
From: Megan Nolde
Sent: Saturday, April 20, 2019 9:41 AM
To: info@sagerva.com
Subject: First News Weekly from First UU!

First Unitarian Universalist RVA- April 20, 2019

First News Weekly

from First UU



**We GROW in search of wisdom,
we CARE in support of community, we ACT in service of justice.**

WELCOME
All are invited to join us for services!
April's Theme-"Honesty"

The monthly packet is located by clicking the button below.
Your group leader can share the password with you!

Monthly Packet Access

*Your "MONTHLY INFO DROP" contains: the theme, blog updates, monthly care team information,
and bookkeeper news like share the plate.*

MONTHLY INFO DROP



Pledge Time !

We are asking all friends and members to consider increasing your pledge by \$10, \$25 or \$40 a month.

With your increase we can staff our Membership and Stewardship needs. Your increased giving will allow us to pay \$15/hour minimums and fair

compensation to all staff. We can fund programs that support and develop congregation leaders. We can support robust programs for youth and adults.

To pledge, go to: <https://richmondUU.org/giving/pledge-form/>

This Sunday at First UU: April 21st

Sunday Services at 9:00 am and 11:00 am

coffee hour
10:00 am-11:00 am

Sermon by Kelli McNeal,
Ministerial Intern



"Rise Up"

Order of Service for Sunday, April
21st, 2019

Religious Education Classes

Please contact Rhonda Wingfield

All children will worship with family and friends in The Great Hall as we celebrate Easter, Passover and Earth Day in a Multi-generational Service.

The Nursery

The Nursery is open during worship services to serve those 3 and a half years old and under. Children are welcomed by experienced staff and engaged in gentle play. Please label your child's belongings, and bring your own snack if desired. Cheerios will be offered. *If you have allergy concerns, please provide your child's snack.*

Last Week's Sermon Podcast

The children's activity box for those attending worship will now be located outside the Great Hall on the right side of the lobby.

Early Week

GROUPS MEETING MONDAY 4/22 - TUESDAY 4/23

Lay Pastoral Care

Monday, April 22nd
4:00 - 8:30pm
Lower Level Rooms 4 & 5

One Voice Chorus Rehearsal

Monday, April 22nd
6:00 - 9:30pm
Great Hall

Tai Chi

Every Monday from 6:30-7:30 pm
President's Hall

Writer's Group

Monday, April 22nd
7:00-8:30pm
Library

Board Meeting

Tuesday, April 23rd
6:00 - 8:00pm
Library

Men Meeting

Tuesday, April 23rd
6:30 - 8:30 pm
Alcove B

The White Ally Toolkit

Tuesday, April 23rd
6:30 - 8:30pm
Library

Humanist Meeting

Tuesday, April 23rd
6:30-8:30pm
President's Hall

Vespers

6:00 pm-6:30 pm

Vespers is an intimate, contemplative, and conversational half-hour service.
MEETS IN THE GREAT HALL

Wednesday
Community
Night



Simple Supper

6:30 pm

Come enjoy good food and fellowship. Soup salad and bread are typical fare.
MEETS IN THE LOWER LEVEL

Sign up to help at <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/5080b48a4ad2fa1f49-simple>

Ministers Present

7:15 pm -8:30 pm

MEETS IN THE LIBRARY or PRESIDENT'S HALL

**Look for details about Wednesday Night programs in our
Tuesday evening UPDATE newsletter!**

ALSO MEETING ON WEDNESDAY, APRIL 24TH

Protest Choir Rehearsal

Wednesday, April 10th

6:30 - 7:15pm

Great Hall



UU Singers Choir Rehearsal

Wednesday, April 10th

7:00 - 9:00 pm

Great Hall

*New to UU? Check out some of our
small groups at the button here!*

Growth & Practice Groups

Late Week

GROUPS MEETING THURSDAY 4/25 - FRIDAY 4/26

UU Zen Group

Sitting and

Walking

Meditation

Every Thursday at 7pm

Nursery



Finance Committee Meeting

Thursday, April 18th

5:30 - 6:30pm

Library

*New to UU? Check out some of our
small groups at the button here!*

Small Groups & Community Groups

**VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES &
SOCIAL JUSTICE WORK**



RISC's One Night

for Justice – the Nehemiah ACTION

Thursday May 2 – 7:00 Good Shepard Church

RISC will address

- The eviction crisis
- Richmond students reading to grade level
- Student trauma training in Chesterfield
- Updates on the healthcare career pipeline

RISC succeeds because of organized people that work in solidarity with over 20 other faith communities. At the ACTION we ask for clear commitments from local decision makers to enact fair policies.

Join 1200 of our citizens at The Nehemiah ACTION:

May 2 at Good Shepherd Baptist Church, 1127 N. 28th Street in Richmond. Doors open at 6:15. Choir and childcare start at 6:30. Assembly starts promptly at 7:00 and will be over before 8:30.

To get your free pass go to: <#>.

See the exciting ACTION video – [click here](#).

Questions? Contact Steve Saltzberg at 804-306-5184, stevesaltzberg@gmail.com

Greene ES Community Day



Saturday, May 4th
10:00am - 1:00pm

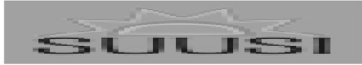
“Moneyless Yard Sale”

Please bring your gently used clothing and household donations to the Church on Friday, May 3rd, from 12:30PM – 3PM. Or, if you wish, you may bring the items directly to Greene ES, 1725 Catalina Dr., Richmond, VA 23225 between 4PM and 5PM on Friday, or after 8:30AM on Saturday.

*Please note: All clothing and linens need to be separately bagged and marked. i.e., “children’s”, “ladies”. “men’s” “linens”.

If you would like to volunteer, or have questions, please call Lynn Pappas, 804-330-2404, or email her at L.Pappas@msn.com.

PLAN ON THIS! (and RSVP)



SUUSI Registration is now open!!

If you have been searching for a fun summer UU get away, consider coming to SUUSI this year. SUUSI (Southeast UU Summer Institute) is the third week in July at Western Carolina University.

Here's the link to the SUUSI Website - <https://www.suusi.org/>

Registration is open now through ~~June 23~~. You can register in person at SUUSI after ~~June 23~~, but it is easier to register ahead of time. Let me know if you have any questions. I'm the SUUSI Newcomer Coordinator! We have plenty of other SUUSI people at church too!

-Dianna MacPherson, suusi.macpherson@gmail.com

Greene School INFO

RISC INFO



Black & White version of this week's
First News Weekly

Check us out on social media!



First Unitarian Universalist Church of Richmond | 804-355-0777
communications@richmondUU.org | www.richmondUU.org

First Unitarian Universalist Church | 1000 Blanton Avenue, Richmond, VA 23221

[Unsubscribe {recipient's email}](#)

[Update Profile](#) | [About our service provider](#)

Sent by communications@richmond.uu.org in collaboration with



THIS IS A TEST EMAIL ONLY.

This email was sent by the author for the sole purpose of testing a draft message. If you believe you have received the message in error, please contact the author by replying to this message. Constant Contact takes reports of abuse very seriously. If you wish to report abuse, please forward this message to abuse@constantcontact.com.