



**This Week's Service**



**Sunday, January 10<sup>th</sup> at 10:30 am**

**Rev. David is out of the pulpit this Sunday.** In a week when our nation has seen a violent insurrection at the Capitol, we encourage you to make a virtual visit to one of our UU national treasures, the flagship multi-racial, multi-cultural, justice-centered congregation of **All Souls Church, Unitarian in Washington, DC.** The stated topic is Reparations, but it won't be surprising if events of this week are addressed. We hope you will enjoy the service there, created with all the resources of a strong large congregation.

**For the Zoom link, visit the All Souls website on Sunday morning, where you'll find a red "Join Us On Zoom" button.**

**Here's the website link: [All Souls Church Unitarian \(all-souls.org\)](http://all-souls.org)**

**Last Sunday's Service Recap: Imagining UUCOB:**

Last Sunday, we created a "word cloud" together, inviting people to share a few words about things they're looking forward to when we gather in person again, as a way toward imagining what we want the future of our congregation to be. It was a fun exercise, and we thought you might like to see the result. Here it is:



**News & Notes**



**Drop-In Office Time With Rev. David**  
**Friday, January 8<sup>th</sup> – 10:00 am to noon**

Are you feeling stressed, upset, or alarmed at events in the news? Do you have something happening in your life that you'd like to share? Do you have questions, or news, about how our congregation as a whole is doing these days? Just miss visiting with UUCOB friends? Rev. David will host open, drop-in virtual office hours this Friday, January 8th from 10 AM to 12 noon. Stop by and visit for a few minutes or more! Here's the link:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85464954721> Meeting ID: 854 6495 4721

**Join by phone (audio only): +1 929 205 6099**



**Upcoming UUCOB Board Meeting**  
**Thursday, January 14 at 6:00 pm.**

Meetings are open to members of the congregation. If you would like to attend or if you have something you would like to share, contact **Jennifer Gilbreath** at [jenniferatuucob@gmail.com](mailto:jenniferatuucob@gmail.com) or **David Molher** at [dwmolher.dm@gmail.com](mailto:dwmolher.dm@gmail.com).

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For a list of our current Board members: [UUCOB Board](#)

**Rev. David's Quote of the Week**

**Influential Unitarian minister A. Powell Davies, whose sermons for All Souls Unitarian Church in Washington, DC in the 1940s and 50s were often published in the Washington Post and elsewhere, wrote:**

"America's real religion is the world's real religion: the only religion that can save us and heal our dissensions. For the faith upon which democracy is based is the victory of truth over superstition, of liberty over servitude, of the universal over the provincial, of love over fear."

The violent mob which President Trump directed to the US Capitol this week was not the last gasp of totalitarianism, falsehood, and white supremacist hatred in America, but it was a clear and unambiguous demonstration of the future of our nation if we do not embrace and advance the "real religion" Davies speaks of. May we all find the encouragement and inspiration we need to strengthen our commitment to that faith, and to creating a democratic world community with peace, liberty, and justice for all.

**Share the Plate – December**



**One half of all Sunday morning offerings will be donated to...**

**Outer Banks Cancer Support Group** –providing moral support to cancer survivors and their families and transportation to and from nearby treatment facilities.

**To donate: Visit our website: [www.uucob.org](http://www.uucob.org) and click on the DONATE button.** After you specify the amount, you will have the option to select "Sunday Morning Offering"

**UUCOB Member Spotlight on...**



**Donna Mohler**

**How long have you lived in the Outer Banks?** 2 ½ years

**Besides the Outer Banks, where else have you lived?**

NJ, MD, CA, DE, IN, SC

**Talkin' bout your generation. Your Age Range?** 55 to 64

**My family consists of:** My husband David and my daughter Emily.

**Occupations and/or volunteer work:** Psych Nurse, Health Care Administrator, Community Health Education, School Program Instructor, Guardian ad litem

**Favorite leisure activities, hobbies, interests are:** Reading, Cooking, Walking, Puzzles.

**For me, the UUCOB is...**my current UU home.

**Please include any Board position you have held or any volunteer work you have been a part of at UUCOB.** Children's Religious Education Program Coordinator, Program Committee



**Looking for participants for Spotlight column**

It just takes a minute or two to click this link [UUCOB Members & Friends Q & A](#), and answer a few questions. Then, at the end of the form, simply click "submit". Thanks!