



OUUF Weekly Update An Inclusive Community

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SUNDAY SERVICE SPEAKER

Via Zoom
July 25, 2021



SERMON TOPIC: Pilgrimage to Inspiration Stump

DESCRIPTION: Lily Dale, a small hamlet in western New York, is the home of the largest community of Spiritualists in the world. The holiest spot within Lily Dale is Inspiration Stump, where in the summer months mediums present a "Message Service" to the faithful, the curious, and the deeply skeptical. In the spirit of religious exploration, this sermon tells the story of one UU's pilgrimage to Inspiration Stump to hear the message.

BIO: Joseph Bednarik serves as the Co-Publisher of Copper Canyon Press, a nonprofit literary publisher dedicated to poetry. He studied philosophy at Haverford College and speaks regularly at Unitarian Universalist congregations in the Puget Sound region.

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An email with the Sunday regular service Zoom information will be sent on Saturdays with the order of service. ***If you do not receive the email please contact Elinor Tennyson*** at admin@olympicuuf.com or call 360-417-2665

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ANNOUNCEMENTS and THINGS OF INTEREST
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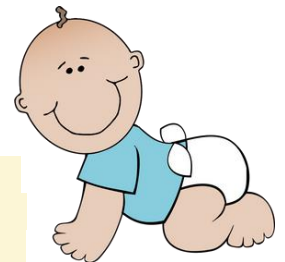
We reserve the right to edit your submission for length and grammar.
 Announcements need to be submitted **by 5pm MONDAY** to admin@olympicuuf.com

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OOUF EVENT CALENDAR – open groups and events only
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Groups meet under the Washington State Covid-19 guidelines. Please contact Elinor Tennyson at admin@olympicuuf.com if you have questions or would like clarification.

Tuesday	Reading for Fun ! 1 st and 3 rd Tuesdays 1:00pm Meet in Member's Home	Contact: Kitty Hawks call, text, email 206-755-2832 alettehawks@yahoo.com .
	Community Drum Circle Pam's Labyrinth 186 Deer Ridge Lane, off Hooker Rd. 3 rd Tuesday 6-8pm	Contact: Penny Burdick (360) 461-4538 or mandalaht@gmail.com
July 27th	Mariner Brunch 11am	Contact: Rose Prestipino at roseprestipino@gmail.com
July 27th	TED Talks Sanctuary 4th Tuesdays 1pm	Contact: Dianne Whitaker diannewhit@aol.com
Wednesday	Fellowship open Noon-12:30pm Covid-19 protocol	Contact: Elinor Tennyson (360) 417-2665 or admin@olympicuuf.com
	OOUF Women's Meeting – Zoom 6-7pm	Contact: Jean Stratton jeanmstratton@gmail.com
	The Evening Men's Group - Zoom 7-9pm	Contact: George Stratton (360) 808-4477
Thursday	Reflections Women's Group In-person Fellowship Grounds 2 nd and 4 th Thursdays 1:00pm	Contact: Cynthia Green at cynthiagreen@outlook.com
Friday	Walking Meditation Pam's Labyrinth 186 Deer Ridge Lane, off Hooker Rd. 11am - Noon	Contact: Penny Burdick (360) 461-4538 or mandalaht@gmail.com
Sunday	Sunday Service - Zoom 11am	Contact: Elinor Tennyson for Zoom link (360) 417-2665 or admin@olympicuuf.com
	Sunday Service – Zoom viewing 11am Fellowship sanctuary – doors open 10:30am	Contact: Elinor Tennyson (360) 417-2665 or admin@olympicuuf.com

Words to Live by
 Shared by George Will
 "The most important two days of your life are the day you were born and the
 day you discover – why you were born." Mark Twain (or someone)



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Upcoming Speakers

August 1	Joseph Bednarik	August 22	Joseph Bednarik
August 8	Bruce Bode	August 29	Roddy Biggs
August 15	Sarah Schurr		

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ZOOM SUNDAY SERVICES AT OUUF

permitted under the recent proclamation

We invite and welcome persons who would like to join our Zoom Sunday service at the Fellowship. The Zoom meeting will be projected onto the large TV screen for viewing with CLOSED CAPTIONS.

If you would like to join, email Elinor Tennyson at admin@olympicuuf.com or call (360) 417-2665

Covid-19 Phase 3 allows us to have up to 40 persons socially distanced by 3'

SO, COME JOIN US. Please read the guidelines below:

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NOTICE: Washington State DOH Phase 3 guidelines requires all persons attending the Fellowship as guests or workers to self-screen for signs and symptoms of Covid-19 before arriving. Any individual or member of their household with a temperature of 100.4F or more will not be permitted to attend the service or attend work at the Fellowship.

Attendees will be asked to log in and specify if fully Covid-19 vaccinated. Fully vaccinated persons do not need to wear a mask. Persons not fully vaccinated must wear a mask.

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SUNDAY SERVICE AFTER JOYS AND CONCERNS

Congregational information meeting
Focus OUUF Budget

You have heard inklings of budget concerns. The board does have concerns. I am confident we will resolve the current situation. At this information meeting we will cover current figures, how we got here and how we will move forward. Bring your ideas and questions.

Catharine Covert
OUUF President

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MARINER BRUNCH BUNCH

July 27th 11am

The lunch/brunch Bunch is about to get back in action. Be there on July 27 at 11 AM. Marie wants us back and we get our old room, so there's no stopping us now. Second and fourth Tuesdays at 11 AM at the mariner Café.
Rose 360-922-4409



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Ted is back!

OUUF - TED Talks

July 27, 2021 - 1:00 For details click below:



[TED Talks Information on website](#)

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Herding Cats - Paws On the Edge

August 10th

1pm

Picnic at Hurricane Ridge (Olympic National Park)

Drive to the top. Then go beyond.

Contact Kitty Hawks: call/text 206-755-2832. alettehawks@yahoo.com



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Go for the Trash!

Adopt-a Highway

August 21 / 9:30am

Meet at River Road

Contact Kitty Hawks at 206-755-2832

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THE YELLAND FAREWELL PARTY

July 18, 2021

By Rose Prestipino

Some 60 people gathered Sunday in the Friendship Garden to say goodbye to Joel and Grace and to remember Nick Dante. As most know, they are moving to Arizona next month. We spent a beautiful two hours singing and listening to beautiful music as well as sharing thoughts and memories of the OUUF and larger community and the Yellands.



Grace started off with an oboe solo playing a rousing version of Sweet Georgia Brown. The choir sang several favorites, Harmony Rutter and three kids sang for the group, and many shared thoughts and feelings about the Yellands.



We ended with a stunning duet of Joel and Harmony singing, Blue Boat Home.

Appreciation goes to Elinor Tenneyson for support, to Cynthia Green for the handmade guest book, Pat Dusel for refreshments and flowers, Cynthis Zenner for contacting the larger community, and to all the musicians who gave us an afternoon of song and music.



WE WILL REMEMBER THE YELLANDS AND THIS BEAUTIFUL AFTERNOON.

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Sequim Summer Food Program



OUUF is planning on supporting the Sequim Summer Food Program. This program provides a healthy lunch to any child (up to the age of 18) who wants it and only takes ~2 hours out of your day.

At the moment we are still short coverage on 12 days – and that’s with only one of us at each site. **It is not necessary to be able to cover a sight for an entire week** – every day is a success . Anyone who can volunteer should contact Greg Sensiba at sensibag@hotmail.com or call (360) 683-8914].

For details click here ["SUMMER LUNCH PROGRAM INFORMATION ON WEBSITE](#)

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LITTLE FREE PANTRY UPDATE:

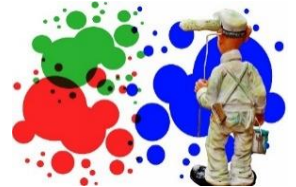
By Michael Bucierka



The siding on the LFP building is complete and shows the door, windows and vent cut outs. On Monday, July 19 we will start installing the roof with our home made trusses. Remember, we are still looking for volunteers of any skill level. Drop by and talk with Michael or call him at home (360) 683-4315.

INTERESTED IN A PARTY?

A painting party, that is... Little Free Pantry construction is moving along well, thanks to the efforts of Michael Bucierka and Greg Sensiba, and with great support from Dave Large. It should be ready for exterior painting in the next couple of weeks, with interior painting shortly after that. To save on expenses, we are going to do the painting ourselves and would welcome volunteers willing to help the committee. No experience is necessary and treats will be provided. And if you're feeling exceptionally party-like, you can wear a silly hat and we will provide music. Who could ask for more than that?! any if you're interested, contact Vicki Sensiba at sensibag@hotmail.com or at 360-683-8914.



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U.U. Green Sanctuary 2030 Accreditation

By Pat Dusel



We are working on the next steps towards pursuing Accreditation by-

- A) Determining a way to gauge Congregational interested e.g. a survey
- B) Putting together a team

For details regarding the Accreditation process and requirements check on line-U.U. Green Sanctuary 2030 Accreditation 2030.

There have been several people who have stated a desire for the Fellowship to become plastic free and use only biodegradable items. If implemented, we can use these changes towards Accreditation.. More information to follow.

Contact: Co-chairs Pat Dusel at patdusel@hotmail.com or Sandy Goodwick at sgoodwick@aol.com

GREEN SANCTUARY INFORMATION ON WEBSITE

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REFLECTIONS

Women's Group

We have resumed the in-person Reflections group at OUUF on the SECOND and FOURTH Thursday of each month at 1:00 pm. They usually last 1.5 – 2 hours. We begin with a brief check in and then proceed to the chosen discussion topic. We generally allow from 5 - 8 minutes for each person to share, depending on the size of the group. We highly value making sure each person present is allowed time to share. No one is forced to share. Just listening is certainly okay too! Contact: Cynthia Green at cynthiagreen@outlook.com

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CARE TEAM AND CARE CARDS:

If you or someone you care about needs a listening ear or a helping hand, please contact our Team Leader: Jean Stratton Pastoral Care Team Leader at 360 452-6719 or email jeanmstratton@gmail.com

If you know of anyone who would appreciate a beautiful handmade card, contact Cynthia Green at cynthiagreen@gmail.com For more information click below

[CARE TEAM AND CARE CARD INFORMATION](#)

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OUF FRIENDS AND MEMBERS BULLETIN BOARD



FOUND KEY ON BUILDING PORCH BENCH
Contact Elinor Tennyson at admin@olympicuu.com or call 360-417-2665

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REFERRALS OF CONTRACTORS AND/OR HANDYMEN

These are for-hire sources, not volunteers

Added to list: Pest Control

[LINK TO LIST](#) [TRADE REFERRALS 7-18-2021](#)

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SUNDAY SERVICE

July 18, 2021

Rev. Bruce Bode

Copy of sermon sent with this newsletter