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WEEKLY E-LETTER, MAY 9, 2025

MAY AND JUNE SERVICES AT ONE ISLAND FAMILY:

MAY

11 Rev. Doug Slagle "How to Genuinely Honor Mom (and Dad)."

Join Rev. Doug as he encourages moving beyond annual holidays that supposedly appreciate mom and dad. Instead, he will suggest ways to authentically love any parent every day of the year.

18 Queer Keys

The political realignment in 2025 presents a significant challenge to LGBTQIA+ Americans, particularly our most marginalized community members. Join Chris McNulty from Queer Keys for a lesson and discussion about queer identities in 2025 and how we can build a more resilient community.

25 Annual on site potluck picnic with SHARING of thoughts and plans and SOMETHING POTLUCK-ISH.

JUNE

1 Rev. Bob Murphy "Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion."

The first day of hurricane season. Unitarian Universalists work with others to provide safe places. We defend community programs for diversity, equity, and inclusion. Why are these concerns important in our faith tradition?

THIS WILL BE THE LAST REGULAR SERVICE OF OUR SEASON.

Thereafter One Island Family will ease into the 'off months' for our local community.

Have an idea for a fun get-together? First Sunday/free day excursion for locals?

Picnic at Ft. Zach? UU's who lunch date?

Reach out to oneislandfamily@gmail.com and let us know!

We welcome our **UUA AFFILIATE MINISTERS** on a regular basis:

Rev. Bob Murphy and Rev. Doug Slagle

Our service this week, presented by our Affiliate Minister, Rev. Doug Slagle, will be "How to Genuinely Honor Mom (and Dad)."

Doug will be in person at One Island Family, AND we plan to Zoom the service as well, we will do that at this **Zoom link**, beginning at 11:00 a.m. Feel free to join us!

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/6164793132?pwd=am5Cb3puRkFGOU8vNTAvbjRHSVZWZz09>

FROM BREAD AND ROSES:



Amelia was definitely in the "Bread and Roses" mood for Rev. Bob and Lyn last week--complete with apron 😊

Sunshine Cluster's Climate Justice Revival



Reimagine Together From An Extractive Age To A New Era

In the midst of overlapping climate crises & mounting social injustice, we are in a time of great change and profound anxiety.

The UUA Climate Justice Revival is a time to come together and commit to a vision for a flourishing future for Planet Earth, with actions we can take to make that vision a reality!

The UUA Climate Justice Revival will equip you to enter into a new era of climate justice, faithfully dismantling silos and transforming our congregations at the intersection of climate and justice.

Together, we can move past systems and cultures of extraction to usher in a new era with love and justice at the center.

We will be celebrating all of creation and recommitting our care and protection to nurture Mother Earth.

Saturday, May 31, 2025, 1pm, Free, Zoom

To register and for information email your name and congregation to sunshinecluster2023@gmail.com



Facilitated by
RevAmy Carol Webb
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Minister
River of Grass Unitarian Universalist Congregation

PRIDE PARADE

One Island Family will be marching in the 2025 Pride Parade Jun 29. Assembly for the parade is at Truman Annex. We'll have a golf cart available so you can get a ride. The Parade kicks off at 7:00PM so we'll all need to be there a bit earlier. More details later. Please mark your calendar to reserve the date.



Link for more information: <https://gaykeywestfl.com/pride/>

CORRECTION FROM NANCY 3. HOFFMAN:

The link from the May Newsletter about my song in New York should be:

<https://youtu.be/ufP7g4y1Oh4?si=qCk0FSHAazwZG5IA&t=150>

The one that you got was KlezZombies, done by my Klezmer Band, The Casco Bay Tumblers. So that was relevant, too, but in the wrong place. Apologies if you were mixed up. I was.

EMAIL CHANGE:

Please note, that we are phasing out our *uufkw@yahoo.com* email.

Emails to contact our office are either office@oneislandfamily.org or oneislandfamily@gmail.com.

OUR CLASS SCHEDULE (USE OF FACILITY) IS CURRENTLY:

Jan Bergh	Mindfulness Meditation Sangha	TUE	5.30 PM
Carl Ferrette	Yoga	MON, THU	6.00 PM
Mike Mulligan	Mindful Movement	TUE, THU	10 AM
Marjorie Paul-Shook	Gentle Pilates	WED, SAT	10 AM

OUR LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT ADOPTED 11/10/24

WE ACKNOWLEDGE THAT THE LAND THAT ONE ISLAND FAMILY NOW STANDS ON AND THE WATERS SURROUNDING KEY WEST, WERE THE TRADITIONAL HOMES UNDER THE STEWARDSHIP OF THE MASCOGO, SEMINOLE, TEQUESTA, CALUSA AND TAINO PEOPLES. WE COMMIT TO SHARING THE HERITAGE OF OUR UNIQUE FLORIDA KEYS ENVIRONMENT, AND TO PROMOTING ITS PRESERVATION FOR FUTURE GENERATIONS



We welcome diversity of race, color, ethnicity, national origin, culture, citizenship status, sexual orientation, sex, gender identity, gender expression, family status, religious background, socioeconomic status, education, political perspective, age, and abilities.



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