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People's Church Mission Statement

"People's Church strives to inspire intellectual, spiritual and religious growth, to encourage freedom of thought, and to promote personal quests for meaning and religious challenge.

Wishing to provide opportunities for fellowship and community involvement for all people, in a nurturing and supportive environment, we will continue to function as a role model of diversity for the community and to serve as a base for active outreach to benefit the world around us."

SUNDAY SERVICES - 11:00 A.M.

January 7 "The Art of Happiness"

The quest for happiness is at the root of human striving. But what does happiness look like? How and where do we seek it? In seeking happiness, do we ignore the realities of life, or engage them fully? Is seeking happiness an ethical pursuit? Is it a worthwhile pursuit?

January 14 "Self and Others: The Price of Isolation and Ignorance"

The Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., devoted his life to helping Americans break through rigid barriers of racial separation and prejudice. Nearly 40 years after his death, how does each of us contribute to keeping his dream alive?

January 21 "Living With Depression"

Depression, in its myriads forms and manifestations, is an extremely common human experience. Yet, it is still widely regarded as a failure of will or stamina, or as a condition or sickness to be controlled, managed, or cured. And it still carries a negative stigma. What can we learn about depression as a source of information and meaning for human life?

FORUM – 9:55 A. M.

January 7 "Old-Fashioned" Slide Show

David Sadler, Professor Emeritus of English, WMU, and long interested in photography, will present slides of bumper stickers of the 1970's and compare the cultural and political concerns of that time with present day worries.

January 14 "Japanese Religion and Values" Stephen Covell

Stephen Covell, Department of Comparative Religion, WMU, and specialist in Japanese religions, will discuss basic religious values in Japan, their history and their contemporary relevance.

January 21 "Polarized Politics in the New Year" Peter Wielhouwer

American politics seems to have become more polarized over the last few decades, with bipartisanship and civility at all time lows. In light of the results of the 2006 elections, Dr. Wielhouwer will look at recent trends in the polarized nature of American politics, and will discuss the prospects for improvements in the next two years.

SUNDAY CENTERING

9:15 – 9:45 A.M. In the Commons

Join Jill for this weekly practice of quiet centering, including spoken and silent meditation. Childcare can be arranged if requested in advance.

BETWEEN US ... Happy New Year to all! (Even though the designation of January 1st as the beginning of a new calendar year is rather arbitrary, still, like all other new year designations, and like every day, in fact, it is always a good time to begin again to focus on what is most important.)

A new project is beginning at People's Church, and I hope every member and friend of the congregation will take part. It involves nothing more than spending time conversing with two or three other People's people, three times between this month and June. It doesn't have a fancy name, or a complicated agenda or structure. It is simply an effort to increase connections among us, for the benefit of each of us, and for People's Church as a whole.

This is the plan: Around 100 People's people will act as "connectors" (for lack of a better name!), which means that they will contact and hopefully meet for a conversation with two or three other People's people at least three times between January and June. The get-togethers can be at church, in each others home, over coffee, tea or a meal, during a walk—whatever is agreeable to both parties. The conversations will each have a focus, in an attempt to get us all talking about the things we hold in common which make us into the community called People's Church. The focus topics will be:

1. How do you describe your religious or spiritual life, and what role(s) does People's Church play in that part of your life?
2. What does stewardship mean to you in general, and what does it mean in the context of our shared "ownership" of People's Church? (Pledges for annual financial support will be integrated into these conversations.)
3. How do religious values and practices relate to issues of social justice, for you, and how do you think we can we best live out our values in the community?

I hope you will note that the topics and their questions are not new – these are subjects we address over and over again, year after year, as members of a religious community. What is relatively new is the effort to establish new and/or stronger connections between us as individuals, which will help us learn from and nurture one another, as well as encouraging new perspectives on our shared ministry. The goal is to take another step or two away from religion as merely a spectator sport or intellectual exercise, to religion as the practice of our ideals and values in our community and in the world.

Nearly seventy people have already agreed to be connectors, and they will be trained and oriented on Saturday, Jan. 13, or Sunday, Feb. 4. If you have questions or worries about being part of this process, please let me know as soon as you can, because I am hoping for 100% participation. (This project is not restricted to members only – if you consider yourself to be part of People's Church, we want you to join us in this effort to increase our connections.)

See you Sunday! *Jill*

WORDS FOR REFLECTION

The next time you communicate with anyone, you can put aside your own autobiography and genuinely seek to understand... Don't push; be patient; be respectful. People don't have to open up verbally before you can empathize. You can empathize all the time with your behavior. You can be discerning, sensitive, and aware, and you can live outside your autobiography.

Steven Covey

JANUARY IS MEMBERSHIP MONTH

The First Sunday Lunch, an all-church potluck supper, and the second round of UU 101 and 102 (our orientation sessions for newcomers interested in membership) are just some of the activities planned by the Membership Committee to keep us focused on hospitality. See page 3, for more information.

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PROGRAMS AND EVENTS

Men's Discussion Group

January 6. "The Counterrevolution in Military Affairs" The leader is Alan Parcells. The material asserts that fashionable thinking about defense ignores the great threats of our time, particularly terrorists and China. The discussion is based upon an article by Ralph Peters appearing in *The Weekly Standard* and passed on to Alan by Kay Spade.

January 20. "Show and Tell" We are trying an experiment since several of our leading lights will be away. Each participant will be given the opportunity to give a presentation for approximately 10 minutes, followed by about 12 minutes or so of discussion. Any spare time will then be used, as necessary, to continue discussion on previous topics.

February 3. Our leader will be Murray Schwartz. His topic will be announced later.

Please check our box by the Church Office for distribution of informational material prior to each meeting. If there is something you would like to see discussed, either initiated by yourself or some knowledgeable person, please contact our group leader, Bill Goodman. Perhaps there is a topic raised during one of Jill's sermons which you would like to see discussed further.

The Men's Discussion Group meets on the first and third Saturdays of each month during the regular church year at 10:00 a. m. in the church library (Room 7). Light refreshments are provided. All interested parties in the church community, regardless of gender, are welcome to attend and participate. In fact, we encourage women to come! Discussion leaders circulate informational materials on their topics at the meeting prior to the one they will be leading, and also leave it in our box outside the church office.

Winter Welcoming Potluck

ALL church members, friends, and anyone interested in getting to know our congregation better are invited to our Second Annual Welcoming Potluck Dinner sponsored by the Membership Committee. The dinner will be held on Friday night, January 19th beginning at 6:30 p.m. in the Commons. We will have a sign up sheet next to the Information Desk in the foyer so we will know what people are bringing, and wouldn't this be a great opportunity to choose a recipe from our Sesquicentennial Cookbook? The committee will provide drinks.

Each church committee will have a representative available to explain what the committee does and to answer any questions. It is a time to learn more about People's Church, to meet new people, and to share the joy of coming together in the middle of a Michigan winter for a heartwarming meal. Since our committee is small, we welcome helpers who can arrive at 5:30 for set up or stay after for clean up. Contact Kim or Lula Palmer with your questions.

Finally, People's Church Orientation Classes, UU101 and UU102, will be held **January 21** and **28** at 12:30 in Jill's office.

Pasty Dinner coming soon!

Put **February 4** on your calendar to stay after church and enjoy delicious meat and veggie pasties prepared by the chefs at People's. Salads, desserts and a beverage will round out your meal. This fundraiser will also offer frozen pasties to take home. Bring the whole family, visit with friends, enjoy a great meal and support the church. See you there!

Too Many Cooks...

The old saying that too many cooks spoils the broth does not apply to the Annual Pasty Dinner. The dinner will be after the service on **Sunday February 4**. Sign-up sheets are available in the foyer. Please come and lend your preparation and cooking skills for this fun filled event! There are several days and times to choose from. Sign up before your date is taken! Questions? Contact Michelle Clark.

Forum Notes

January 7 “An Old-fashioned Slide Show”

David Sadler will present a slide show (with real slides!) of bumper stickers of the 1970's interspersed with pictures of flowers, cats and other relaxing subjects. The bumper stickers will stimulate a discussion of the cultural and political concerns of thirty or so years ago compared with our present-day worries (nightmare? apocalypse?). The photos of cats and flowers will serve as a counterpoint to the stickers on cars.

A member of People's Church, David Sadler is a retired Western professor who has long been interested in photographing a wide variety of subjects.

January 14 “Japanese Religion and Values”

Stephen Covell, a specialist in Japanese Buddhism, Department of Comparative Religion, WMU, and director of the Michitoshi Soga Japan Center, WMU, is highly qualified to consider Japanese religion and values. With his Ph.D. from Princeton, he lived, studied and worked in Japan for ten years before coming to WMU. He worked there as a translator and also studied to become a Buddhist priest. In June 2006, he traveled to Tokyo with a group of WMU students and conducted a seminar on Japanese religion and culture. He has published widely on modern Japanese Buddhism, a recent book, “Japanese Temple Buddhism,” appearing in paperback in October 2006.

Professor Covell’s talk will surely enhance our understanding of and appreciation for Japanese religion, culture and values.

January 21 “Polarized Politics”

Peter W. Wielhouwer (Ph.D., Univ. of Georgia, 1994), Assistant Professor of Political Science, Western Michigan University, is a nationally-recognized scholar on campaigns and elections, faith and politics, and racial politics. Between 1995 and 2004 he taught at Spelman College (GA) and Regent University’s School of Government (VA), where he directed the graduate program in campaign

management and nonpartisan Center for Grassroots Politics. He is an occasional political consultant, and has spoken on campaign ethics for (among others) American University’s Campaign Management Institute, the American Association of Political Consultants, and the Leadership Institute. He and his wife Deborah home school their five children.

***People’s Church Forum Programs
Winter 2007***

The Forums are held on Sundays from 9:55-10:50 a.m. in Room 6 at People’s Church.

Visitors from the community are welcome. The programs are free.

For more information please contact the Zelders.

DATE	SPEAKER	TOPIC
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1/28	Jennifer Lang	“How Colleagues International Boosts Kalamazoo”
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Jennifer Lang, Executive Director, will tell about Colleagues International, a national organization fostering international understanding, and its Kalamazoo program that each year hosts more than 200 professionals and government officials from nations around the world.

2/4	Maira Bundza	“Latvian Contributions to Southwestern Michigan and Beyond”
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Maira Bundza, Reference Librarian, WMU, will examine the contributions (often in education and the arts) of persons of Latvian heritage living in southwestern Michigan, while also noting Latvian influence on the world scene.

2/11	“Universal Preschool Education: Its Impact on the Economy”	
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Tim Bartik, Senior Economist, W. E. Upjohn Institute for Employment Research, and member of the Kalamazoo Public Schools Board, will discuss his findings regarding the long term economic impact of universal preschool education.

***People's Church Forum Programs
Winter 2007...Continued***

2/18 "Elizabeth Upjohn Community Healing Centers"

Sally Reames, Executive Director of the Community Healing Centers (formerly the Guidance Clinic) will describe the services offered by the Healing Centers.

2/25 "A Return After 40 Years To a Peace Corps"

Rick Johnson and Jackie Ladwein will offer an illustrated account of their experiences in returning to Liberia and visiting people they had known when serving as volunteers in the Peace Corps 40 years ago.

3/4 "Make Your Next Trip to the U.K. Different!"

Ardyce and Dave Curl will share their insight from recent visits to the U.K., "show and tell" trips to introduce their grandchildren to the islands of their ancestral heritage.

3/11 "Stem Cells and Cloning: Promise, Progress and Propaganda"

James Langeland, Upjohn Professor of Life Sciences, Department of Biology, Kalamazoo College, will provide enlightenment on a timely, significant and controversial subject, an issue of science with moral implications in need of informed discussion.

3/18 "Radiation: Perception and Reality; Nuclear Power and Global Warming"

Dick Granberg, a health physicist and specialist in radiation safety, will offer information regarding natural and artificial radiation and suggest that the fear of small amounts of radiation exposure is exaggerated.

3/25 "Nicked By Nicknames"

David Isaacson, Reference and Humanities Librarian (Retired), WMU, will present a wise and witty account regarding the impact of a nickname on a person's personality and opportunities.

NEWS AND NOTICES

**People's Parenting Group
3rd Mondays, 6:30 to 8pm**

With so many parents of young children attending People's these days, we thought a parenting group would be a great fit for many of us to gather together to commune, commiserate, and contemplate parenting in this day and age. Please join us here at People's for our first gathering on **January 15**, and bring your children (of any and all ages!) so we can all meet each other. We will brainstorm for future meetings about topics we'd like to discuss, if and how we'd like to handle childcare, and just to get ideas rolling. We'll also often welcome those with grown children for experienced insight. For more information, please contact Kristi Beebe or Teresa Klan.

Boxing Day a Huge Success!!

To begin with, a huge thank you to all the People's People and newcomers who participated in this year's Boxing Day activity. We had a lively and hard-working crowd, ranging in age from pre-K through the 80s. It was a great activity that was enjoyed by people of all ages and abilities.

In one and one half hours, the group cut and tied 39 blankets for the children at the Domestic Violence shelter here in Kalamazoo County. Each child staying at the shelter will get to keep a blanket, as well as a small stuffed animal (38 new stuffed animals were donated by a People's Person). The blankets and animals were delivered on Tuesday, January 2, to some very enthusiastic staff members at the shelter.

Good work, everyone! -- Sue Caulfield

The World THANKS YOU for a Present

We raised \$7,491 for Heifer International. That is almost an Ark and a half. Thanks to our willingness to share our good fortune with others, many families all over the world will have a better life in 2007, and the ability to sustain that life in the future. Many children will now be able to afford to go to school. We also collected \$348 for Alternative Gifts International and \$252 for the Unitarian Universalist Service Committee. So let's pause for a moment, give ourselves a little pat on the back, then continue the work of making the world a better place for all.

Calling All Crones

The Crone Circle will have its first meeting on Tuesday, **February 20**. Bring a sack lunch and join us for a social time at noon or just come for the meeting at 1:00. Using the book "Crones Don't Whine" by Jean Shinoda Bolen as a guide, we will examine the qualities of creative aging. What is a Crone? Do I want to be a Crone? What are the 13 qualities to cultivate? Read the next newsletter for some hints and plan on joining us. Contact persons: Jan Park and Marj Lightner

Heartland District 2007 Spring Conference & Annual Meeting

March 30-31
Grand Rapids, MI
Keynote Speaker:
Gini Courter, "Pardon me...Do you have change?"

15 Workshops will be available, covering everything from R.E., Youth Bashes, Social justice activities, Creating Beloved Community, congregational growth, and Young Adult activities.

Registration brochures and forms will be available by mid January and will also be available on the District website at: www.heartlanduu.org

This is a great opportunity to check out a larger vision of our UU world since the meeting will be held in Grand Rapids this year. If you are interested in car pooling please contact Phyllis Thayer.

Green Sanctuary Meets Again Saturday, January 20, 10:30am

Anyone interested in environmental awareness and action is encouraged to attend. The focus for this meeting will be nomination of a 6-person Steering Committee and initiation of our Green Sanctuary audit or survey. These are two of the required steps for the Green Sanctuary program and are important for moving forward. That is, we need a small team of coordinators (that will be appointed by the Board) and we need to know what we are doing now (the survey) to know how we can improve.

We will also discuss the showing of Al Gore's movie, "Inconvenient Truth," at People's Church. Please note that Unity Church will show the "Inconvenient Truth" on Friday, January 19 at 7 pm with discussion to follow.

For more information on the Green Sanctuary program at People's Church call Marj Lightner or Phyllis Thayer.

Green Tips: "Suggestions for helping you walk more lightly on the earth."

Green Spot

Obviously, using cloth bags is the best way to go, but if you don't have them YET, which is better--plastic or paper? Of course, there is not one simple answer. Paper bags consume four times as much energy to produce as plastic but only 1% of plastic bags are recycled whereas 20% of paper bags are recycled. Five of the six chemicals that generate the most hazardous waste are used in the manufacture of plastic bags. and most plastic never completely disintegrates. It breaks down into miniscule particles that find their way into rivers, lakes and oceans where they are ingested by fish. So which is better? Neither. If you do use them, make sure you reuse them and recycle them. And always ask if the paper bags used by your grocery stores contain recycled paper. If you're concerned about global warming, the most important question is, "Where does your food come from?" Transporting food is a far bigger consumer of fossil fuels than manufacturing plastic or paper bags.

\$MONEY MATTERS\$

This church year is proceeding very well on the financial front. Through the end of December, our revenues are \$10,000 ahead of last year. Pledge payments are coming in at a very good pace. Thanks to you for keeping your pledge payments up to date! The Holiday Bazaar generated \$8,000 for People's Church this year, which is \$2,000 more than last year! Good work by all the organizers, donors, workers, and purchasers led to this outstanding result.

Our budgeting process for 2007-8 is about to begin. The Finance Committee needs to have all requests for next year's budget in hand by February 25. Please make sure that your activity or committee meets this deadline. If you have any special issues or questions about the process, contact Allan Hunt.

People's Church Book Group

Newcomers always welcome!

2007 winter spring schedule

Second Wednesday of the month, 7:30PM

General Information Contact: Pat Nelson
Or Drusie Rosegrant

Jan. 10 Read anything by Wendell Berry. Donna Treloar's home

Feb. 14 *The Master Butcher's Singing Club* by Louise Erdrich. Jan Crosby's home

March 14 *Shadow of the Wind* by Carlos Ruiz Zafon. Kelly Indovina's home

April 11 *Gentlemen and Player* by Joanne Harris. at Kelly Indovina's (see above) Pat Nelson/Reviewer

THE WIDER COMMUNITY

ISAAC News--The Nurse-Family Partnership Funded!

Kalamazoo has just been chosen to receive a grant of over \$1 million (over a 3-year period) to bring the Nurse-Family Partnership here! The Partnership helps at-risk new mothers and their babies succeed by pairing a nurse with each first-time mom from mid-pregnancy through the baby's first two years. It is a research-based program that has achieved impressive results in many other places across the US—lower incidence of prematurity, better child development, higher maternal involvement in work or school, and a return of \$3 to \$5 on every dollar invested. It is especially needed here because Kalamazoo County has the worst African American infant mortality in the state, and Michigan has the worst in the nation!

The ISAAC Education Task Force worked very hard to help bring the Nurse-Family Partnership to Kalamazoo County. They brought pediatrician Dr. Arthur James and former Family Court Judge Carolyn Williams to speak at the ISAAC Public Meeting about the need for this program. And they led the very successful effort to get active support from our State Senator Tom George, State Representatives Jack Hoogendyk, Alexander Lipsey and Lorence Wenke, and US Congressman Fred Upton.

As a member of the Great Start Collaborative, ISAAC Education Task Force has worked very closely on this effort with the Kalamazoo County Health & Human Services Department, the Greater Kalamazoo United Way and other community agencies. For details of how the Nurse-Family Partnership works, check out the national website: www.nfp.org

The Nurse-Family Partnership has the potential to make 'The Promise' a reality for hundreds of infants whose young mothers will get the support they need to live up to their dreams for themselves and their babies!

ISAAC Accomplishments!

Over 70 members and friends of People's Church were among the 800-1000 people at the ISAAC Public Meeting on October 19 at Galilee Baptist Church. Several Peoples' people took part in the issues presented there and others, including our youth members, assisted in hosting the reception for public officials and carrying our banner.

Through collaborative work over the last year with many other community agencies and with such a large public meeting to show support for this work to candidates and public officials, ISAAC helped bring about four important achievements:

1. United our State Representatives from both parties, in support of bringing the NURSE-FAMILY PARTNERSHIP to our county, to help at-risk new moms before birth and for their babies' first 2 years;
2. Gained agreement from the Governor and the Michigan Department of Transportation to use a portion of Federal Highway dollars for SKILLED WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT, with MI*Voice (Michigan Interfaith Voice) at the center of creating a statewide plan;
3. Created a vision of INCLUSIONARY HOUSING, with developers and municipalities in "Promise-land" working together, beginning to reverse the trends that make Michigan the most economically segregated state;
4. Helped achieve passage of the first-ever COUNTY-WIDE TRANSIT MILLAGE, which will keep Care-a-Van, Saturday and evening buses running, keep fares affordable, and extend bus lines to un-served parts of our county.

Only one of the five issues on the ISAAC public meeting agenda was not achieved, namely, DEFEAT OF PROPOSAL 2.

The work for social justice goes on! All are welcome to join our ISAAC Core Team, which usually meets on the second Sunday of the month, after church in the library. For more information, call Rochelle Habeck Hunt or Andrea Huff.

A Call to Action

For a while, people from church could order grass fed meat, eggs, and milk, which was delivered once a month, until the price of gas made the deliveries unprofitable.

However, our source, Richard Hebron, had many other delivery sites, including a weekly trip to Ann Arbor. In October, he was stopped by Michigan Department of Agriculture officials, who seized his products, milk, etc., treating him like a drug dealer. They also, at the same time, entered his home and took his computer and records.

The Hebrons are a family performing traditional farm functions, raising cattle and chickens, and providing nourishment that is nutritious, clean, hormone- and anti-biotic free. They follow all the rules (farm owners can legally drink their own milk. To obtain safe raw milk, one buys a share in the farm.)

Thousands of dollars worth of food was hijacked from the Hebrons by officials we pay. The MDA needs to hear from us. Big business, big money, and special interest lobbying groups are setting unacceptable standards for our food.

-- from Donna Treloar

A Note on PARKING

There are 12 parking spaces at the rear of the church. Five are marked as handicap parking. During church services and other large meetings, people with mobility problems may need all of them. But we don't want to mark them all, because at other times parking in the rear may be much more convenient.

So, please be thoughtful and courteous. If you don't need to park in the rear when others might really need to, then don't! If you are dropping off a load of stuff, do that, and then move your vehicle. If you are an able-bodied driver who needs to drop a passenger at the back door, please drive to the front lot to park.

Note that the Sheriff has been known to write tickets for parking in a handicapper space even when nothing is going on in the building. I don't know why!

Steve Ferguson, for the Building and Grounds Committee

Religious Education Notes

By Diane Melvin, Director

Within the circles of our lives we dance the circles of the years,
the circles of the seasons within the circles of the years,
the cycles of the moon within the circles of the seasons,
the circles of our reasons within the cycles of the moon.
~Wendell Berry

New Year, New Beginnings

I love embracing the illusion that I have a new year to have a clean slate and a fresh start. I didn't follow through on a few of last year's resolutions as well as I would have liked, so I like being able to have a fresh start for 2007.

As I clearly state my intentions for the new year, it gives me a chance to stop and think through that what I really want to bring into my life as well as what I want to bring into the world. This helps me to clarify and articulate the kind of person I want to be and what I want to do (and not do) in the coming year.

This year I intend to work toward attaining a healthy mind/body/spirit balance in myself by finding ways and making time to nurture myself in these areas. I then hope to be better able to nurture others who may need it, thus bringing more love and compassion into this world.

I hope all you have set some conscious intentions to work toward bettering yourself and the world in 2007.

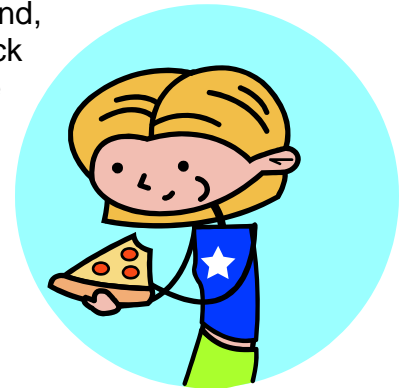
~Blessed Be, Diane

Guest at Your Table

This is the time to return your Guest at Your Table boxes and envelopes to the RE Office. Please make a check out to UUSC and we will send them all in together. Our Unitarian Universalist Service Committee will be able to help many people through out the world with generous support from People's people.

Church Sleepover for all 1st- 8th Graders Saturday Feb 4th at 6:00pm

Back by popular demand, the kids are invited back to church to play, have fun and deepen their connection with their church friends.



Young Adult UU Conference January 12-14 at People's Church

Our very own KUULS group is organizing the 4th annual Young Adult and Campus Ministry Conference at People's Church on Martin Luther King Weekend.

All young adults 18-35 are invited and welcome to attend. The registration fee is only \$20 and that includes all meals and workshops for the weekend. For more information contact Caitie Sickels at csickels1@hotmail.com

YRUU Social Justice Conference

January 26-28 at First UU Church of Ann Arbor
At least five of our teen and a couple of our youth advisors will be attending this conference facilitated by GROUNDWORK.

GROUNDWORK is the Anti-Racism training and organizing program of Unitarian Universalist youth and young adults.

New Nursery Space

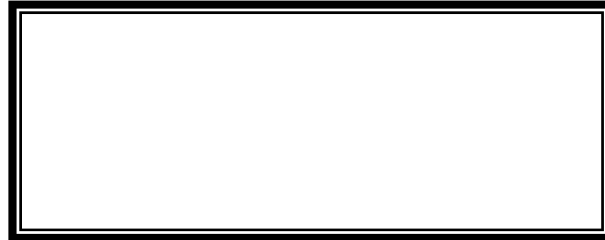
Due to the high numbers of children in the nursery, we have shifted some classrooms and doubled our nursery space.

The 5th Graders will now be meeting for their religious education classes in the library.

Room 5 will now be used for additional nursery space. Check it out!

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January 2007 CALENDAR

<i>Date</i>	<i>Event</i>	<i>Day</i>	<i>Time</i>	<i>Location</i>
January 8	News & Views Mailing Music Committee Spanish Conversation Class	Monday	9:00 a.m. 4:30 p.m. 7:00 p.m.	Room 2 Library Contact Pat Pratt
January 9	Chalice Circle	Tuesday	10:00 a.m.	Library
January 10	Book Club	Wednesday	7:30 p.m.	@ Donna Treloar's
January 11	Board Meeting	Thursday	7:00 p.m.	Room 6
January 12	Second Friday Sing-a-long KUULS Conference	Friday	5:30 p.m. (food) 7:00 p.m. (music)	Room 6 Contact Catie Sickels
January 13	Training for "Connectors" KUULS Conference	Saturday		
January 14	Scrabble ISAAC Committee A/V Committee Living with Depression	Sunday	12:30 p.m. 12:30 p.m. 1:00 p.m. 4:00 p.m.	Room 2 Commons Room 6
January 15	News & Views Deadline People's Parenting Group Pranayama Breathing	Monday	12:00 p.m. 6:30 p.m. 7:00 p.m.	news@peopleschurch.net Room 2 Room 6
January 16	Library Committee Chalice O Network of Spiritual Progressives	Tuesday	9:30 a.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.	Library Library Room 2
January 17	Cakes for the Queen of Heaven	Wednesday	6:00 p.m.	Commons
January 18	Worship Circle	Thursday	7:30 p.m.	Room 6
January 19	New Member Potluck "An Inconvenient Truth"	Friday	6:30 p.m. 7:00 p.m.	Commons Unity Church
January 20	Men's Discussion Group Green Sanctuary	Saturday	10:00 a.m. 10:30 a.m.	Library Room 11
January 21	Betty Antosz Reception UU 101 Living with Depression	Sunday	12:15 p.m. 12:30 p.m. 4:00 p.m.	Commons Jill's Office Room 6