

One Island Family January 16, 2019 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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SUNDAY SERVICES IN JANUARY:

11 AM

January 20, 2019 - "American-ahh, The Spirit in Folk Music" by "Rev Faerie" Elaine Silver.

Elaine Silver is a seasoned and consummate musician. She is an accomplished singer, songwriter, touring and recording artist. She is well-known in her original home state as "The Folk Music Queen of New Jersey," and since moving to Florida in 2000, she has developed her passion of metaphysics into a Musical Ministry.

January 27, 2019- "Cultural Travel in Asia" by Sanling and Greg Ran.

Followed by One Island Family's Annual Congregational Meeting and "Stone Soup" lunch. We request that you bring a vegetable to add to or brimming pot of veggie broth. Fresh bread and a dessert will be provided.

STONE SOUP RETURNS!

Our Annual Meeting is coming up on January 27. As is our tradition, we will be offering Stone Soup for lunch immediately following the service and before the meeting.

For those unfamiliar with this, we provide vegetable stock and ask everyone to bring a favorite veggie to add to the steaming pot. The Fellowship will also provide breads, desserts and the usual beverages. Any questions, see Joy.

MLK Jr March. Jan 21 met at the MLK Pool, 300 Catherine, corner of Thomas at 4:30. March kicks off at 5:00 pm. Watch for more info to come on church service after the March.

CHINESE NEW YEAR CELEBRATION 2019:

Join us as we usher in the Year of the Pig! Hosted again by our own Sanling, here are the details:

where: China Garden West Downtown,

531 Fleming St, Key West

when: 5:30PM, Sunday, February 3

cost: \$26 per person (includes gratuity, excludes beverage)

MUST RESERVE and PREPAY BY 1/27 !!

We can accommodate up to 40 folks--first come, first serve sign up is in the coffee area or contact jbt22ster@gmail.com (Joy Taylor) with your name, contact info and number in your party.

Highway Clean up. A large group, 13 people from OIF, set out and cleaned up US 1 Overseas Highway from mile marker 14 to 16 on Saturday Jan 12. The group rounded up 149 lbs of trash and 60 lbs of recyclables. Being out in the sun for several hours was exhausting but we got the job done. Thank you all - Great Job!

Attention Members and Friends:

Your Program Coordinators (Claire Hurd, Marilyn Smith and Joy Taylor) continue to work to schedule throughout the spring months of 2019.

If you have an idea for a lay-led service; if you have a favorite local 501(c) 3, the director of which you would like to make a presentation; if you have a favorite pastor/religious leader who might like to visit the Keys and share a message with us, contact any one of us!

UU's WHO LUNCH- will be gathering on Tuesday, January 29 at 1:00 at Camille's restaurant, 1202 Simonton St, Key West. All are welcome! Come 5 minutes early so we can announce how large a group we will be for seating.

Social Justice Activities. Topics include Truth to Power Anniversary Event on Jan 19th, Keys Immigrant Coalition – Monroe County anti immigrant actions, and Dismantling Racism Workshop, Feb 8-10.

Martin Luther King, Jr. Day. OIF has had a strong showing at this even every year so on Monday, January 21, 2019, let's join together for prayer, fellowship, and inspiration at the ninth annual Martin Luther King, Jr. Legacy Scholarship Prayer Breakfast. Our bodies will be fed with a full, hot breakfast served at 8 am. Our spirits will be nourished with the commanding words of Rev. Dr. Gaston E. Smith, Senior Pastor of Friendship Missionary Baptist Church of Miami, Florida. Tickets are \$35 each and are available from our partner churches.

For tickets or more information contact:

Treasurer: Carl Schutze carlschutze@yahoo.com

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Key West NOW announces:

1) Roe v. Wade vigil on Tuesday, Jan 22, at 5:00 p.m. Meet at the NW corner of N. Roosevelt and Palm Ave. Bring friends and bring signs. "We are celebrating legalized abortion for 46 years and pledging to keep it safe, accessible and legal."

2) Connie Gilbert Scholarship Fundraiser (2nd annual) on February 16th from 1-4 pm, in the Blue Room at the Bottle Cap (1128 Simonton Street). "We will again be raising money to offer an educational scholarship to a local woman. If you or someone you know would like to donate for the silent auction, please contact Lizzy Hoke at kwnowinfo@gmail.com."

One Island Family Southernmost
UU Congregation Presents:

"Rev. Faerie" Elaine Silver
In a Mid-Winter Celebration
of Love and Light
Saturday, January 19
6:30pm

One Island Family
Southernmost UU Congregation
801 Georgia Street
Key West, FL • 305.296.4369

\$20 per person includes
a Complimentary CD
or Download Card.
(No one turned away)

James Alexander on bass ukulele.

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Dan's Cans. Dan is a young man with a disability. Despite his disability he is working. Dan collects aluminum cans, crushes them and takes them to the recycling center turning them in for cash. OIF supports Dan with a collection bin for aluminum cans. You may have seen the "garbage" can with a can size hole in the top setting halfway up our ramp to the apartment/handicap entrance. You can help Dan by putting your aluminum cans in Dan's collection barrel. More about Dan and his picture at <http://dancans.net/> Thank you for supporting Dans.

Tuesday, 5:30pm - All are welcome to join the sangha in mindfulness meditation, sitting and walking, in the tradition of Vietnamese teacher Thich Nhat Hanh.