Where do we turn?

Overall, we UUs tend to be an educated, socially aware, politically tuned-in bunch. Our principles call us to pay heed to our communities and the world at large, to side with love, and to stay strong in the face of threats to justice and peace. To be present, bear witness, speak up, and stay the course. But that feels harder and harder these days, doesn’t it? Balancing our desire to stay informed with keeping our sanity takes a lot lately, and that’s before we add in the usual stresses of work, family, finances, our health… all of it.

So where do we turn? What do you do to keep yourself fresh for the fight, so to speak? If you’ve never heard the term “self care,” these ideas are for you. We spend so much time caring for people and causes outside ourselves that sometimes we need to pause and attend to someone we’ve been neglecting… us!

Set your boundaries: It sounds simplistic to say “turn off your TV,” but sometimes that’s all there is to it. Set yourself a window during the day for checking social media. Agree to turn off live news at a certain time in the evening- after which it’s time for a movie, a good book, or family time- whatever helps you wind down, not up, before bed. All that news will wait.

Maybe you already have a ritual for what restores you: Rely on it! Your morning walk before it gets too hot. Your favorite beverage during a TV show or podcast you love. Yoga or meditation in a quiet space or with soothing music. A weekly lunch date with a friend. An extra-long bath or shower. It doesn’t have to be big, special, or complicated… just what makes you feel like you.

How’s your health? Only you and your doctor know best for you, of course- but take stock of some common wisdom around wellness and see if you’ve been neglecting anything. Are you drinking enough water? How well are you sleeping? Are you getting a variety of healthful foods into your diet? Can you make time for some physical activity, even if it’s just walking your dog for an extra block or two? Even a small change can be beneficial.

The other healing arts: If I asked you what your favorite feel-good music is, you’d probably have a ready answer, right? What movie or TV show do you
Where do we turn (continued from front cover.)

always turn to when you need a break from the outside world? (For me it’s *The Muppet Movie.*) Books transport us to other worlds and other identities. Museums and libraries encourage reflection, quietness, and appreciation, almost a meditative state of mind. Indulge in your favorites for a mental vacation.

**Mother Nature knows best:** Whether it’s your own backyard or a remote campsite hours away, spending time outdoors can be restorative. Take a moment to experience being outdoors with all your senses. Feel the breeze, the difference between sun and shade, what the ground is like under your feet. Look up, down, and all around - there’s more to take in than first meets the eye. Do you hear water moving, birds chirping, insects humming? Does the air smell different to you in a clean, green place?

**And always, let’s turn to each other:** Community Church offers much to help us restore our bodies and souls, and not just during service on Sundays. Linger in Founders Hall or stay for Church Chats to connect with your friends and make new ones. Cultivate mindfulness along with the Tibetan Buddhism class. Discover new books with Literary Ladies, and enjoy movies with the folks at Friday Flix. Find a clean, green place and connect to the earth in our Community Garden. Attend a Men’s or Women’s Fellowship Breakfast to fill your belly… and your heart. Get involved with the Social Action Committee and experience the rewards of giving and serving others. Remember, we say that we are stronger together so often because it’s true. Alyssa Church

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**From front page - August 26 - “Annual Ingathering/Water Communion.”** All attending are offered the chance to share a small amount of water gathered from places of personal meaning during the last year, and the significance. Water is available to be shared symbolically if you do not have some of your own with you. All are welcome.

**August Share the Plate - Barron Elementary.** We will be gratefully accepting monetary donations from our church members and friends in our Share the Plate program in August. These proceeds will go into the Barron Elementary School fund from which we have used funds in the past for teacher appreciation luncheons and sometimes for school supplies for students. **Share the Plate Sunday is August 26.**

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**July Board Meeting Highlights**

The Board discussed the process for distributions of the Minister’s Discretionary fund in anticipation of refunding. A list of other organizations that can be helpful to congregants will be compiled.

The Board discussed ways to more fully integrate the Program Team into the mission and vision of the Church and make participating more accessible.

Planning for the Silent Auction to be held November 3rd is under way.

The Board approved the charter for BSA Venture Crew 3466.

The Board reviewed facilities updates and the meeting was adjourned.
Presidents Column

Community UU needs you!

This is the time for all of us to pitch in and do what we can to make this year a success. Going without a minister for a year means we will all be called on to help out with things that may have seemed to just magically happen before. Those of you who have been through this process before know what is needed. Help the newer folks understand that Community UU can come out stronger and with more vitality at the end of this year.

What can you do? You could help out on the caring committee, become an usher, volunteer for the audio visual team, or volunteer to teach RE. Consider helping others on the leadership journey by joining the Leadership Development Committee.

Are you looking for a short term project? Community UU’s biggest fund raisers need lots of volunteers to be successful. The Plano Balloon Festival is the weekend of September 21 to 23. We always need folks to park cars and help customers for this fun fundraiser. The Service Auction is November 3 this year and is always a night of creativity and surprise. You could be a table host or offer an evening of entertainment for sale at the auction. Personal services, one of a kind activities and specialty items are always well received. President Elect, Kimberly Schramm, is in charge of fund raising this year, so say yes when she asks for your help and donations.

Have you always wanted to help the church be more financially stable? We are looking at the way we do stewardship and are forming a new year round stewardship team. This might be just the place for you to shine. The goal of church work is not just to help the church, but to give the members worthwhile, fulfilling work to do. All of us who do anything for the church get back much more than we give.

Think about what you can do for this very special and precious religious community, this oasis of love and caring in a world that often seems uncaring and full of hate. It is time to step up and make the vision we have of this church a reality. Remember you are the community in Community UU Church.

Blessings,
Sarah

Circle Suppers will start a new season in September. First event is September 8. Last year we averaged 19 guests attending two dinners per month. On the second Saturday of each month we gather at the home of one or more members for dinner. The host makes the main dish and each guest brings a side dish. This is a great way to get to know other folks in the church in a smaller group setting. If you haven’t previously attended Circle Suppers you may apply now to receive monthly email invitations. Just send an email to CircleSuppers@CommunityUUchurch.org and give your name (or names) and address and phone number and we’ll send you monthly invites.
Simple Living Chalice Circle
The next meeting will be Saturday morning July 11 at 11am.
Theme/topic – Learning together to live deliberately.
Facilitator Ona Tannehill at Email simpleliving@communityuuchurch.org.

Women's Fellowship Breakfast.
To all the women of the Church:
We're having a fellowship breakfast gathering of all the women of the Church on Saturday, August 18 at Poor Richard’s Café, 2442 K Ave. in Plano, starting at 8:30-9am and ending around 9:30-10am. Come join us for a morning of good food and fellowship to meet other women in the church. For more information, question and to RSVP, contact Vicki Verinder at membcom-chair@communityuuchurch.org.

The Genealogy Group next meeting is Thursday, October 18.

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Friday Flix. Snack, beverages and conversation at 6:30pm with the movie starting at 7pm in Founders Hall.
Aug. 10 - Elizabeth. Elizabeth Tudor (Cate Blanchett) becomes queen of a divided and dangerous England in 1558. She is roundly perceived as weak by threats from within and abroad, and she is strongly advised to marry by counsel William Cecil (Richard Attenborough).

Aug. 24 - Call Me By Your Name. It's the summer of 1983, and precocious 17-year-old Elio Perlman is spending the days with his family at their 17th-century villa in Lombardy, Italy. He soon meets Oliver, a handsome doctoral student who's working as an intern for Elio's father.

The March Men's Fellowship Breakfast is Saturday, August 18, 8:30am at Poor Richards Cafe, 2442 K Avenue, Plano, TX 75074. If you plan to attend please let Tom Bieg know by 6pm Friday, August 17.

Coming Attractions for Grades 4-7. Plans are forming for creating a great program for Grades 4-7 in 2018-2019. Inspired by the success of our senior high group, the RE Board would like to offer a social and educational program informed by the class interests. See a member of the RE Board for more information.

Deadline for the September newsletter is Friday, August 17. Email articles to newsletter@communityuuchurch.org.

The Church office will be closed Tuesday, September 4.
Children and Youth Religious Education Ministry

The Religious Education Board is putting together the program for 2018-2019. The first day of class is August 12. The curriculum will focus on the six sources of Unitarian Universalism:

- Direct experience of that transcending mystery and wonder, affirmed in all cultures, which moves us to a renewal of the spirit and an openness to the forces which create and uphold life;
- Words and deeds of prophetic people which challenge us to confront powers and structures of evil with justice, compassion, and the transforming power of love;
- Wisdom from the world’s religions which inspires us in our ethical and spiritual life;
- Jewish and Christian teachings which call us to respond to God’s love by loving our neighbors as ourselves;
- Humanist teachings which counsel us to heed the guidance of reason and the results of science, and warn us against idolatries of the mind and spirit;
- Spiritual teachings of Earth-centered traditions which celebrate the sacred circle of life and instruct us to live in harmony with the rhythms of nature.

The Rev. Kathleen Rolenz said, “Throughout history, we have moved to the rhythms of mystery and wonder, prophecy, wisdom, teachings from ancient and modern sources, and nature herself.”

As we prepare to begin the new year, we offer this reflection from Braver/Wiser.

**Strangers At The Door By Erika A. Hewitt**


“Share the good news at all times. If necessary, use words.”

—St. Francis of Assisi, paraphrased

Ding-dong. When my friend Beth answered her door one day, she found a pair of earnest Mormon missionaries: young men wishing to chat with her about their religion.

Beth being Beth, she invited her visitors in, listened to what they had to say, and in response shared her “good news” — her beliefs about justice and inclusion; of being responsible for the most vulnerable among us; of countering oppression with love. The point wasn’t to change their minds, and the missionaries must have realized that they weren’t going to change hers. Beth’s intention was to create a moment of connection beyond—or in spite of—opposing beliefs.

At the end of their visit, one of the Mormons asked, “Shall we pray together before we leave?”

"Yes,” said Beth, “I’ll go first.” And so she said a prayer, and then the missionaries said a prayer, and they parted ways.

Days went by; the weather grew oppressively hot. Again one afternoon, Beth heard her doorbell. On her doorstep were the same missionaries, wilting in the harsh sun.

"Can we have some water?” one of them asked.

"Hello?,” replied Beth. “I was thirsty and you gave me drink!"* Of course: come in.”

The young men drank their water, thanked her, and left. Beth never saw them again — but those missionaries have never left my mind, because their story forces me to examine my own heart and the way its doors sometimes stay stubbornly closed.

If you or I knew that a stranger was suffering from thirst outside our door, wouldn’t we readily bring them water? But in order to offer that hospitality, we first have to identify ourselves — sometimes in inconvenient

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Children and Youth Religious Education Ministry. (continued from page 5)
or uncomfortable ways — as helpers; as willing to offer kindness or connection to someone we might disagree with.

Of all the doors they'd knocked on, in all the neighborhoods in Beth’s town, a pair of devoted Mormons sought help from Beth not just because she had embodied the religion of kindness, but also because she risked opening her door to them the first time they visited.

Prayer
I never leave your current, Great Ocean of Mercy and Storm, and so we both know that I could be kinder to strangers, whom I am sometimes tempted to judge. Help me to demonstrate loving kindness to everyone I encounter, for my actions may speak louder than my words.

*Matthew 25:35
Rev. Dr. Beth Johnson gave permission for Erika to tell this story. https://www.uua.org/braverwiser/strangers-door.

Spread the Cheer and Thank You’s !!!

Every year on First Responders' Day which is 9/11, CUUC along with The Dallas Sai Center delivers baskets of treats to our First Responders to let them know they are appreciated. Last year we delivered to 71 Fire Houses, Police Stations and 911 Call Center in the area. How can you participate? We need lots of baked treats to put in our baskets, people to help assemble the baskets and drivers to deliver them. This is our 10th year showing our support for our First Responders and it is a lot of fun!! Items to bring: Cookies, brownies, bar cookies, chips, pretzels, dried fruits, nuts, trail mixes, granola bars, fruit, candy. Homemade items are the best! Please nothing that needs refrigeration. Thank you cards to put in the baskets are always appreciated too. A fun project for the family to sit down and create one or several thank you cards. The First Responders enjoy reading them!!

This year First Responders' Day falls on Tuesday, so we will be assembling the "goodie" containers on Monday evening, September 10, starting at 5pm in Founders Hall. Please bring all food to Founders Hall before 5pm on September 10. If your donations are not perishable, there will be 2 large boxes in Founders Hall starting in Sept for donations.

If you are interested in participating, please contact Barb Salvo. First ones to sign up to deliver will get the location(s) of their choosing!! This is an opportunity to take the kids to a firehouse. They might get a tour!

Upcoming Activities in Religious Education

Sunday, August 5 – 1:30am: Youth-led Worship for All Ages
Sunday, August 12 – Pancake Breakfast Fundraiser for Religious Education
Sunday, August 12 – 10:30am: Worship including the Blessing of the Backpacks and Religious Education
Sunday, August 19 – 10:30am: Worship and Religious Education
Sunday, August 26 – 10:30am: Ingathering Worship for All Ages

NTUUC Summer Conference - August 11 - First Unitarian Church of Dallas at 4015 Normandy Avenue, Dallas, TX. 75205. Worship Topics: Security: Intruder and Emergency Preparedness; Spiritual Practices and Self-Care: Side with Love; Small Group Ministry and Youth Ministry. Opening Speaker: Rev. Annie Foerster - “Jumping In On Time”. In the sport of jump rope, “on time” is the highest skill!
Social Action News

What’s New in the Community Garden?
Searching for a meaningful family connection? Try gardening! We encourage family visits year round to our garden. We would love for your family to tend a plot, but even if you just want to bring your family to see what’s growing, you are very welcome! There are so many opportunities for learning, from mini science lessons to the benefits of caring for our planet that parents can talk about with their children.

And don’t forget Photo Ops! Would you like to have a picture of your family under our grape arbor? How about your child with sunflowers, or investigating our new “fork fence” to keep away those pesky voles? There is also a garden hunt sheet in the south side of the Little Free Library, so you and your kids can discover (and learn) the different garden areas and techniques, plants and vegetables. This is also the time of year when butterflies begin to appear in abundance, so please plan a family visit. We’d love to have you!

For more information, contact Deb Bliss at harvest@communityuuchurch.org.

Barron Elementary School Opportunities!
Barron is right down the street from our church and we have been part of its volunteer programs over the last few years. Many of our church folks have taken on roles as tutors, mentors, librarians, and teacher resources in the workroom and we are looking for more people to step up and be willing to join us in this vital Social Action project. One person can also volunteer for a special event like a camping trip, field trip, or the Fall Festival. **You will need to fill out a volunteer sign-up form if you haven’t been involved in the past and there will be forms available in the church foyer or ask Anne Smith, our coordinator to give you one.** Some people can also go online to register as a volunteer at: https://oea.pisd.edu/volunteer/EntryPointHomeAction.do.

In August we will be asking for donations of plastic zip-lock gallon sized bags, health supplies collecting tissues, wipes, and hand sanitizer (alcohol-based only) for the classrooms. Teachers used to have to buy these items themselves. If our donations fall short in one area, we will purchase additional ones using our Barron Dedicated Fund (Share the Plate) These items will be delivered to the Parent Liaison who will distribute them to teachers. **If anyone would be able to help deliver these to Barron such as maybe some of our teens, please let me know.** We are also accepting box tops to be placed in box in the alcove next to the PK room across from water fountain.

God’s Pantry.
God's Pantry is in need of school supplies for the upcoming school year. The volume of clients continues to increase as does the number of children depending on God's Pantry for support for help with school supplies and backpacks. Your donations would be appreciated.

Thank you! Many thanks to the volunteers who received training at the Our Whole Lives facilitator training on July 6-8 at First Unitarian Church in Dallas. **Tim Williams, Loretta Reiter, and Laura Steinbeisser** were trained for grades K-Grade 1/Grades 4-6. **Mariah Dodds and Carl Hathaway** were trained for Grades 7-9/High School. Thank you also to the North Texas Unitarian Universalist Congregations for the registration grant that covered half of the $275 training cost for each volunteer. Our Whole Lives is a Unitarian Universalist comprehensive sexuality education program. For more information go to, https://www.uua.org/re/owl.
Adult Religious Education Classes

The Mission of the **Adult Religious Education Program** is to nurture and stimulate the religious and personal growth of the adult church community. We offer a varied and cohesive program within the context of the living Unitarian Universalist tradition and principles. **The church website has been updated with the latest classes and class descriptions - check it out at www.CommunityUUChurch.org, under Adult Religious Education.** CHILDCARE is available for all classes, upon request. To reserve childcare call the church office (972-424-8989) at least 48 hours in advance.

**Tuesday**

**Tibetan Buddhism – 7pm – in the sanctuary. Meditation and Mind Training.** Please join us for guided meditation and a skillful approach to developing mental peace and clarity. **Facilitated by the Ven. Tashi Nyima.**

**Thursday**

**Humanist Group – New Direction meets at 6pm in Room G.** The Humanist Group continues to meet prior to The Meaning of Life: Perspectives from the World’s Great Intellectual Tradition class led by Rev. Don Fielding. Each week different group members plan the discussion on a Humanist-oriented topic which helps us learn more about Humanism, its history, its relationship to UU ism, and its applications to our lives and spiritual-personal development. **August topics: TBD.**

**Exploring the Roots of Religion in Room G at 7pm. Facilitator Don Fielding.** The Meaning of Life: Perspectives from the World’s Great Intellectual Tradition, Professor Garfield has put together an intellectually gripping course that is every bit the equal of the monumental subject it sets out to explore. **August topics:**

- **August 2** - Hume’s Skepticism and the Place of God;
- **August 9** - Hume’s Careless and Compassionate Vision;
- **August 16** - Kant - Immaturity and the Challenge to Know;
- **August 23** - Mill’s Call to Individuality and to Liberty;
- **August 30** - Tolstoy - Is Everyday Life the Real Thing?

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**Plano Balloon Festival Parking Fundraiser**

It's that time again! Yes, it's time for the **Plano Balloon Festival Parking Fundraiser** at Community UU Church on **Friday, September 21, through Sunday, September 23.**

This is one of our big fundraisers of the year. And, taking part in the Balloon Festival also raises awareness about our Church among our neighbors!

We are designated as an official parking site by the Plano Balloon Festival organization for the event, and throughout the weekend, we park cars on almost every conceivable parking space on our property.

To make this work, Kimberly Schramm needs volunteers to help with this fun and profitable activity that benefits our church and the wider community.

The key to making this a success is lots of volunteers working shifts throughout the weekend. Volunteer shifts are four hours long, and childcare will be provided for those who need it.

**This year, we need volunteers for 4 hour or 4.5 hour shifts, with Saturday afternoon/evening 4pm to 8pm and and 6pm to 10pm offering the greatest opportunity for fundraising.**

If you are a new member, this is a great way to volunteer, have a good time working with other members and get to know people. And, for our experienced members, it's a great way to have fun and connect with the community.

Contact Kimberly Schramm and tell her you want to support our church with this fun and profitable activity!
June Financial Report

Finance Report by Cindy Hadden Treasurer

The June financial summary for our operating accounts is listed below. The cumulative Net Income gap is $9.8K above budget. This is mostly due to prepaid pledges having already been paid of the year. ($7.3K) This is a one time event, and will not continue. Expenses came in under budget ($3K). Most of the variances are spread out across the accounts. A membership coordinator has not yet been hired ($586/month) and DRE health insurance is budgeted, but won’t be paid until we hire a new DRE. ($889).

**Last Year:** We ended the year a little worse than I expected during the congregational meeting, partially because we did not do the Pops Concert (-$1.5K). We ended the year with a cumulative loss of $2.2K.

**This Year:** This year we have the opportunity to reevaluate where we are going, and get mentally, financially and otherwise ready. If you have not pledged yet, please do so.

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If you forget your checkbook on a Share the Plate Sunday, remember you can always donate on line.

April’s Share the Plate netted $230.50 for New Orleans. Thank you!

FREE MONEY!

**Kroger:** NOTE: It’s time to renew you Kroger Community Rewards - just follow this link: [https://www.kroger.com/communityrewards](https://www.kroger.com/communityrewards)

**Amazon.com:** Use this link for purchases: [http://smile.amazon.com/ch/75-1787256](http://smile.amazon.com/ch/75-1787256)

*The church will get a portion of all purchase amounts!*

INCOME & EXPENSE June, 2018

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For our August 2018 calendar, go to our website at:
CommunityUUChurch.org

Events listed on the calendar are subject to change. For more information and confirmation of these events, please visit the church calendar at http://www.communityuuuchurch.org/pages/calendar.
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UU Website Links

Unitarian Universalist Association (UUA):  
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Unitarian Universalist Service Committee (UUSC):  
*www.uusc.org*

Southwest District (SWUUC):  
*www.swuuc.org*

North Texas Unitarian Universalist Congregations (NTUUC):  
*www.ntuuc.org*

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Church Office Hours

Monday: church offices closed: **Tuesday**: 9 am to 3 pm
**Wednesday**: 9 am to 2:30 pm: **Thursday**: 9 am to 2:30 pm
**Friday**: 9 am to Noon: **Office Phone**: # 972-424-8989

Bookkeeper John Elder Tuesday & Thursday: 10:30am - 2:30pm
other times by appointment.

Church Secretary Connie Meints
**Tuesday** 9am to 3pm, **Wednesday & Thursday** 9am to 2:30pm, **Friday** 9am to noon.

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