



**Announcements for Sunday, October 6, 2019
Abraham Lincoln Unitarian Universalist Congregation**



Next Sunday's service is "The Spirituality of the Indigenous Peoples" by Rev. Martin Woulfe.

Happening Today

Today is a Change for Change collection: ALUUC Homeless Dinners at Helping Hands Winter Warming Center. ALUUC members will again serve meals once a month on Sunday night during this winter. Arena Foods supplies the food at cost. We provide funding, drinks, utensils, desserts, service & good cheer. **Each monthly dinner costs \$325 and serves 50 homeless adults.** Contributions (or sponsoring a whole \$325 dinner if you can) allow us to continue this ALUUC tradition. Michelle Green has done a great job coordinating this; you will be hearing from her. **Please make checks to ALUUC with "WWC dinners" noted in the memo line.**

Green Sanctuary Committee: If you have an interest in the prairie, recycling, climate change, pollution or anything green, please join us in the Fuller room at Noon today.

Coming Soon

The News Group will meet on Thursday October 10, at 7:00 pm in the Channing room. Please note that this is the 2nd Thursday rather than our usual 1st Thursday of the month. The News Group conducts an open discussion of whatever is in the news. There is no set agenda. All are welcome to attend. For additional information please contact Kurt DeWeese or Frank Kopecky.

Compassion & Choices: ALUUC is pleased to once again host a public viewing of the documentary "How to Die in Oregon" which will be shown here on **Sunday, October 13** beginning at 2 pm. A discussion will follow the presentation.

The UU Women's Connection Fall Retreat will be October 11-13, 2019 in Racine, WI. If you are interested in attending, contact Diana DeWeese or Marissa DeWeese.

There will be a **Pathways to Membership class** on Sunday, Oct.20th and Monday Oct. 21st. If you or someone you know would like to join ALUUC, now is a great time to do so. We have so many activities going on, and there's so many cool things to choose from. Please contact either Tracy Zieber at welcome@aluuc.org or Martin Woulfe at minister@aluuc.org for more information.

Greater Springfield Interfaith Association Welcoming Banquet: Members and Friends of ALUUC are invited to join with the Interfaith Community on Tuesday, October 15 as GSIA hosts its annual Welcoming Banquet. This is a vegetarian pot luck and will be hosted by the Douglas Avenue Methodist Church from 11:45 am - 1:30 pm. Rabbi Barry Marks will share a reflection on the forty-year legacy of GSIA. Please bring a dish to share; some refreshments will be provided by our host.

Come to the Chili Cook Off at ALUUC on Saturday, October 19th! Doors Open at 6pm. There will be voting for the best chili, with a winner declared at 8pm. **Register your chili at www.aluuc.org/chili by October 16.** Cost to attend: \$10 for an adult; \$5 for children 11-17; Children 10 & under are free. Contact Marissa DeWeese at email@aluuc.org for more information.

Are you a crafter or artist? Would you like to sell your creative works at **ALUUC's Arts & Crafts Fair, Friday & Saturday, November 15-16, 2019?** For more information contact Diana DeWeese at artsandcraftfair@aluuc.org

Sign Up for Fall Circle Suppers on Friday, November 8 and Saturday, November 9! Meet new friends over a splendid meal. Sign up to host or attend a dinner: **online at <https://www.aluuc.org/circle-suppers>** OR the **clipboards** passed around during services & posted near the drinking fountain. Let Martin Woulfe (minister@aluuc.org) or Marissa DeWeese (email@aluuc.org) know if you are interested in helping coordinate - we will help you!

This Week at a Glance

<u>DATE</u>	<u>EVENT</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Room</u>
Sunday, Oct 6	Choir Rehearsal	9:20 AM	Fuller
	Sunday Service	10:30 AM	Sanctuary
	Change for Change collection		
	Drum Circle	12:00 PM	Sanctuary
Monday, Oct 7	Green Sanctuary Committee Mtg.	12:00 PM	Fuller
	Covenant Group Meeting	7:00 PM	Channing
Tuesday, Oct 8	Covenant Group	1:00 PM	Berkley
	A Course in Miracles	6:00 PM	Berkley
Wednesday, Oct 9	ALUUC Board Mtg.	6:00 PM	Berkley
Thursday, Oct 10	News Group	6:00 PM	Channing
	Meditation	6:30 PM	Sanctuary
	Covenant Group	7:00 PM	Berkley
Saturday, Oct. 12	Moms Demand Action Meeting	11:30 AM	Sanctuary
Sunday, Oct 13	Choir Rehearsal	9:20 AM	Fuller
	Sunday Service	10:30 AM	Sanctuary
	Covenant Group Meeting	12:00 PM	Berkley
	Compassion & Choices Movie	2:00 PM	Sanctuary

Happening Elsewhere

Special Exhibit: Abraham Lincoln Presidential Library and Museum, Illinois Gallery, 6/5/2019 - 1/20/2020, Daily: 9 am - 5 pm with regular admission: **In This Great Struggle: The Greatest Generation Remembers WW II** features our treasured audio and video tales from Illinoisans who lived through WW II. To commemorate the 75th anniversary of D-Day, the Abraham Lincoln Presidential Library and Museum present this exhibit of war posters, oral histories, and artifacts. **NOTE: Kitty Wrigley's mother Betty has contributed items from her own personal collection and is a featured exhibit!! Don't miss it!** Contact: 217-558-8844. **Website:** www.alplm.org/NewsEvents/Events.aspx