



**Announcements for Sunday, November 8, 2015
Abraham Lincoln Unitarian Universalist Congregation**



Next Sunday's service is "Who Is My Neighbor?" by Pastor Silas Johnson

Happening Today

Thank you to those who've made donations towards the accessible doors project.

Anyone who wishes to make donations, which are appreciated, can write Accessible Doors on the memo line of their checks or on a donation envelope.

Movie Night: "Miss Navajo" Join us at 5:00 PM for the film, "Miss Navajo," a 2007 documentary by Billy Luther, about a young woman who decides to compete in the title beauty pageant.

Coming Soon

The Third Sunday Collection on November 15 will benefit the children and families who attend the annual CYFS Holiday Party, which ALUUC has been sponsoring since 2013. This year's Holiday Party will be on 12/13/15.

The Holiday Pageant rehearsals begin on Sunday, November 15. There is a role for every child!

Transgender Day of Remembrance: Join us here on November 20 for a ceremony to honor the lives of Trans-individuals who have been murdered for living their authentic lives. All are welcome.

UU Bumper Stickers now available! If you would like to have a free UU bumper sticker for your car, please see Rev. Woulfe. **Also, be sure to like us on FACEBOOK!**

If you would like to serve as a **Sunday Greeter**, please see Dianne Roberts or Susan Solon. Newer members are especially encouraged to give this a try.

If you would like to volunteer as a **Kitchen Coordinator**, please contact Marissa DeWeese.

Rotary Citrus for Sale! Rotarians Yosh Golden, Jacqui Jackson & Michael Plog are accepting orders for oranges & grapefruit until Nov. 9. Prices are \$30 for a 20# case, or \$45 for a 40# case.

Who are all these new people? Let's find out together! ALUUC is looking for a small team to create a new photo directory. We have the software – we need someone to gather new photos and update contact information. Can you help? Please contact Rev. Woulfe.

An Evening with Local Authors: Join the literary friends and members of ALUUC on Thursday, Nov 12, 5:30-7:30, at the First Presbyterian Church lounge, Capitol and 7th. John Knoepfle will share from The Aloe of Evening; Barb Olson will share from On the Rez and Sandy Baksys will share from A Century of Lithuanians in Springfield, Illinois. Books will be available for sale.

Early Notice: Rev. Woulfe has tickets for the upcoming Mayor's Prayer Breakfast (\$10 each). The breakfast will be November 17, **7:30 AM** at the Springfield Hilton. Please note that the time listed here is correct – it had previously been erroneously listed as 8:30.

All are invited to attend The Importance of Being Earnest on Nov 7, 7:30 pm at the UIS Studio Theatre. Directed by Eric Thibodeaux-Thompson. Ticket prices vary (seniors, students, under 18, and UIS faculty & staff get cheaper tickets!), but general admission is \$14. For more information, visit www.uis.edu/theatre/productions/.

Tuesday, November 10: Dining for Women's executive director, Beth Ellen Holliman and co-founder Marsha Wallace come to Springfield to speak about this effort to alleviate extreme poverty and help reduce gender inequality by empowering women and girls in developing countries. The event will be at Blessed Sacrament School at 7 pm. It is free and open to the public.

Wednesday, November 11: Fifth Street Renaissance Dinner, noon – 6 PM: \$10 per person includes Spaghetti (choice of marinara or meat sauce), Bread, Salad, Dessert & Drink. Dine in or carry out. Take a tour of the facility, meet our Board of Directors and Staff or learn about how we help our veterans. Make a donation of food, toiletries, household items, cleaning products or paper supplies. Call Stan at 217-638-VETS (638-8387) for pre-orders or to go orders.

Friday, November 13: Neo-Surrealist Festival opens at the Pharmacy Gallery, 711 S. 5th Street, 6 - 9 pm, Family-friendly, free admission (but remember, the art is for sale!).

This Week at a Glance

<u>DATE</u>	<u>EVENT</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Room</u>
Sunday, Nov 8	Choir Rehearsal	9:20 AM	Sanctuary
	Sunday Service	10:30 AM	Sanctuary
	Movie Night	5:00 PM	Sanctuary
Tues., Nov. 10	Board Meeting	7:00 PM	Fuller
Wed, Nov 11	<i>Veteran's Day</i>		
Thurs., Nov. 12	Meditation	7:15 PM	Sanctuary
Friday, Nov. 13	Game Night	6:00 PM	Commons
Sat., Nov 14	Zen Meditation	9:30 AM	Sanctuary
Sunday, Nov. 15	Sunday Service	10:30 AM	Sanctuary

*Off site.