



**Announcements for Sunday, June 14, 2015  
Abraham Lincoln Unitarian Universalist Congregation**



Next Sunday's service is "The Folk and the Street: Can the two Meet?" by Dr. Kamau Kemayo.

**\*\*\* HAPPENING TODAY\*\***

**Eco Camp 2015 is a free camp because members and friends of our congregation and parents of campers support the camp financially. Please consider supporting at least one child - that's \$35.**

If you haven't registered your child for Eco Camp - now's the time to get it done! Eco Camp is a free, week-long day camp that starts July 27 at Abraham Lincoln UU Congregation located at 745 Woodside Road. This year's theme is "Mysteries of the Web". For more information about the camp and to download the registration form and photo permission form go to [www.aluuc.org](http://www.aluuc.org) or call 217-585-9550.

**Tonight is ALUUC Movie Night #1** at 5:00 PM, showing *Pride*. "PRIDE is inspired by an extraordinary true story. It's the summer of 1984, Margaret Thatcher is in power and the National Union of Mineworkers is on strike, prompting a London-based group of gay and lesbian activists to raise money to support the strikers' families. Initially rebuffed by the Union, the group identifies a tiny mining village in Wales and sets off to make their donation in person." Rated R for language and brief sexual content. Popcorn will be provided and you are welcome to bring your own snacks.

**Please help stack chairs after the service** today in preparation for the Labyrinth Walk Friday, June 19 at 7:00 PM. This is the final walk before the summer break. Labyrinth walks will return in September.

**PFLAG T-shirts are on sale.** See Rev. Woulfe after the service for details.

**\*\*\* COMING SOON \*\*\***

The next **Eco Camp Planning Committee Meeting** scheduled for Tuesday, June 16, 2015 at 6:30 pm in the Fuller Room

**Kids Club/District 12** will not be meeting in June and July.

**FREE YOUR SPIRIT – SHAKE YOUR SOUL TUESDAY, JUNE 16, 5:30-6:30 at ALUUC**

Led by Kristin Ettinger

Both a health practice and a spiritual practice, Shake Your Soul® awakens your sense of joy, freedom, grace, strength and vitality in connection with others. This movement practice relaxes your nervous system, energizes your body, and awakens your soul through a powerful, fluid dance repertoire set to a variety of music (with a focus on world music). Class begins slowly with warm-ups on the floor (bring a yoga mat if you wish), and is followed by a variety of easy-to-follow movements that you can mirror and echo to tap into the natural dancer within. Every

class is different depending on the energy of the participants--you never know what fun is just a step away! Kristin creates a sacred space where you can find communion within your body and soul as you join in a creative, joyful community of movers. All bodies and souls welcome (including children, introverts and couch potatoes)! It's a lot of fun. No Charge. For further information, go to: <https://www.facebook.com/events/467010533457209/>

**Juneteenth Celebration – Saturday June 20:** A volunteer is needed to coordinate face painting at the Juneteenth celebration in Comer Cox Park. Supplies will be provided. This has been a successful endeavor during the past two years; however both Susan Solon and Rev. Woulfe are unable to participate this year. Please contact Rev. Woulfe if you can help.

**The Book Discussion Group** meets on the fourth Tuesday of each month. Join us at Barbara Moore's, 1800 Hastings Road at 7:30 p.m. June 23rd. We will be discussing *The Invention of Wings* by Sue Monk Kidd. An article in *Kirkus* quoting from an interview with the author says, "*The Invention of Wings* tells the entwined stories of Sarah and Hetty 'Handful' Grimke, the 10-year-old slave Sarah's parents gave their daughter for her 11<sup>th</sup> birthday. Though Handful was created from Kidd's imagination, she is based on the fact that Sarah's parents gifted their daughter a slave. Sarah tried to return the 'present,' i.e. Handful, but her parents ignored the attempt. So, in an act that defied her mother, father, the law and her rector, in the novel, Sarah teaches Handful how to read. Sarah's father is indignant: 'There are sad truths in our world, and one is that slaves who read are a threat. They would be abreast of news that would incite them in ways we could not control,' he tells Sarah. 'Yes, it's unfair to deprive them, but there's a great good here that must be protected.' 'But Father, it's wrong!' Sarah cries. Over the next 35 years of Sarah's and Handful's lives, Kidd details the violence and evil that human beings perpetrate on other human beings, all in the name of God." Everyone is welcome. Call Barbara at 523-6241 if you have any questions.

**\*\*This Week at a Glance \*\***

<u>DATE</u>	<u>EVENT</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Room</u>
Sunday, June 14	Pagan Group Meeting	12:30 PM	Fuller
	Movie Night "Pride"	5:00 PM	Commons
Monday, June 15	PFLAG Meeting	7:00 PM	Fuller
Tuesday, June 16	Eco Camp Meeting	6:30 PM	Fuller
Thursday, Jun 18	Meditation	7:15 PM	Sanctuary
Friday, June 19	Labyrinth Walk	7:00 PM	Sanctuary
	*Juneteenth Celebration	12:00 PM	Comer Cox Park
Saturday, Jun 20	Zen Meditation	9:30 AM	Sanctuary
	Pagan Group Litha/Summer Solstice	5:00 PM	Outdoors
Sunday, June 21	FATHER'S DAY		
	Movie Night II "Sweet Land"	6:00 PM	Commons

**\*\*Happening Elsewhere\*\***

**Flag Lowering at Lincoln Tomb**

June 16, 2015, at 7PM every Tuesday night, June - August, the 114th Volunteer Infantry Regiment of the Civil War performs Civil War drills, firing of muskets and flag lowering events in front of the Lincoln Tomb.