# Sunday Services January 2011

#### January 2 - The Three Marys

**Dottie Yeatman** 

#### January 9 - The Good/Bad Old Days

John Wright

Were the "good old days" really all that good? Was there a time when life was so very much better than it is today? As we enter a new year, John will reflect on our tendency to selectively look at the past, and what that could mean for our "now".

John received his Master of Divinity degree from the Starr King School for the Ministry, the Unitarian Universalist Seminary in Berkeley, California. His particular field of specialization is pastoral care surrounding death and loss. John now serves as Consulting Minister to the UUFS.

### January 16 – Youth Violence; Causes, Consequences and Interventions

Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Sunday

Dr. Mark Bowen

A former Middle School Teacher and Assistant Principal, Dr. Bowen has held the positions of Elementary School Principal and Supervisor of Instruction and Supervisor of Student Services at the District Level. He recently served as a Deputy Sheriff with the Worcester County Sheriff's Office, where he taught DARE and was responsible for Community and Youth programs, as well as performing all duties related to the Patrol Division. He left that position with the rank of Deputy First Class. Currently, Dr. Bowen is the Director of Gang Intelligence for the State of Maryland. He also serves as a National Consultant on Gang Prevention, Intervention and Suppression to the Department of Homeland Security and the Institute for Intergovernmental Research.

### January 23

Wes Davis

Wes Davis is a singer/songwriter/musician, independent recording artist, college instructor, writer, speaker, mediator and consultant. Formerly an ordained minister and pastor, Wes now communicates from a non-sectarian, non-religious perspective. He seeks to inform and inspire, drawing upon universal wisdom and often challenging our unexamined, conventional assumptions about life.

## January 30 – Those Wacky Transcendentalists

John Wright

An important period in Unitarian history was the Transcendentalist movement. Luminaries of the movement were important intellectuals of the 19th century, and continue to exert their influence even today. But they were also considered a rather odd bunch. In this service John will consider not only the message, but also the messengers of Transcendentalism.