



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

May 2019 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 monthly service on 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 MAY 5, 2019

4PM Forum “TRIAL OF SOCRATES” By Professor Rufus Fears, Great Course Lecture Series. Moderator: Richard Mendola

5:30PM Service “The Gifts of Imperfection” by Pam Maine Johnson. She will discuss the 10 guideposts to wholehearted living as described in Dr. Brené Brown’s book. Dr. Brené Brown is a research professor at the University of Houston Graduate College of Social Work, where Pam received her Master of Social Work in 1996. She has worked with children and families, the MHMR crisis team, and an intensive outpatient Geri-psych program. She is a clinical supervisor and field instructor. Pam has been an adjunct faculty at SHSU, and has taught dozens of CEU workshops.

SUNDAY MAY 12, 2019

5:30PM Service: “Celebrating our Past, Looking to the Future” by Rev. Michael Thompson. As we observe our 50th anniversary as a congregation, Rev. IMike will offer some thoughts on how far we’ve come, and also what the future may hold for Timberland UU Fellowship.

6:30PM Potluck Dinner

SUNDAY MAY 19, 2019 Celebrating our Beloved Community.

4Pm Forum: Story Telling Time

We will reflect on storytelling prompts and share a brief ~ **5min.** personal narrative with the group. These prompts are from a version of Tyler's UU Church 6 hr program by Jane Neal during the month of May. See UUFT newsletter.

Prompts:

- 1) Be Better - tell about an event or person that showed you how to be your better self
OR Grateful - tell about what/for whom you are most grateful, and the incident around it/them.
- 2) Note to Self at Eight - what do you want to say to and ask your eight year-old self? or
Note to Self at 88 - what do you want to say to and ask your 88 year-old self?
- 3) Playing Our Song - tell about a favorite song that sustains or sustained you through a particular era of your life OR
Spirit Animal - tell about a pet or any animal that you connect with
- 4) Lucky - tell about a time in your life when things went your way OR
Over It - tell about a situation, idea or person that once upset you, and how you let it go

5:30PM Service: "Sharing of Gifts" It's another time to share & get to know each other. If you have a song, poem, art, special meaningful memorabilia that helps understand who you are, please share with the fellowship. Our fellowship is a covenantal community: sharing is our gift. Thom and Fisher will be available for providing musical accompaniment.

SUNDAY MAY 26, 2019

5:30PM : "Give me that old, old, old, old time religion" a look at paganism, nature worship and spirituality as replacement for religiosity. Presenter: Thomas Ward

TUUF Service Opportunities include:

Collection of supplies for homeless (House of Compassion)

HOST Mentoring Program at Brandon Elementary (Begins in the fall).
Contact Sheila Skelton at 936-633-7629
CISC (Christian Information & Services) Food Bank 936-634-2857

Timberland Unitarian Universalist Fellowship

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