



TIMBERLAND UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST FELLOWSHIP
A WELCOMING FELLOWSHIP
1510 North Timberland Drive, Lufkin, TX 75905 (tuuf.org)

JUNE 2017 NEWSLETTER & PROGRAM SCHEDULE

For those who
long for open
minds and open
hearts.

All Sunday services begin at 5:30PM & Refreshments at 5pm
Rev. Michael Thompson conducts service every 2nd Sunday
Forum discussion on the 1st and 3rd Sunday of each month at 4 PM
Journaling group meets the 4th Friday at 10:30am unless posted

SUNDAY JUNE 4, 2017

4PM Forum & 5:30 PM Service *“Praying with your Feet: A Simple Test of Moral Courage”*
by Rabbi Neal Katz from Beth-El Congregation in Tyler.

SUNDAY June 11

5:30PM Service: *“Hitler’s Sweater”* by Rev. Michael Thompson.

Would you be willing to wear Hitler’s sweater? Why or why not? If it were unraveled and
and rewoven, would that make any difference? In this sermon we will consider the
connection between moral values and physical revulsion.

6:30PM. Potluck Dinner

SUNDAY JUNE 18, 2017 (FATHER’S DAY)

4PM Forum: Topic du jour

5:30PM Service: *Long Strange Trip: UU Film Series Part IV-B : Universalism (1600 - 1860)*
Edited by : Ron codes

On April 30th we watched the 1st half hour of Part IV. The 1st half documented the
development of Universalism from the early German and English pietist such as Jakob
Bohme and Jane Leade, and the 18th century English ministers such as George Whitfield,
James Rely, Georges de Benneille, and John Murray. It chronicles the emigration of de
Benneville and Murray to America and their roles in the formation of an organized
Universalist religion. It tells the story of the Thomas Potter incident and the role Judith
Sargent Murray played in the movement. The 2nd half picks up after the death of Murry
and tracks the theological development of the movement through Murray, Elhanan
Winchester, and Hosea Ballou. It discusses the unprecedented explosion of Universalist
churches across America during the first half of the 19th century, and why the movement
began its precipitous decline after the death of Hosea Ballou.

SUNDAY JUNE 25, 2017

*5:30 PM Service: TED talk by Robb Willer. "How to Have Better Political Conversations"
Lead by Lane Thompson.*

Volunteer opportunities include:

CISC Food Bank 8:45am- noon. (except 3rd Wed of the month) Monday-Friday

HOST Mentoring Program at Brandon Elementary (Begins in the fall).

Contact Sheila Skelton at 936-633-7629

May Refreshments provided by :

1st Sunday: Rich & Susan

2nd Sunday: Potluck

3rd Sunday:

4th Sunday:

Timberland Unitarian Universalist Fellowship

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