Port Angeles, WA 98362

REGISTER BY NOVEMBER 2 HERE –

**NEW: Do you want to attend the community organizing
training, but would rather email someone or call in your**

registration? If so, please email Laszlo Jares

at laszlo@communitiesproject.org with your name and

that you plan to attend the training in

Port Angeles on November 9.

REGISTRATION IS DUE BY SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 2.

Or call Sandy Goodwick (818) 488-8626. THANK YOU!"

SUBMITTED BY

Sandy Goodwick, sgoodwick@aol.com

The Communities Project

**TRAINING: INTRODUCTION
TO COMMUNITY ORGANIZING**

Sponsored by:



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PORT ANGELES, WA

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 9, 2019 | 9 AM - 5 PM

Olympic Unitarian Universalist Fellowship
1033 N Barr Rd, Port Angeles, WA 98362

In partnership with:



REGISTRATION REQUIRED BY NOV 2, 2019

REGISTER HERE: surveyMonkey.com/r/PMQ698S