## Dates to Remember...

#### December 2017

- **Dec.** 10 Adopt a Senior donation deadline. Questions?? Contact Brenda Stewart at 905-934-1566.
- **Dec. 12 Board Meeting** -1:30 p.m. at the Church
- Dec. 15 January Newsletter Submission Deadline
  (Earlier submission is always most appreciated, too.)

   riseingcarol@gmail.com
- **Dec. 17** A Unitarian Christmas sermon by Rev. Steven A. Protzman
- **Dec.** 17 Special December Coffee Hour Bring a favourite Christmas treat ... either sweet or savoury!
- Dec. 24 Christmas Eve Karen Stovell, 5:00 p.m.
- Dec. 31 Singing Meditation Penny Blake

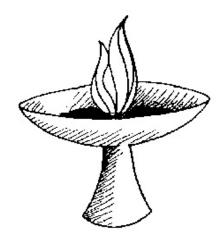
## January 2018

- Jan. 7 Unitarianism in the Early 1800s: A Sermon by William Ellery Channing
- Jan. 14 Krystal Snider from YWCA
- Jan. 21 Speaking My Truth Karen Stovell
- Jan. 21 February Newsletter Submission Deadline
  - $-\,riseing carol@gmail.com$
- Jan. 28 Valerie Martin topic to be advised

#### 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.

# Unitarian Congregation of Niagara



Video Sermon: 3<sup>rd</sup> Principle

- Phillip Baber, UUC of Jacksonville, Florida

**December 10, 2017** 

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# Order of Service Sunday, December 10, 2017

Service Leader: Eva Schwartzentruber

Speaker: Phillip Baber Musician: Theresa Pothier

Prelude Piano selection – Theresa Pothier

Welcome and Introduction

Chalice Lighting

Opening Words: #434b Anonymous

May we know once again that we are not isolated beings but connected, in mystery and miracle, to the universe, to this community, and to each other.

Hymn: # 360 Here We Have Gathered

Joys and Concerns

Story for All Ages Karen Stovell

Offering

Address: Video Sermon, Phillip Baber

**UUC Jacksonville, Florida on** 

the 3<sup>rd</sup> Principle

**Moment of Meditation** 

**Discussion and Comments** 

**Hymn:** #6 **Just As Long As I Have Breath** 

Extinguishing the Chalice

Closing Words

<u>Announcements</u>

Postlude: Piano Selection – Theresa Pothier

(Please remain seated.)

Please join us for coffee and conversation.

If you are able, please stack your own chair before getting coffee.