



**This Sunday's Service**



**Sunday, October 25, 10:30 am**  
**Streamed live from UUCOB**

**This Sunday:** Join us online this Sunday as Rev. David, Worship Associate Bryan Jones, and Musician Sherrie Lemnios lead our service, streamed live from the UUCOB Meetinghouse. **This week: "Faithful Heretics"** Michael Servetus, a Unitarian ancestor who challenged the doctrine of the Trinity in the early years of the Protestant Reformation, was martyred by John Calvin in Geneva on October 27<sup>th</sup>, 1553. **Do we have to reject our former faith in order to claim our own beliefs? Is it possible to keep faith with a community even as we declare our heretic's heritage of choosing to disagree?**

To join on Zoom, follow this link: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89296119207>  
Meeting ID: 892 9611 9207 or Join by phone (audio only): +1 929 205 6099  
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**Looking forward: All Souls Observance Sunday, November 1:** Each year we set aside a Sunday service to hold our loved ones who have died in memory and reflection. **As this year's service on November 1st must be online, we invite you to send a photograph of any loved one you would like to have present on our All Souls memory table to Rev. David at [revdamorris@gmail.com](mailto:revdamorris@gmail.com).** If a loved one has died this year, Rev. David will light a candle and call their name at the beginning of the service if you wish; please let him know by Friday, October 30th.

**News & Notes**



**ACT NOW!**  
**Only 3 DAYS LEFT to purchase works by Gwen Taylor.**  
**All proceeds benefit UUCOB.**

**BRIGHTEN UP YOUR HOME WITH A NEW WORK OF ART and PLEASE LET YOUR FRIENDS AND FAMILY KNOW ABOUT THIS REMARKABLE AUCTION!**

**AND...there will be an additional in-person viewing THIS SUNDAY, October 25, from 4:00 to 6:00 pm.** Please note: This in-person viewing is open to the public and 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](#) on Facebook and please share this link with friends and family. Still lots of pieces to choose from, some awaiting a first bid!**

You can also see the collection on our UUCOB website. Here's the link: <http://www.uucob.org/art-events/> If you are interested in bidding, contact Sherrie at: [walkwithlight@gmail.com](mailto:walkwithlight@gmail.com) or Nellie at: [nelliedixon@yahoo.com](mailto:nelliedixon@yahoo.com)



**Chalice Circle Forming**

**Chalice Circle Forming:** In last week's service, Rev. David spoke about Covenant Groups or Chalice Circles, and the practice of deep listening they are built around. We'll form one or more of those small spiritual exploration groups here at UUCOB during November. The group (or groups, if needed) will be small enough to meet in person with appropriate social distancing and Covid precautions and **will meet twice a month for a total of 8 sessions.** Dates and times will be set with input from the participants. **If you're interested or would like more information, or if you participated in our previous Chalice Circle and would like to join in again, please contact Rev. David: [revdamorris@gmail.com](mailto:revdamorris@gmail.com).**



**Sign up for UUA's Southern Region Newsletter**

**[CLICK HERE](#) to learn about trainings, learning opportunities and otherwise great info and connection to regional UU's. Also, you may want to visit, interact, and share The Southern Region's Facebook page or Facebook group: <https://www.facebook.com/SRUUA/> or <https://www.facebook.com/groups/128511403930295/>**

**UUCOB – Creating Connections**



**This Week's Opportunities for Action**  
**We're in the home stretch!**

**Please vote early if you can.**

Oct. 15 – 30	Mondays – Fridays	8:00 am – 7:30 pm
Oct. 17 & 24	Saturdays	8:00 am – 6:00 pm
Oct. 31	Saturday	8:00 am – 3:00 pm

At these locations:

**Dare County Administration Building**  
954 Marshall C. Collins Dr., Manteo

**Kill Devil Hills Town Hall Commissioners Meeting Room**  
102 Town Hall Drive, Kill Devil Hills

**Cape Hatteras Secondary School Auditorium**  
48576 NC Hwy. 12, Buxton

Did you know that if you have a disability, you can use curbside voting at all voting sites? For details, [CLICK HERE](#).

Are you a phone banker? Here are the FINAL UU the Vote phone banks to North Carolina before the election.

- Forward Together's Thursday Night Phone Bank with Reclaim Our Vote on October 22nd from 6:00 - 8:00 ET. [Register Here](#)
- JUST ANNOUNCED - North Carolina Phonebank in partnership with Blueprint NC as part of the National Harvest the Power Week of Action. This Friday October 23rd from 4:00 PM - 6:00 ET [Register here](#)
- Our Final Forward Together Thursday Night Phone Bank hosted by the [UU Congregation of Asheville](#) - October 29th 6:00 -8:00 pm [Register Here](#)

**Rev. David's Quote of the Week**

**A reading in our hymnal by the poet Marge Piercy (b. 1936) writes:**

Connections are made slowly; sometimes they grow underground. . . .  
More than half a tree is spread out in the soil under your feet.  
Penetrate quietly as the earthworm that blows no trumpet.  
Fight persistently as the creeper that brings down the tree.  
Spread like the squash plant that overruns the garden.  
Gnaw in the dark and use the sun to make sugar. . . .  
Keep tangling and interweaving and taking more in, a thicket and bramble wilderness to the outside but to us interconnected with rabbit runs and burrows and lairs. . . .  
This is how we are going to live for a long time: not always, For every gardener knows that after the digging, after the planting, after the long season of tending and growth, the harvest comes."

**In these last days before our country makes what many of us believe to be a fateful decision, may the work of connection woven by many, including some of our own UUCOB members and friends, bear fruit in greater participation in our nation's democratic process. May each of us know that we have done whatever we can, in planting and tending toward a harvest that brings us toward wholeness.**

**Share the Plate - October**

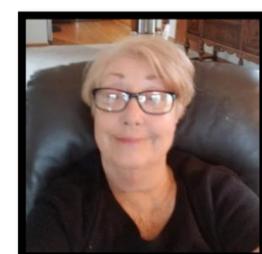


**One half of all Sunday morning offerings will be donated to...**

**Lower Currituck Food Pantry , serving Currituck County residents in need of emergency food**

**To donate: Visit our website: [www.uucob.org](http://www.uucob.org) and click on the DONATE button.** After you specify the amount, you will have the option to select "Sunday Morning Offering"

**UUCOB Member Spotlight on...**



**Joan Liston**

**How long have you lived in the Outer Banks 20 years**

**Besides the Outer Banks, where else have you lived?**  
Illinois, New York, No. Va.

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

**My family consists of:**  
me, Richard, Todd, Tanya, Kyra and families, 4 grandchildren and 1 great grandchild, and 2 Bischons

**My occupation and/or volunteer work:**  
Retired teacher/counselor- Served on the Boards of League of Women Voters, Forum for the Lively Arts, volunteer for Food for Thought, crafts for Spring Arbor through Garden Club, and now post card writer.

**My favorite leisure activities, hobbies, interests are:**  
reading, singing, water aerobics, walking, and talking with family and friends.

**For me, the UUCOB is...** my close faith family.

**Please include any Board position you have held or any volunteer work you have been a part of at UUCOB.**  
Secretary, Vice-President, Co-Membership Chair, Worship Associate, and Programming Committee, Pastoral Care, and organizer of Women's Journey Group

**Connect with UUCOB**

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