

UNITY CHURCH OF CHRISTIANITY

2023 MONTHLY LOG

JANUARY

New Lay Ministry: Nehemiah Team-responsible for minor repair & maintenance projects at UCOC

- 1 Burning Bowl Service
- 7 Christmas De-Decorating Team
- 8 Board Meeting
- 21 Unity & World Religions by Paul John Roach, Chap 5: "Unity & Buddhism". Prayer Chaplains & congregants/ Zoom.
- 18 Prayer Chaplain Meeting/Discussion * (PC also meet for prayer weekly*/Zoom)
- 26 Book Discussion Group: Clder House Rules by John Irving/on Zoom

FEBRUARY

- 5 **Annual Membership Business Meeting**
- 12 Board Meeting (including new board members)
- 15 Prayer Chaplain meeting (*PC also meet weekly for prayer together)
- 18 Unity & World Religions by Paul John Roach. Chap 6 "Unity & Taoism" discussion with Prayer Chaplains & congregants/Zoom.
- 22 Ash Wednesday Candle Lighting Service/Zoom
- 23 Book Discussion Group: Olga Dies Dreaming by Xochitl Gonzalez/Zoom
- 26 Outreach & Member Support Ministry meeting

MARCH

- 12 Board Meeting
- 15 Prayer Chaplain Meeting (*PC also met weekly together for prayer)
- 18 The 12 Powers of Man by Charles Fillmore. Chap 1&2 discussion with Prayer Chaplains & congregants/Zoom
- 23 Book Discussion Group: Braiding Sweetgrass by Robin Wall Kimmerer/ Zoom
- 26 Review on AED use/ signs & symptoms of heart attack/stroke for congregation

APRIL

- 2 Palm Sunday Service 11am
- 6 Maundy Thursday -service on Zoom 7:30pm
- 7 Good Friday Candle Lighting Service, 7:30 PM/Zoom
Board Meeting
- 9 Easter Sunday Service 11am / #6 Easter baskets from Outreach Ministry to homebound
- 20 Book Discussion Group: Lessons in Chemistry by Bonnie Grams/Zoom
- 23 Lessons In Truth by H. Emilie Cady, discussion with Prayer Chaplains/Zoom
- 29 Prayer Chaplains annual recommitment/review. (*PC met weekly for prayer.)

MAY

- 6 The Twelve Powers of Man by Charles Fillmore Chap 3/ Zoom discussion with PC/congregants
- 7 Mother's Day Service
- 14 Board Meeting
- 17 Prayer Chaplain meeting/ (*PC also meet weekly together for prayer)
- 25 Book Discussion Group: Horse by Geraldine Brooks/Zoom

Retreat/ trip planning /announcement begun for participation @Unity Village in Missouri, May 2024 "Coming Home to Unity-Find Your Center" /Labyrinth

JUNE

- 10 Twelve Powers of Man by Charles Fillmore. Chapter 4 /Zoom discussion with PCs/Congregants
- 11 Board Meeting /Zoom
- 21 PC meeting / (*PC also met weekly together for p
- 19 Father's Day Service
- 22 Book Discussion Group: Black Cake by Charmaine Wilkerson/Zoom

JULY

Summer Hours Service July/August remain the same(Meditation:10:30 Service:11am)

Weekly announcement for Unity PC trainer course Oct-Nov with Unity Light and love ministries

- 10 Board Meeting
- 15 Twelve Powers of Man by Charles Fillmore, Chap 5 discussion with PCs/ congregants
- 20 Book discussion Group: The Soul of America by Jon Meacham/Zoom
- 23 *Service guest speaker:* Prayer Chaplain Janie Manigault
- 26 Prayer Chaplain Meeting (*PC also met weekly for prayer together)

AUGUST

- 12 Twelve Powers of Man by Charles Fillmore Chap 6 discussion PCs/ Congregants
- 16 Prayer Chaplain meeting (*PC also met weekly for prayer together)
- 17 Book Discussion Group: The Girl With The Louding Voice by Abi Dane /Zoom
- 26 Workshop: "Walking with Illuminating Power" by Dr Karmen Smith, presenter
- 27 *Service guest speaker:* Dr Karmen Smith

SEPTEMBER

Youth enrichment Program resumes in person for all children ages Pre-K through grade 12.

- 10 Board Meeting
- 14 **Unity World Day of Prayer** /Zoom 7:30pm service
- 14 Book Discussion Group: This Tender Land by William Kent Kreuger/Zoom
- 16 Twelve Powers of Man by Charles Fillmore Chap 7 PCs /Congregants/Zoom
- 20 Prayer Chaplain Meeting/ (*PC also met weekly for prayer together)
- 24 Outreach & Member Support meeting
- 24 BBQ outside /Garden after service, honoring volunteers.

OCTOBER

- 9 Board Meeting
- 18 Prayer Chaplain Meeting/ (*PC also met weekly for prayer together)
- 21 The Twelve Powers of Man by Charles Fillmore, Chap 8, discussion: Prayer Chaplains/congregants/Zoom
- 26 Book Discussion Group:The Maid by Nita Prose/Zoom
- 29 Fall Retreat: "Mystical Power of Prayer & Meditation", presented by Kevin Foley
- 29 Bake Sale -Y.E.P.

NOVEMBER

- 6 **UNITY Friends & Family Gala** celebration 'Second Chance Prom' @ Coral House,Baldwin
- 12 Board Meeting
- 15 Prayer Chaplain meeting (*PC also met weekly for prayer)
- 18 Twelve Powers of Man by Charles Fillmore/Chap 9 discussion Prayer Chaplains-congregants/Zoom
- 30 Book discussion group: Mad Honey by Jodi Picoult & Jemnifer Finney Boylan/ Zoom

- Choir set up ongoing with members practice prior to service.
- Minister 'on leave ' Nov 12-Dec 31, 2023.
(Service guest speakers November: Kevin Foley/ PC Janie Manigault)

DECEMBER

- 3 Christmas Decorating Team
 - 4 Service Guest minister: Rev Marilyn Jackson
 - 10 Service Guest minister: Rev Juan Torres
 - 10 Board Meeting
 - 16 Twelve Powers of Man by Charles Fillmore/Chap 10: with Prayer Chaplains-congregants/Zoom
 - 17 **Christmas Morning Song**: choir/guest singers & musician/YEP participation
 - 20 Prayer Chaplain meeting (*PC also met weekly for prayer)
 - 24 **Unity Christmas Service** Guest minister Rev Juan
 - 31 Burning Bowl ceremony & service. Guest speaker; Janie-Marie Manigault
- Ongoing throughout year: **donations to Mary Brennan Inn**: clothing/personal care & school items/food
 - Ongoing throughout the year: **donations to: 'Eye Make A Difference' & 'Lion's Club'**- used eyewear to be refurbished & donated.
 - **NOTE**: Birthday Sunday/Potluck Fellowship held 3rd Sunday each month. 'Bring a Friend to Church' is included on Fellowship Sundays.
 - ****TOASTMASTERS of Rockville Centre**- meetings held in Unity House 1st & 3rd Tuesdays every month