

# GROWING



2022-2023 PROGRAM GUIDE

## **About this Guide**

## Welcome to the All Souls Indy Program Guide!

The guide provides you with the *core* programs offered at All Souls. Here you will find the weekly, or monthly programs that repeat throughout the year.



## Questions

What if I have a programming idea? Fantastic! We are always thrilled when congregants have programs in mind to help meet a congregational need, including having fun together! Contact Nasreen Khan, weekly@allsoulsindy.org to share your thoughts. She can help you to find the support that you need!

How can I register my kids in faith formation programs? Everything you need to know is <a href="here">here on our Families page</a>. Sarah will be happy to connect you directly. You can reach her at families@allsoulsindy.org.

Where do I find programs that are not included in this guide? Additional opportunities to engage in learning, spiritual enrichment, social activities, and social justice are offered on a regular basis. Look for information on our website, https://allsoulsindy.org/, in the Sunday order of service, and All Soul's weekly newsletter, 'In The Know.'



## **Meet The Programming Staff**

## Sarah Cannon, Director of Children's and Community Programming families@allsoulsindy.org

Sarah has twenty years of experience teaching children of all ages, both in and out of UU RE programs. When she's not working, she can be found gardening, knitting, and most of all reading.

## Nasreen Khan, Communications and Programs Coordinator

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Nasreen is an active writer and poet in the Indianapolis arts scene, a passionate gardener, an off-key singer, a zany art teacher, and a hopeless housekeeper. In her downtime, she tries to hike as much as possible, read as much as possible, and cook, eat, laugh and love as much as possible.

#### Rev. Katie Romano Griffin, Minister

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Rev. Katie roots her ministry in relationships, and in the belief that each person is inherently good and worthy of love. She is a passionate activist who believes in centering the voices of historically marginalized communities in justice work and advocates for applying an intersectional lens as we work towards co-creating a just world for all. Rev. Katie loves to unwind at the gym, on the dance floor, eating at a favorite vegan restaurant, reading or writing a book, or creating a meal or baked treat for loved ones.



## Children's and Youth Small Groups:

**Spirit Play, Pre-K through 2nd grade or homeschooled equivalent.** Join us from 9:30 to 10:15am every 2nd and 4th Sunday for a Montessori-based program that includes storytelling, art, and spiritual exploration. (Spirit Play is on hiatus from January-May during the K-1 OWL program.)

**Soul Matters, 3rd-6th grade or homeschooled equivalent.** Join us from 9:30 to 10:15am every 2nd and 4th Sunday for small group ministry grounded in our monthly Soul Matters themes.

Youth Drop-In, 8th-12th grade or homeschooled equivalent. Stop by between 6:00 and 8:00 pm on 2nd and 4th Sundays. Bring homework, a hobby, or game to share and spend time in community with other UU youth.

Makerspace, multigenerational (all ages welcome). On 1st, 3rd, and 5th Sundays we lean into sustainability, working with our hands as a spiritual practice, volunteer service, and churchworks in a resource space filled with supplies, a skillshare library, and tools. Join us from 9:30 to 10:15am, and watch In the Know for additional afterservice open houses! Please note: this is a child and youth-empowerment space. Under-eighteen attendees are equal participants in the Makerspace, and like adults, they receive support and training on an as-needed basis.



## **Adult Ongoing Opportunities for Connection:**

Adult Forum: Join us from 9:30 to 10:15am every 2nd and 4th Sunday for a humanist approach to our Faith. We gather in the Beattie Rm. to talk about a topic of interest. Sometimes we have guest facilitators who come to present and sometimes we simply sit in discussion with one another. Past topics have included Literature, politics, Philosophy and more.

A Prison Abolition Study Group: Tuesdays 17 January—25 April 2023. 6-8:40pm Beattie Rm. All Souls is proud to host a 14 week community study group in partnership with Dr. Martin Coleman and his IUPUI scholars. The group is open to all at no cost! This fourteen-week study group will examine prison abolition as a response to the pervasive harms of the prison industrial complex. Hosted as a drop in basis and open to anyone. Reading Schedule with Texts: https://martcole.wixsite.com/abolitionreadings.

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#### February 2023

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#### February

February 5 Imbolc Makerspace

Imbolc is a celebration of the creative spark inside all of us. All ages are invited to join Sarah in the Makerspace for hands-on, multisensory engagement with our Common Read!

February 11 Coffee Conversations

Meet Rev. Katie for Coffee at 3pm on the Northeast side for conversation and community.

February 12. Common Read after service. Library.

Congregants are invited to book discussion after service. This is a Multigen event. We will talk about Ross Gay's essays from the *Book of Delights* on page 23 and 116 on witnessing each other and the language we use to show care.

February 26 Adult Forum 9:30am to 10:15am in the Beattie Rm.

February 19 Chat with a Minister: A Conversation on Constructive Theology. Beattie Rm.

Sunday, February 26 Membership

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Sunday, March 19 Spring Equinox - Spring Garden - Common Read This month, Nasreen and Sarah invite folks of all ages to live into the spirit of our Common Read by combining our discussion with garden clean-up and planting!

Sunday, March 2 Membership

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Sunday March 5 End of life programming with Rev Katie and Dianne Kennedy using the book *Compassion and Choices*. Come learn

March 12 and 26 Adult Forum 9:30am to 10:15am in the Beattie Rm.



April 2023

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Sunday, April 2 Art Display - Chalice Circle - Theme Resistance

Saturday, April 8 Easter Egg Hunt - Catered Picnic Lunch Our annual egg hunt is back! Kids and kids-at-heart are invited as the spirit moves them to hide eggs, hunt eggs, and share a meal together.

Sunday, April 9 Easter

Friday, April 21 Resisting and Embracing Multi Faith Community - Common Read

Sunday, April 30 Mohanji 21 Day

Sunday, April 30 Membership

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April 9th and 23rd Adult Forum 9:30am to 10:15am in the Beattie Rm.



## May 2023

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Monday, May 8 Beltane - Common Read Join us for an all ages ritual, amazing food and a conversation around this month's common read with Rev. Katie and Sarah Cannon

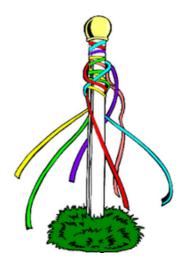
Sunday, May 21 Pensy Trailwalk Hiking with Nasreen

Sunday, May 28 Membership

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Congregational Art Show and Celebration TBD







#### June 2023

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Saturday, June 3 Kids Campout at UUI
This year, we're joining together with UUI to hold an overnight camp-out, followed by a Sunday of pajamas, poetry, and pancakes.

Sunday, June 4 Remembering Our Roots
Join Rev. Katie and the Partner Church team this Sunday, June 4th for
both Flower Communion and a reintroduction to the land our Unitarian
Faith truly holds deep historic roots-- Transylvania.

Sunday, June 25 Membership

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July 2023

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July

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Date TBA

Freedom School

July Date TBA





IN THIS CONGREGATION, WE BELIEVE:

# LOVE IS LOVE

**BLACK LIVES MATTER** 

CLIMATE CHANGE IS REAL

NO HUMAN BEING IS ILLEGAL

**WOMEN'S RIGHTS ARE HUMAN RIGHTS** 

**ALL GENDERS ARE WHOLE, HOLY, & GOOD** 



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