



**Announcements for Sunday, March 11, 2018
Abraham Lincoln Unitarian Universalist Congregation**



Next Sunday's service is "Belonging and Individuation" by Mary Ryan.

Happening Today

DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME! Did you remember to set your clock forward?

Please help stack chairs after the service today in preparation for the **Labyrinth Walk** on Friday, March 16, at 7:00 PM.

Tonight is Movie Night! 5:00 PM - *Marshall* is the story of young Thurgood Marshall (Chadwick Boseman) who faces one of his greatest challenges as a lawyer for the NAACP. This movie is rated PG, 118 minutes. Popcorn will be provided.

Coming Soon

Save the Date! The **FANTASY AUCTION** is our biggest fundraiser of the year, and we *always* have a great time. It is scheduled for **Saturday, March 24, 2018** - so mark your calendars now! If you enjoy planning big events, we would welcome your help. Please contact our Co-Chairs, **Gwen Childs and Kim Villanueva**, to volunteer.

Embrace New Beginnings! Join the ALUUC Pagan Group for Ostara, or the Spring Equinox Gathering, on Sat. March 31, at 6 pm. Set up will begin at 5 pm. We will have a ritual dedicated to new beginnings. We'll also have a potluck dinner so be sure to bring a dish to share. Drums and other instruments are always welcome. For more information, please contact Tracy Zieber at pagangroup@aluuc.org

Eco Camp 2018 planning has begun! Our free summer ecology camp for youths (ages 5-12) is happening July 23-27. Interested in helping with the camp? Contact ecocamp@aluuc.org. Our next planning meeting will be March 22 at 7pm.

Humanist Group: Facilitated by Phil Anderson, the ALUUC Humanist Group will meet at 7 PM on March 26 to discuss Dr. John Bargh's new book *Before You Know It: The Unconscious Reasons We Do What We Do*. "Telling personal anecdotes with infectious enthusiasm and disclosing startling and delightful discoveries, Dr. Bargh takes the reader into his labs at New York University and Yale where he and his colleagues have discovered how the unconscious guides our behavior, goals, and motivations in areas like race relations, parenting, business, consumer behavior, and addiction. Because the unconscious works in ways we are completely unaware of, *Before You Know It* is full of surprising and entertaining revelations as well as tricks to help you remember to-do items, shop smarter, and sleep better." Questions? Contact Sarah Iaiennaro at humanistgroup@aluuc.org.

Are you going to GA? Registration is open. Go to www.uua.org for hotel reservations and attendance registration. There are also scholarship funds available, especially for people of color or other marginalized identities. Apply for scholarships no later than March 31, 2018.

Are you a UU teen or young adult who wants to acquire leadership skills? Sign up for the Midwest Leadership School: July 15-21, 2018, Decorah, IA. MWLS is an immersive and rigorous week of learning in classroom and small-group settings blending the practical (leadership tools and best practices) with the spiritual (theological exploration and worship) and experiential (small-group challenges) in a safe, welcoming environment. Check with Rev. Woulfe or go to www.mwls.org for more details. See the poster on the UUA bulletin board.

This Week at a Glance

<u>DATE</u>	<u>EVENT</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Room</u>
Sunday, March 11	DAYLIGHT Savings Time	2:00 AM	
	Choir Rehearsal	9:15 AM	Fuller
	Sunday Service	10:30 AM	Sanctuary
	Green Committee Mtg.	12:00 PM	Barton
	Covenant Group (Sunday)	12:00 PM	Alcott
	**"A Song for Manzanar"	2:00 PM	Finley's Tap
	Movie Night "Marshall"	5:00 PM	Sanctuary
Tuesday, Mar. 13	A Course in Miracles (Adult RE)	6:00 PM	Barton
	Board Meeting	6:00 PM	Fuller
Wed., March 14	IAG Cooking Class	10:00 AM	Kitchen
	Yoga Class	6:30 PM	Commons
Thursday, March 15	Meditation Group	7:00 PM	Sanctuary
Friday, March 16	Labyrinth Walk	7:00 PM	Sanctuary
Saturday, March 17	Zen Meditation	9:30 AM	Sanctuary
Sunday, March 18	Choir Rehearsal	9:15 AM	Fuller
	Sunday Service	10:30 AM	Sanctuary
	Potluck	12:00 PM	Sanctuary
	Covenant Group Mtg.	12:30 PM	Alcott
	Pathways Class #1	12:30 PM	TBA
	Religious Ed Committee Mtg.	12:00 PM	Fuller
	Social Justice Committee Mtg.	12:00 PM	Barton

Happening Elsewhere

IL Bicentennial Series - 2/18/2018 - 10/21/2018, 2 pm, IL State Museum:

A special Bicentennial series of programs, "The Culture and Heritage of Illinoisans," will begin on Sunday afternoon, Feb. 18, and continue on the third Sunday of every month through October 2018. The series is presented by the Academy of Lifelong Learning (ALL) at Lincoln Land Community College in collaboration with the Illinois State Museum and will feature several Road Scholar speakers offered by Illinois Humanities. Reservations are not required. March 18: "This Land Was Your Land: Native Americans, Globalization and Treaties," by Dr. Michael Wiant.

St. Patrick's Day Parade - March 17 @ 12:00 pm - 2:00 pm. The 34th Annual Parade with the theme "ShamRock 'n Roll" kicks off at the "craic o' noon" on Saturday, March 17 and thousands of viewers are expected along the parade route. The parade starts on Jefferson & 6th heading west to 5th; Heading south on 5th to Capitol; Heading North on 6th to the Reviewing Stand, (this is our Family Friendly Area) then to Washington heading east, back to the beginning; the Horace Mann parking lot.