

# One Island Family July 28, 2021 Weekly E-letter

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Weekly E-Letter Deadline: Tuesday 5 p.m. Sunday Announcements Deadline: Thursday Noon

All One Island Family activities and events at the Fellowship Hall can be viewed at the following link: [calendar](#)

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## One Island Family SUMMER GATHERINGS:

**SUNDAY, AUGUST 1** at 11 a.m. Join us for a leisurely stroll through the garden (that is, Key West Tropical Forest and Botanical Garden, 5201 College Road). For a healthy outdoor place to get together, join us at 11 a.m. at the visitor center. Bring your personal supply of water and sun protection. Free to locals on the 1st Sunday of the month.

**FRIDAY, AUGUST 20** HAPPY HOUR 5-7 pm. Can you find your way home? That is, can you make your way back to our One Island Family sanctuary, 801 Georgia St. for a casual social gathering? Please bring something to share- a finger food or a beverage for time to reconnect with good friends and catch up on news and views.

**SUNSET WATCHING-** Saturday evenings meet one hour before sunset at Fort Zach for harbor viewing. Weather permitting, we meet for sunset and quiet conversation under the trees. Bring a beach chair and a non-alcoholic drink (park rules) of your choice.

Contact Marilyn Smith or Joy Taylor with any questions about any of these Summer Gatherings, or to help with planning our September events.

## ONE ISLAND FAMILY NEWS:

**Our One Island Family Board** meets on Tuesday, August 17 at 12 noon in our sanctuary. Anyone with items for the agenda, please contact Marilyn Smith. All members and friends of One Island Family are welcome.

### COMMUNITY NEWS:

**The Community Foundation of the Florida Keys** is now accepting registrations for its 2021 Leadership Success Academy, a "boot camp" for nonprofit board members, set for August 19 & 20 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the Tennessee Williams Theatre in Key West, 5901 College Rd. Contact Marilyn Smith for more information.

### ONE ISLAND FAMILY CARING CONNECTORS:

**Debby Palmisano** called to tell us that she will be receiving out-patient cancer treatments through the UC Health Barrett Cancer Center, an outstanding teaching hospital near her home in Cincinnati. (To send messages of hope and support, her home address is 8521 Wyoming Club Dr., Cincinnati, OH 45215.)

**Nancy Forrester** has a long time friend who's coming back to the states from Nepal and who needs to rent a room. (Call Nancy at 305-294-0015)

Nancy also accepts donations of clean brown paper grocery bags to line the cages of the rescued parrots in her care at Nancy's Secret Garden. Leave any donations quietly on the porch- please do not disturb. 518 Elizabeth Street ☐

### **EQUALITY FLORIDA NOTICE:**

Equality Florida fights year after year to ensure that Florida continues to become a truly equal place for our LGBTQ community. It is important, now more than ever, to get involved in the fight for equal rights. That is why we are proud to share that we are hiring a South Florida Field Organizer! We are looking for someone who has a passion towards progressing Florida forward with LGBTQ rights.

Our South Florida Field Organizer will be responsible for recruiting volunteers, managing events, hosting Days of Action for the election cycle, and more! They will work to create a network of leaders and volunteers to mobilize in the South Florida region and to increase Equality Florida's visibility and presence.

If you or someone you know is interested in applying to be a part of Equality Florida's Field Department, please apply on our website at <https://www.eqfl.org/careers-view-page>.

In Equality, Wes Davis, Field Director

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### **UU CHURCH OF TARPON SPRINGS :**

Hello dear UU friends in KW,

Donna McBurney of our Tarpon Springs congregation is in charge of our "little dresses for Africa " program. We sew little dresses and deliver or send them for needy families all over the world. Donna was wondering if there are needy children in KW who might benefit. Please reply directly to Donna. She would need a contact organization for distribution. Thanks...love...Diana

(This email note is from our dear friend and former One Island Family board president, Diana Reif. Joy Taylor is reaching out to the Key West community !)