Dates to Remember...

April 2012

Apr 29 Lasagna Lunch

May 2012

- May 6 "It's Just A Game" or Living by Principle:

 My Experiences as a Hockey Coach

 Cameron Linton S.L. Sandra Watson
- May 8 Niagara Time Bank Mtg. 7:00 p.m. @ UCN
- May 13 The Transguy Next Door

-Michael Sherman S.L. Ed Gilbert

- May 13 Collection for the My Name Fund
 (See UCN May Newsletter for information)
- May 18 UCN Film Night -7:00 p.m. @ UCN
- May 20 Gardening Theology Valerie Jaeger
- May 20 Newsletter Deadline Submissions to sofia.vuorinen@3web.net and solution@vaxxine.com
- May 27 LGBTTIQQ2A youth...it's more than alphabet soup Stephanie Vail S.L. Joan Wiley

June 2012

June 2 Retreat, Reflection and Visioning

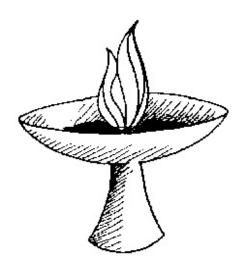
Facilitator: David Jordan Ph.D. (Contact: karenhosein@yahoo.ca by May 6 to attend)

June 3 Church Picnic

FRAGRANCE-FREE POLICY

The Unitarian Congregation of Niagara is a fragrance-free zone. Fragrance may be distressful and threaten the well-being of those around you. In order to make this a safe and welcoming environment for everyone who comes here, we ask that you refrain from wearing fragrances. Your understanding and co-operation is appreciated.

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Order of Service Sunday, April 29, 2012

Speaker/Service Leader: Ju

Judith Barker

Musician:

Theresa Pothier

Choir Director:

Penny Blake

<u>Prelude</u>

Welcome

Announcements

Opening Words:

Come into this place of peace and let its silence heal your spirit;

Come into this place of memory and let its history warm your soul.

Come into this place of prophecy and power And let its vision change your heart.

(William F. Schulz)

Chalice Lighting:

"Life is a gift for which we are grateful. We gather in community to celebrate the glories and the mysteries of this great gift."

(Marjorie Montgomery)

Opening Hymn: #318 "We Would Be One"

Offertory

Responsive Reading:

#464

"And then"

- Judy Chicago

Choir:

"In Terra Pax" – Judy Chicago

Address:

"Creative Conflict"

Questions and Comments

Closing Hymn:

#311 "Let It Be a Dance"

Extinguishing the Chalice:

"We extinguish this flame but not the light of truth,

the warmth of community, or the fire of commitment.

These we carry in our hearts until we are together again." (Elizabeth Selle Jones)

Postlude:

 $(Please\ remain\ seated\ during\ postlude,\ then\ join\ us$

for coffee and conversation.)

Joys and Concerns