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Earth Day and Earth Month
Do it Green with DIG
Live our UU Seventh Principle

Join DIG Saturday, April 21, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. for an All Church Workday on the UUCA grounds. Help divide and plant native plants, pull weeds and spread mulch. Learn how to preserve and protect our space. Bring your own tools and gloves if you have them. Lunch will be provided.

Visit the DIG table on April 22 and 29 to learn how to make your space a wildlife sanctuary. In addition to offering advice and selling booklets on gardening with Virginia natives, we'll give away FREE native plants and tell you how to grow them at home.

If you're ready to buy native plants for your home garden, [click here](#) to learn where plants will be available in the next few weeks.

And, this Sunday between services, tour the church grounds with Jennifer Frum and Cliff Gay, who'll show you our remnant forest, our pollinator/butterfly garden and other special places on the church grounds.

Best of all, treat yourself and feast your eyes on a bit of nature this week and every week by visiting a park, preserve or forest.

Pictured above is a budding Trumpet Honeysuckle, *Lonicera sempervirens*, which will soon flower and attract hummingbirds on the church grounds. Also pictured are our native Dogwood, *Cornus Florida*, and Virginia Bluebells, *Mertensia Virginica*. Both are beautiful now in woods and gardens near you.