



# OUUF Weekly Update An Inclusive Community

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September 5, 2021  
**SUNDAY SERVICE SPEAKER**  
Via Zoom 11 a.m.  
**Lynn Ungar**



**SERMON TOPIC:** Won't You Be My Neighbor?

**DESCRIPTION:** In a world in which COVID has kept us apart and social media forms the basis for so many of our interactions, what does it mean to be a neighbor, tied to the particular people who just happen to live near you?

**BIO:** Our speaker, Rev. Dr. Lynn Ungar, is both a UU minister. Lynn Ungar's first book of poetry, Blessing the Bread, earned her fans around the world. In March of 2020 her poem "Pandemic" went viral, and in the following days she has been writing and sharing poetry in response to these strange times we live in. Lynn is a Unitarian Universalist minister. She also trains dogs for competition in obedience, agility and canine musical freestyle (dancing with dogs). She looks forward to the time when she can go back to being an avid choral singer and contra dancer. Lynn lives in Vancouver, Washington with her two Australian Shepherds.

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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](mailto:admin@olympicuuf.com) or call 360-417-2665

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**Thank you for your donation**  
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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](mailto: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](mailto:admin@olympicuuf.com) if you have questions or would like clarification.

Mondays	Outdoor Game Fun 2:00pm Carrie Blake Bocci Ball Court	Contact: Cynthia Green <a href="mailto:cynthiagreen@outlook.com">cynthiagreen@outlook.com</a>
Tuesdays	Reading for Fun ! 1 <sup>st</sup> and 3 <sup>rd</sup> Tuesdays 1:00pm Meet in Member's Home	Contact: Kitty Hawks call, text, email 206-755-2832 <a href="mailto:alettehawks@yahoo.com">alettehawks@yahoo.com</a> .
	Community Drum Circle Pam's Labyrinth 186 Deer Ridge Lane, off Hooker Rd. 3 <sup>rd</sup> Tuesday 6-8pm	Contact: Penny Burdick (360) 461-4538 or <a href="mailto:mandalaht@gmail.com">mandalaht@gmail.com</a>
	Brunch Bunch Mariner's Café in Sequim 2 <sup>nd</sup> and 4 <sup>th</sup> Tuesdays 11am	Contact: Dave Large <a href="mailto:dbiguy@aol.com">dbiguy@aol.com</a>
Wednesdays	Fellowship open Noon-12:30pm Covid-19 protocol	Contact: Elinor Tennyson (360) 417-2665 or <a href="mailto:admin@olympicuuf.com">admin@olympicuuf.com</a>
	Sack Lunch Friendship Garden Noon	Contact: Cynthia Green <a href="mailto:cynthiagreen@outlook.com">cynthiagreen@outlook.com</a>
	OOUF Women's Meeting – Zoom 6-7pm	Contact: Jean Stratton <a href="mailto:jeanmstratton@gmail.com">jeanmstratton@gmail.com</a>
	The Evening Men's Group - Zoom 7-9pm	Contact: George Stratton (360) 808-4477
Thursdays	Reflections Women's Group In-person Fellowship Grounds 2 <sup>nd</sup> and 4 <sup>th</sup> Thursdays 1:00pm	Contact: Cynthia Green at <a href="mailto:cynthiagreen@outlook.com">cynthiagreen@outlook.com</a>
Fridays	Walking Meditation Pam's Labyrinth 186 Deer Ridge Lane, off Hooker Rd. 11am - Noon	Contact: Penny Burdick (360) 461-4538 or <a href="mailto:mandalaht@gmail.com">mandalaht@gmail.com</a>
Sundays	Sunday Service 11am – Zoom viewing at Fellowship sanctuary – doors open 10:30am	Contact: Elinor Tennyson (360) 417-2665 or <a href="mailto:admin@olympicuuf.com">admin@olympicuuf.com</a>



**Words to Live by  
Shared by George Will**

“All sins are attempts to fill voids.”  
Simone Weil 1909-1943  
French mystic

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**Upcoming Speakers**

September 12 Joseph Bednarik  
September 19 UUA recorded service  
September 26 Jamal Rahman

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**ZOOM SUNDAY SERVICES AT OUUF**

**MASKS ARE REQUIRED FOR ALL INDOOR EVENTS**

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.

OUUF follows the Washington State DOH guidelines and Clallam County Health Dept Covid-19 mandates. Our primary concern is the safety and well-being of all persons meeting at the Fellowship. If you have any questions, feel free to contact Elinor Tennyson at [admin@olympicuuf.com](mailto:admin@olympicuuf.com) or call (360) 417-2665.

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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

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**NEW EVENTS AND UPDATES**

**Summer’s not over yet!**

Let’s have some fun at the friendship garden. Bring a sack lunch and meet up at noon on Wednesdays while the weather’s still nice! Someone will be there at 12:00 to greet you. Please arrive before 12:30. See ya there!



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# REFLECTIONS

Women's Group

Looking for some inspiration?  
Try the Reflections Women's Group...



We meet in-person at OUUF on the SECOND and FOURTH Thursday of each month at 1:00 pm. As long as the weather allows we are meeting outside in the friendship garden. The purpose of our group is to uplift each other, enjoy our time together, laugh, have fun and also discuss some substantive topics! A typical meeting might look like this:

- A brief check in - each person takes five minutes to catch us up on what's going on in her life
- A short fun "Kick off" activity (prepared ahead of time for the attendees)
- Discussion of the topic (everyone is given an opportunity to speak)
- Closing - considering the next topic

***Our goal is to leave the meeting feeling refreshed and uplifted.***

One of our upcoming kick off activity - sharing good news stories!

Contact: Cynthia Green at [cynthiagreen@outlook.com](mailto:cynthiagreen@outlook.com)



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## COMMITTEE AND OTHER NEWS UPDATES

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### LITTLE FREE LIBRARY UPDATE

By Penny Burdick



The OUUF Little Free Library was opened in 2017, having been planned by Penny Burdick & Seri Mylcreest, built by Don Hatler, painted and decorated by Penny Burdick, then mounted by Don. Over the years, books have been donated by members of the congregation, users of the LFL, and supplemented by children's books purchased by Seri & Penny. Seri has made sure the library is always stocked with books.



With 4 years of exposure to sun and rain, the paint & artwork on the LFL had faded and was needing renovation to go with the newer nearby shiny turquoise Little Free Pantry. Penny took on this project, to give the LFL a colorful modernization. Most of the original animal totem poles were painted over, but two on the north side were enhanced and left as a remembrance of the LFL's 1st incarnation!

Currently, we have a plethora of adult books for restocking the top shelf, but always need more children's books for the lower shelf, as these go quickly and replacements are rarely donated. If you have any available books for kids 2-12, your donation of these would be much appreciated.

*Joy, laughter & love,  
Penny*

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**LITTLE FREE PANTRY UPDATE**

By Florence Burcieka



Michael Clemens, a volunteer from Compassion Clallam and the person who built our Little Free Pantry, constructed this extension to our Little Free Pantry. Jack Webber, George Will and Phil Zenner helped install it. It was very heavy along with the concrete supports that weighed 50 lbs. each! They did it all in 2 ½ hours! Labor of love!!



The Little Free Pantry extension will house a cooler for fresh fruits and vegetables, a donation box and a box for person hygiene kits that we give away. It will be operational after the building is completed and all the materials that are currently in the mobile are moved and set up.

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**ONGOING EVENTS**

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**MARINER BRUNCH BUNCH**

By Dave Large

In pre-Covid times, a pre-Covid times, a group of OUUFers met every **second and fourth Tuesday** at the Mariner's Café in Sequim (609 W. Washington Street) for brunch and informal visiting in their group dining area. Sometimes there were a dozen of us, sometimes there were two dozen of us, but the conversation and camaraderie were always worth it. Some of us are ready to renew the custom.

If you are interested, let Dave Large [dbiguy@aol.com](mailto:dbiguy@aol.com) know so that we can let Mariner's know how many to expect. The meal is no-host (separate checks).

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### Outdoor Game Fun

By Cynthia Green  
Mondays – 2pm  
Carrie Blake Park – shuffleboard/bocci ball courts



Some of us have started meeting at the Carrie Blake Park in Sequim on Monday afternoons at 2:00 pm to play bocci ball, shuffleboard and horseshoes. Don't worry if you don't know how to play these games. We are all having fun learning and trying to decide what rules to follow. We play for an hour or two.

Contact Cynthia Green at [cynthiagreen@outlook.com](mailto:cynthiagreen@outlook.com) for more information.

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### ABC4PD hybrid exercise classes are opening enrollments for all seniors.

\*The Aerobics, Balance, and Coordination Dance Exercise Class meets Mondays and Wednesdays from 9:30 AM to 10:30 AM at OUUF and on Zoom. We will meet outdoors when weather permits.  
\*The Tai Ji Quan: Moving for Better Balance meets Mondays and Wednesdays from 11 AM to noon on Zoom

All classes are offered on a donation basis. \*\*For more information on the dance class and to register for it please call Marsha Melnick PT, PhD at 360-808-3109. \*\*For information on the Tai Ji class and to register please call Peggy Scheideler PT at 760-518-4181.

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### ACTIVE COMMITTEES

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### U.U. Green Sanctuary 2030 Accreditation

By Pat Dusel



**The Vision:** A world that is sustainable and just for humanity and for the whole web of life, including present and future generations.

We are looking for congregants who are interested in becoming involved with this process .  
Contact: Co-chairs Pat Dusel at [patdusel@hotmail.com](mailto:patdusel@hotmail.com)

LINK TO [UUA Green Sanctuary 2030 Accreditation Website](#)

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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  
360 452-6719 [jeanmstratton@gmail.com](mailto:jeanmstratton@gmail.com)

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

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**Sunday Service August 29<sup>th</sup> – copy of sermon not available**