

Sunday, October 1, 2017 at 10:30 a.m.
“Stamped From the Beginning”

Rev. Tim Temerson & Cir L’Bert Jr.

Although the United States was founded on the proposition that “all men (people) are created equal,” racist ideas and structures have played a predominant role in our history since before those words were written. Join us as we examine some of those ideas and the role they have played and still play in promoting and perpetuating white supremacy. Today’s service is inspired by an award-winning book by Dr. Ibram Kendi, which won the 2016 National Book Award for nonfiction.

Sunday, October 8, 2017 at 10:30 a.m.
“The Extinction Crisis”

Rev. Tim Temerson & Steve Weeks

As the world faces a global climate crisis, a wide variety of species are becoming extinct at such a fast rate that scientists are calling it the sixth great extinction in the history of the planet. Join us as UUCA member and University of Akron biology professor Steve Weeks explores the nature and causes of the current extinction crisis. The service will also mark the kick-off of a new earth stewardship ministry at the UU Church of Akron.

Sunday, October 15, 2017 at 10:30 a.m.
“Because We Care”

Rev. Tim Temerson & the UUCA Behavioral Health Ministry

Each and everyone of us is a caregiver. At different times in life we can find ourselves caring for a family member or friend. Join us as we explore the blessings and challenges of being a caregiver. The service will introduce a new Caregivers Support Group and will also include a ritual of celebration and welcome for new members of the UUCA Circle of Elders.

Sunday, October 22, 2017 at 1030 a.m.
“Hey Rabbi, I’m Spiritual but Not Religious”
Rabbi David Horowitz and Elizabeth Reilly

When the topic of religion comes up, it is not uncommon to hear people (and quite a few Unitarian Universalists) describe themselves as being spiritual but not religious. But what exactly does it mean to be spiritual and/or religious? Join us for this special service as we welcome Rabbi David Horowitz back to the UU Church of Akron.

Sunday, October 29, 2017 at 10:30 a.m.
We Remember Them

Rev. Tim Temerson & Pam Garn Nunn

The death of a loved one or close friend fills our lives with grief and sorrow. But over time, the pain of grief is transformed by love and memory. Today as we honor and remember our beloveds who have died, we will welcome the healing power of love and memory into our lives. Today’s service will include a ritual of love and remembrance for those we have lost and you are invited to bring photographs or other objects in memory of your beloveds.