

Sunday UU Programs – September 2009

September 6 - ***Water Communion Ceremony***

Led by Karen Goyer

As we begin our new program year, our worship will include the UU “Water Communion”. We invite you to bring a small amount of water that is a reflection of a meaningful place or event of significance to you this year. The source of the water might be almost anything-- let your imagination have wings. We will blend our offerings of water as symbolic of our joining ourselves in community to begin a new year.

September 13 - Wes Davis

Wes Davis is a rock musician, songwriter, businessman, freelance speaker and writer. He is a popular local entertainer and his varied background includes extensive studies in spiritual traditions. His personal evolution has brought him to an approach that embraces both the mystical and the rational. Wes has been a teacher and counselor to people from all walks of life, including many in our own community. He speaks of universal human wisdom with humor and insight and seeks to make every moment a celebration of life.

September 20 - ***Peace One Day***

John Wright

In 1999, British filmmaker Jeremy Gilley began a quest to bring about a day when all wars would stop for 24 hours. As a consequence of his efforts, the United Nations has designated September 21 as the International Day of Peace. In our service this Sunday John Wright will focus on the peace making work Gilley has done, some of the challenges to that work, and how our Unitarian Universalist principles call us to join in this quixotic, often frustrating, but ultimately vitally important work.

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.

September 27 – Native Americans Odette Wright