



This Sunday's Service



Sunday, October 11, 10:30 am
Make a Virtual Visit via Zoom!
Join a Sunday Service with UUCS and UUCF

This Sunday: Make a Virtual Visit! For Rev. David's October Sunday out of the pulpit, UUCOB has been invited to join in the Sunday service of the UU Congregation of Statesboro, GA and the UU Coastal Fellowship of Brunswick, GA. Let's have a good virtual turnout and see your UUCOB friends along with our hosts, who'll be making a return visit to us in November! This is a great opportunity to see and experience the ways a sibling congregation (UUCF is very similar to UUCOB in many ways) has adapted to the new worship environment, as we have. Here's the service information:

"Being a Good Ally – Gender and Sexuality"
Rev. Jane continues her series on "Being a Good Ally" with a message focusing on Gender and Sexuality. We will explore how our UUA and our Welcoming Congregations support the LGBTQ communities as well as possibilities for the future. This service will help us in our Welcoming Congregation Renewal certification this year. **We encourage folks to wear one of the colors of the rainbow to our Zoom Service for a spectacular gallery view!**

Join Via Zoom for full meeting access (including joining our breakout rooms at the end of the service) at this [LINK](https://uuma.zoom.us/j/4793253254).
<https://uuma.zoom.us/j/4793253254>
OR Livestream on YouTube at this link:
<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCEpmS1fetPolB5hoTXB4xug>

News & Notes



UUCOB Board Meeting - Tonight

The Board meets this evening, Thursday, October 8, at 6:00 pm. If you would like to attend or if you have something you would like to share, please contact Jennifer Gilbreath at jenniferatuucob@gmail.com or David Molher at dwmolher.dm@gmail.com



Scheduled In-Person Viewings of Gwen Taylor's Art Show at UUCOB

Open to the Public - Scheduled viewing dates: 10/11 and 10/18 4pm-6pm.

In-person viewing will follow current social distancing requirements and specific requirements issued by the UUCOB. Face masks must be worn at all times while inside UUCOB. To see the online gallery of over 60 pieces, visit: [UUCOB ART AUCTION](#)

October Share the Plate



One half of all Sunday morning offerings will be donated to... Lower Currituck Food Pantry

The Lower Currituck Food Pantry will serve Currituck County residents who need emergency food assistance.

UUCOB – Creating Connections



This Week's Opportunities for Action:

Election Day is 26 days away!
Do you have a plan to vote? If you vote early, you can register and vote at your early polling site at the same time, but you CANNOT do that ON Election Day. (Early in-person voting starts Oct. 15th and runs until Oct 31st in Dare County.) Check Vote411.org if you have voting questions.

ART the Vote is underway in our congregation and anyone can participate from home. Either invite a few friends over to make posters that express your passion for our voting rights or spend some time coloring and making posters as a teaching moment for your children or grandchildren. It's a fun activity for all involved and a lovely way to escape the political noise. If you send us pictures of your art, we will share them on the web.

CLICK HERE FOR A FLYER WITH ALL THE INFORMATION
Please email photos of your art to: Rosemary Rawlins at rorawlins@gmail.com or Laura Singletary at singletary003@gmail.com

Poll greeters needed outside the polls to offer voters a friendly (masked) face along with a Blue sample ballot. Shifts are generally about 3 hours, and there are 2 slots for each time so you can volunteer with a friend/spouse. Sign up here: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/9040D4BA5A629A0FE3-kill>

Connect with UUCOB

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831 Herbert Perry Road Kitty Hawk, NC
Website: www.uucob.org
Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/UUCOB/>

UUCOB now has a presence on Instagram! Follow us at: [@uucob](https://www.instagram.com/uucob)

Click below for a list of our current Board of Directors.
[UUCOB Board of Directors](#)

Rev. David's Quote of the Week

Poet Langston Hughes (1902 - 1967) wrote:

All life is but the climbing of a hill
To seek the sun that ranges far beyond
Confused with stars and lesser lights anon,
And planets where the darkness reigneth still.
All life is but the seeking for that sun
That never lets one living atom die—
That flames beyond the circles of the eye
Where Never and Forever are as one.

Each of us, seeking for "that sun that never lets one living atom die," names the Source of Light and Life in our own way. How do you name it? God? The Universe? Life? Love? If you're content to let it remain nameless, as many of us are, how do you keep it in your sight or your imagination as you make the journey of your life?

Upcoming Event



League of Women Voters to Sponsor Program on Community Policing

Our member Laura Singletary shared this announcement from the League of Women Voters, with which our congregation has a long relationship:

The League of Women Voters of Dare County will host a virtual program on policing titled "Could It Happen Here? Shedding Light on Preventing Tragic Police Encounters in Our Community" on Monday, October 19 at 7 p.m. In keeping with social distancing guidelines, the program venue will be a Zoom meeting which the public is invited to join.

Four panelists representing law enforcement will discuss police training, protocols, and practices used to defuse volatile situations and prevent conflict. The audience will have an opportunity to ask questions of the panelists via Zoom, and the public is invited to join LWV members and participate in the program by registering for this event by clicking on the following link:
https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_nMwg8kDvSCa511thGh12MQ

We applaud this effort by the League to continue the vital conversations about systemic injustice in law enforcement that were amplified this summer by the police killing of George Floyd and the demonstrations that followed. We encourage you to register and attend.

We also encourage you to find ways to amplify the voices of those in our community who are not included: those who may have experienced over-policing or racially affected police actions here in the Outer Banks. Please be in conversation with anyone you know to invite them to attend, or to offer to bring or to amplify a question representing their perspective. Part of systemic inequality in law enforcement is conducting conversations about policing without the voices at the table who are most affected, so let's do our part to make sure this conversation includes those voices.

UUCOB Member Spotlight on...



Lola Davis Jones

How long have you lived in the Outer Banks 19 years

Besides the Outer Banks, where else have you lived?
Born Richmond, Va. but lived in Fredericksburg, Va. Moved at 4 to Rock Hill SC. In North Carolina: Raleigh, Wilmington, Lake Waccamaw, White Lake, Carolina Beach, Cary. Santa Fe, NM, Atlanta, Ga., and the Outer Banks.

Talkin' bout your generation. Your Age Range?
65 and over

My family consists of: Spouse: Bryan Jones, daughter, Veda Renfrow, son, Rocky Bonsal. Tippi cat

My occupation and/or volunteer work
Retired teacher: Drama and Dance and multi- arts integration, tutor

My favorite leisure activities, hobbies, interests are:
Reading fiction mostly, watercolor painting and drawing and textile arts

For me, the UUCOB is... My home and happy place.

Please include any Board position you have held or any volunteer work you have been a part of at UUCOB.
Program Committee Chair, Program committee member, Worship Associate