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Williamsburg Unitarian Universalists

A Welcoming, Worshiping, Witnessing Community

The Spiral November 20, 2014

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This Sunday at WUU: November 23, 2014



11:15am-One Service Only

All-Ages Service

St. Cecilia Day

Each year on the Sunday closest to St Cecilia's name day, the WUU Choir performs an extended choral piece in celebration of the patron saint of music and musicians. This year the 40 member choir will join with a Chamber Orchestra of W&M musicians to perform Mozart's Coronation Mass.

Weekly Calendar

Thursday, November 20

7:00 pm, Transgender Day of Remembrance, Sanctuary

Sunday, November 23

11:15 am, Worship-St. Cecilia Day, Sanctuary

12:30 pm, Rainbow Potluck, Sanctuary

4:00 pm, YRUU, Parker House

Monday, November 24

10:00 am, Gayle Henion Creative Arts Group, Eabs House

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10:00 am, Gayle Henion Creative Arts Group, Fahs House
7:00 pm, Buddhist Meditation, Sanctuary

Wednesday, November 26

2:00 pm, Conversation on Race, Sanctuary

Thursday, November 27-Office Closed, Happy Thanksgiving!

1:00 pm, Turkey Dinner, Sanctuary

Friday, November 28-Office Closed

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Next Sunday: November 30, 2014



9:15 am & 11:15 am

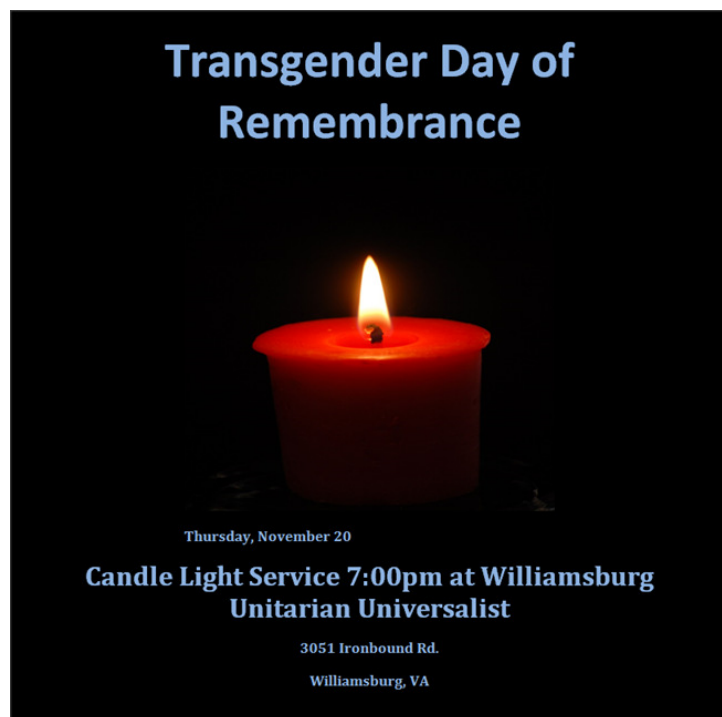
Rev. Jennifer Ryu

"Prayer of Remembrance"

Today we remember those whom we have lost in the last year.

Please bring photos and other items that remind you of your loved ones.

Social Justice



**Transgender Day of
Remembrance**

Thursday, November 20

**Candle Light Service 7:00pm at Williamsburg
Unitarian Universalist**

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"In memory of those murdered in acts of anti-transgender violence."**Winter Homeless Shelter**

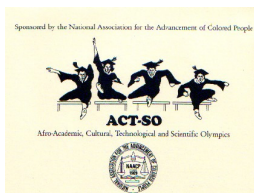
Temple Beth EL will be hosting the COFM Homeless Shelter on Christmas and Christmas Eve.

If you can volunteer for a shift, please contact Helen Hansen, helenfoxhansen@gmail.com; 757-645-3331

**FISH Collection for November (our local food pantry)**

For Fish during the month of November, let's focus on treat items (nonperishable) for the holidays...Cake mix, frostings, cookie mix, pancake mix, syrup, puddings, Jell-O, fruit bars, snack bars. These are special items that Fish does not have unless given.

Just a reminder that next month we are doing new socks and underwear (all sizes). Everything we give to Fish is greatly appreciated.

**Martin Luther King Jr NAACP ACT-SO Breakfast**

The 26th Annual Martin Luther King, Jr. NAACP ACT-SO Breakfast honoring local high-achieving high school minority students will be held on Monday, January 19, 2015 at the CW Lodge and Conference Center. In support of this program, WUU has again reserved a table this year (10 places). Please contact Jessica O'Brien at 810-7859 or newjb2001@hotmail.com to purchase your seat. Tickets are \$40 per adult.

Religious Education

This week is an all-ages service; everyone will worship together in the Sanctuary.

Caring Committee

Please contact caringchair@wuu.org if you know of a member of the Congregation in need of support, or if you are in need of support.

Yule Sing and Potluck

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The Membership and Social Justice Teams and the Council for Religious Education have teamed up to bring you this fun-filled event for everyone! The evening will begin at 6:00 p.m. with a Potluck Dinner followed by crafts for all ages to make decorations and trim our WUU Christmas tree. In addition to information and ideas about compassionate giving during the holidays, we'll enjoy singing favorite carols, and Santa may make a surprise appearance! PLEASE JOIN US for this annual event.

Other News**Thanksgiving Turkey Dinner**

Thursday, November 27, 1:00 pm

Spend the holiday feasting with friends old and new at WUU. Rev. Jennifer has been hosting a Thanksgiving Potluck for many years and will do so again. She will roast the turkey--you bring everything else! RSVP to Rev. Jennifer (jennifer@wuu.org) by Saturday, November 23.

Limited Office Hours

Our Program Assistant, Ellyn Stephens, will be on vacation from November 24 through December 2 (returning to the office on December 3). As it is a holiday week, many of the staff will be in and out off the office and the office will be closed on November 27 & 28. If you are coming to the office please call first 220-6830. If you have an emergency contact Rev. Jennifer at jennifer@wuu.org or 757-880-4692.

Support for NAACP's Winter Necessity Drive

Join the William and Mary Chapter of the NAACP and Hearts Full of Grace as they prepare "winter necessity bags" to benefit the homeless community. Please help them fill 100 bags by donating hats, gloves, scarves, blankets/throws, tote bags/reusable grocery bags. This is a gray tote in the Narthex for your donations. The drive will run through the first week in December.

Upcoming Events

- **November 20:** Transgender Day of Remembrance
- **November 23:** St. Cecilia Day
- **November 27:** Thanksgiving Office Closed
- **November 27:** Thanksgiving Turkey Dinner
- **November 28:** Office Closed
- **December 12:** Potluck and Yule Sing
- **February 15-22:** COFM Homeless Shelter at WUU

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