

Thursday 2:00pm - 3:30pm

— Orientation —

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Centre des congrès 2000D

#1001 **General Assembly Orientation**

Planning Committee

Welcome to Quebec City and GA 2002! Come learn more about our host city and how to navigate through the often-overwhelming GA schedule. All questions answered! We will also feature information about GA Plenary Sessions and the Commission on Social Witness (CSW) process. Recommended for first-timers and GA veterans alike!

*Speakers: Marc Loustau
Chris Trace*

Centre des congrès 302B

#1009 **Mountain Desert District**

Centre des congrès 205B

#1010 **New Hampshire/ Vermont and Northeast Districts**

Centre des congrès 203

#1011 **Ohio-Meadville District**

Centre des congrès 204A

#1012 **Pacific Southwest District**

Centre des congrès 301A

#1013 **Prairie Star District**

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#1014 **St. Lawrence District**

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#1015 **Thomas Jefferson District**

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#1016 **Western Canada District**

— Annual Meeting —

Thursday 3:45pm - 5:00pm
Centre des congrès 206A

#1017 **Young Adult Caucus Orientation**

Continental UU Young Adult Network

Come find out what the movers and shakers in the 18-35 year old age range think of the issues being tackled on the plenary floor. A forum to discuss, debate, pool knowledge and determine whether to take a stand as concerned individuals or as a caucus.

*Speakers: Miles Erickson
Catherine Blue*

— Orientation —

Thursday 3:45pm - 5:00pm
Centre des congrès 2000D

#1018 **Inside Scoop for Delegates – New and Old**

Commission on Social Witness

Learn about the UUA social witness process (SOC, SAI, AIW) at GA. Find out what happens at each plenary and what to do between plenaries (Mini-assemblies, offering amendments, workshops) to get the most out of GA and be an effective delegate representing your congregation. Bring your questions, ideas, and concerns.

Speakers: Chris Trace

Rev. Jan Carlsson-Bull

— Orientation —

Thursday 3:45pm - 5:00pm
Centre des congrès 208AB

#1019 **GA Choir Orientation**

Planning Committee

Join the GA Choir! This session will be used to meet directors and accompanists, organize the choir, discuss plans for the closing celebration and begin to learn the music. Directors are Dan Boyce from Bloomfield Hills, MI and Sally B. Murphy from Victoria, BC. Accompanists are Sandra Hunt from Montreal, QC and Leon Burke from St. Peters, MO.

— Orientation —

Thursday 3:45pm - 5:00pm
Centre des congrès 205C

#1020 **Accessibility Orientation**

Volunteer Committee

An Introduction to the Assembly site for those with accessibility concerns. We will talk about the accessibility of GA, how volunteers are available for assistance, and other service offered for persons with disabilities by the hotels and the Convention Centre.

*Speakers: Doris Matthey
Alyce McAdam*

Thursday 3:45pm - 5:00pm

— District In-Gathering —

Centre des congrès 302A

#1002 **Ballou Channing District**

Centre des congrès 204B

#1003 **Central Midwest District**

Centre des congrès 207

#1004 **Clara Barton District**

Centre des congrès 304AB

#1005 **Florida District**

Centre des congrès 206B

#1006 **Joseph Priestley District**

Centre des congrès 205A

#1007 **Metro New York District**

Centre des congrès 201ABC

#1008 **Mid-South District**

Thursday 3:45pm - 6:15pm

— Orientation —

Thursday 3:45pm - 6:15pm
Centre des congrès 2000C

#1021 **Youth Caucus Orientation and Business Meeting**

Young Religious UUs

This orientation is for all youth and their sponsors. It will include rules, meeting times, the workings of youth caucus, and youth caucus business. We will also be having a Pizza dinner after the meeting for all youth and their sponsors.

Speaker: Nat Balder

Thursday 6:00pm - 6:45pm

Thursday 6:00pm - 6:45pm
Centre des congrès 2000B

#1022 **Banner Carriers**

Planning Committee

Everyone participating in the banner parade should bring banner and poles (not bags or purses, if possible). There is help for assembling the poles, and some poles for sale. Please wear sturdy shoes.

Thursday 7:00pm - 9:00pm

— Opening Celebration —

Thursday 7:00pm - 9:00pm
Centre des congrès 200ABC

#1023 **Opening Celebration and Plenary I**

Planning Committee

Come! Feel the energy of so many UUs in one room, together - singing, parading, listening, learning. Begin four days of seeing old friends, making new ones, setting policy by voting in plenary, being exposed to new ways of thinking in exciting workshops and enjoying many different exhibits. Let's get started!

Thursday 9:30pm-12:00am

— Dance —

Thursday 9:30pm - 12:00am
Lowes Le Concorde Ballroom

#1024 **Opening Dance**

Planning Committee



Come and experience music and dance at its best. Sing and swing with old friends and new, after our opening celebration. Dance with the talented popular singer Marier-Pier Barnabe and the Tuxedo Pop Trio. Greatest hits since Frank Sinatra to Celine Dion and more. Cash bar available.

EXHIBIT HALL HOURS

Thursday 12:00 noon - 6:00pm
Friday 12:00 noon - 6:00pm
Saturday 12:00 noon - 5:00pm
Sunday 12:00 noon - 7:00pm
Monday 9:00am - 3:00pm

Centre des congrès Exhibit Hall A

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REGISTRATION OPEN

❖ 12:00 noon - 7:00pm ❖
Centre des congrès, Main Lobby

Friday 7:00am - 7:30am

— Worship —

Friday 7:00am - 7:30am
Radisson Buade

#2001 **Morning Spiritual Practices (Friday)**

Planning Committee

For those who enjoy beginning each day in a spiritual way, come join in as our chaplains lead us in a variety of spiritual practices.

Friday 8:00am-8:30am

— Worship — 

Friday 8:00am-8:30am
Centre des congrès 200ABC

#2002 **Friday Morning Worship**

Planning Committee

Join in the spirit of worship and community at this all-GA worship service. The worship leader is the Rev. Ray Drennan, Minister of the Unitarian Church of Montreal, QC, Canada. His subject: "Our Forgotten Francophone Founder."

Speaker: Rev. Ray Drennan

Rev. Ray Drennan

— Plenary —

Friday 8:30am -12:00pm
Centre des congrès 200ABC

#2003 **Plenary II**

Planning Committee

Come to Plenary and participate in the business of the UUA, as either a delegate or an observer. Hear reports from the President of the UUA, the Board of Trustees, and the Finance Committee. There is also a session on Beacon Press. Refer to the Agenda book for details on the specific items to be addressed today.

Rev. William Sinkford & Diane Olson

Friday 12:45pm-2:00pm

— Annual Meeting —

Friday 12:45pm-2:00pm
Hilton Le Villieray

#2004 **Aspire Ministry Students Open House and Annual Meeting**

ASPIRE (Ministerial Students)

Ingathering and Annual Meeting for members and all interested UU ministry students. This will be an Open House with refreshments and conversation. All are welcome. There will be a brief Annual Meeting and Election of Officers.

*Speakers: Margaret Beckman
Lyn Burton*

— Annual Meeting — 

Friday 12:45pm - 2:00pm
Centre des congrès 303A

#2005 **Articulating (Y)our Faith**

Continental UU Young Adult Network
Articulating (Y)OUR Faith is a curriculum designed to help UUs of all ages, particularly young adults and youth, talk about Unitarian Universalism knowledgeably in response to questions that are sometimes challenging or difficult to answer.

*Speakers: Rev. Jaco ten Hove
Rev. Barbara Wells*

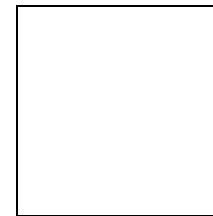
— Lecture — 

Friday 12:45pm-2:00pm
Centre des congrès 301B

#2006 **Out of Context: Unitarian Theology Across Cultures**

Int'l Council Unitarians&Universalists
At a landmark symposium in 2001, Unitarian theologians from the UK, Transylvania, India, Canada, and the USA discussed how theology has developed in their historical, cultural, and social contexts. We will show video from the symposium and discuss the implications for American Unitarian Universalism. Program Repeats Saturday at 9:00am.

Speaker: Rev. Jill McAllister





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FRIDAY EXHIBIT HALL HOURS
❖12:00 noon-6:00pm❖
Convention Centre Exhibit Hall A

Friday 8:30am - 12:00pm

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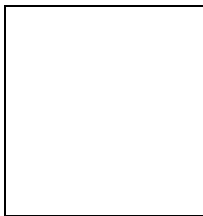
— Lecture —

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Centre des congrès 2000A

#2007 **Spirituality, the Environment, and Future Generations**

UU Network on Indigenous Affairs
Oren Lyons, traditional Faith keeper of the Turtle Clan of the Onondaga, draws on his traditional knowledge and life experience to speak about stewardship and the higher laws which keep our world in balance. Chief Lyons is recognized in the US and Canada as a respected spokesperson on behalf of indigenous people.

Speaker: *Oren Lyons*



Oren Lyons

— Lecture —

Friday 12:45pm - 2:00pm
Centre des congrès 304AB

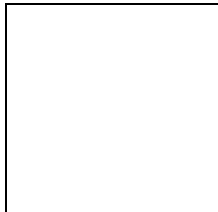
#2008 **Taking Retirement: A Beginner's Diary**

UU Retired Ministers & Partners Ass'n
Carl Klaus, retired professor of nonfiction writing (University of Iowa) and author of the Beacon Press book, *Taking Retirement*, offers highlights from his experience of confronting the deeply disconcerting issues, posed by retirement, of identity and mortality. Books will be available for purchase and signing by author.

Speakers: *Prof. Carl H. Klaus*
Emily Melcher



Prof. Carl H. Klaus



Emily Melcher

— Performance —

Friday 12:45pm - 2:00pm
Centre des congrès 2000D

#2009 **The Creative Connection**

Planning Committee Sponsored

In this inspiring performance of song, movement, and poetry, singer/song-writer Emily Melcher demon-strates and discusses how we can use our creativity to connect with ourselves and each other, grow as individuals, share ourselves with one another, and foster community in our UU congregations.

— Workshop —

Friday 12:45pm - 2:00pm
Centre des congrès 206A

#2010 **Are You Ready for an Administrator?**

Association of UU Administrators

Explore the process for the small/midsize church of hiring the first church administrator including: benefit to church, position requirements, advertising to find the right person, and job description. The nuts and bolts information on setting up a church office and hiring an administrator.

— Workshop —

Friday 12:45pm - 2:00pm
Centre des congrès 302A

#2011 **Being a Board Religiously**

Board of Trustees, UUA

The UUA Board of Trustees has made a concerted effort to approach its work covenantally, striving to maintain right relations, spiritual grounding, and accountability to mission. Board members will reflect on this experience, and invite dialogue on the difficulties and rewards of creating covenantal community on a board.

Speaker: *Rev. Linda Olson Peebles*

— Workshop —

Friday 12:45pm - 2:00pm
Centre des congrès 302B

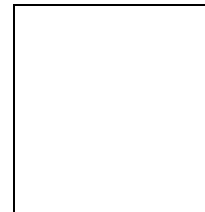
#2012 **Social Justice Endeavors With UU Children**

Religious Education Dept, UUA

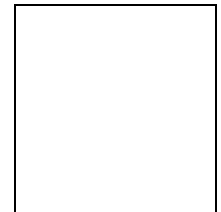
There are many ways to engage children in social justice programs. We'll explore learning activities that affirm and celebrate multicultural diversity, opportunities that promote understanding, and strategies that foster equity and justice. Come and integrate these ideas, programs, and strategies into your religious education program and UU community.

Speakers: *Jacqui James*

Rev. Pat Hoertdoerfer



Jacqui James



Rev. Pat Hoertdoerfer

— Workshop —

Friday 12:45pm - 2:00pm
Centre des congrès 2000B

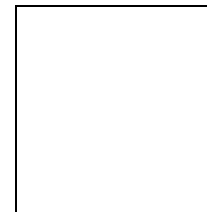
#2013 **Legacies of Catholic Childhood**

Beacon Press

Rev. Marilyn Sewell and Rev. Rosemary Bray McNatt will read their essays from their new collection, *Resurrecting Grace: Remembering Catholic Childhoods*, and offer reflections and discussion on the special legacies of Catholicism for UUs.

Speakers: *Rev. Marilyn Sewell*

Rev. Rosemary Bray McNatt



Rev. Marilyn Sewell

— Workshop —

Friday 12:45pm - 2:00pm
Centre des congrès 2001BC

#2014 **Creating Beloved Community: An Alternative Approach to Conflict**

Mountain Desert District

Conflict is inevitable in congregations but we don't always handle it well. All Souls Unitarian Church in Colorado Springs decided to try a different approach and, in an ongoing process, created a Covenant of Beloved Community. The covenant, the process, and resources will be shared in this workshop. Program Repeats Saturday at 9:00am.

Speaker: Rev. Dr. Ellen Johnson-Fay



Rev. Dr. Ellen Johnson-Fay

— Workshop —

Friday 12:45pm - 2:00pm
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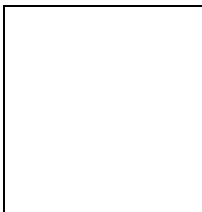
#2015 **Discovering Your Lay Ministry**

Society for the Larger Ministry

Discover a "ministerial way of being" - a way of increasing our fulfillment and effectiveness by offering ministerial presence and witness in our daily lives. Lay ministry isn't about adding a new layer of obligations to busy schedules: it's about living our priorities. Explore how living more joyfully serves others.

Speaker:

Rev. Cathleen Cox McCarroll



Rev. Cathleen Cox McCarroll

— Workshop —

Friday 12:45pm - 2:00pm
Centre des congrès 205AB

#2016 **Study/Action Issues (SAIs) for 2002-2004**

Commission on Social Witness

Advocates for the five proposed Study/Action Issues (SAIs) present their issues and answer questions. UU Congregations narrowed the field of proposed SAIs from 7 to 5. Now this is your chance to help advocates hone their presentations in preparation for the selection of the 2002-2004 SAI at Saturday morning's plenary.

Speakers: Rev. Barbara Child

Rev. Richard Nugent

— Workshop —

Friday 12:45pm - 2:00pm
Centre des congrès 201AB

#2017 **Investment Planning 101**

Compensation/Benefits/Pension Comm.

Attractive short-term and long-term investments, inside and outside the UUA Retirement Plan. Especially designed for persons who don't want to spend their lives worrying about the stock market.

Speakers: Michelle Turchetti

Rev. Ralph Mero

— Workshop —

Friday 12:45pm - 2:00pm
Centre des congrès 201C

#2018 **Black Empowerment Controversy Video History Project**

Massachusetts Bay District

The project is now two years into a three-year time line. We will discuss this project to archive the Witness of first-hand participants in the events of 1967 – 1974. Where are we, what have we done, what work remains before the final presentation at the 2003 General Assembly. Program Repeats Saturday at 9:00am.

Speakers: Ronald Cordes

Mildred Seaborn

— Workshop —

Friday 12:45pm - 2:00pm
Centre des congrès 207

#2019 **The Future of Interweave**

Interweave

At Convo2002 in Las Vegas, we began revisioning Interweave and what we can offer to our members, to our chapters, to the UUA, and to the world. Come join our conversation and help shape the future of Interweave.

Speaker: Rev. Jane Dwinell

— Workshop —

Friday 12:45pm - 2:00pm
Centre des congrès 2001A

#2020 **Thinking About Ministry**

Ministry Dept, UUA

This is a workshop for those who are considering ministry as a vocation. Whether you are tentative or determined, this is your opportunity to ask questions, find out about the process, and meet others who are thinking about ministry.

Speaker: Rev. Ellen Brandenburg

— Workshop —

Friday 12:45pm - 2:00pm
Centre des congrès 203

#2021 **Between Sundays: Spiritual Self-Care for All Ages**

Church of the Larger Fellowship

Since 1944, the Church of the Larger Fellowship has helped UUs practice religion and further their religious education wherever they find themselves. A panel of CLFers will describe their experiences with distance learning, home-based RE, and flying solo as a UU. CLF's new website, Between Sundays, will be premiered.

Speaker: Betsy Hill Williams

MEDITATION ROOM

❖ Open at all times ❖

Radisson Buade Room

— Workshop —

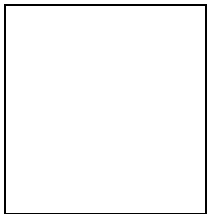
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Centre des congrès 202

#2022 **Drug Policy
Alternatives: Changing
our Failing Drug Laws**

UUs for Drug Policy Reform

Before voting on this year's drug policy Statement of Conscience, don't miss this presentation. The panelists will describe the disastrous effects of the drug war and, most importantly, a variety of realistic and compassionate alternative policies. These captivating speakers will help UUs take the most helpful course of action. Program Repeats Saturday at 9:00am.

*Speakers: Judge James Gray
Sanho Tree*



Judge James Gray



Sanho Tree

— Workshop —

Friday 12:45pm-2:00pm
Centre des congrès 205C

#2023 **Moving Apart;
Together with Joy**

Planning Committee Sponsored

July 1, 2002 brings a major change in the relationship between the CUC and the UUA. The Transition Teams will explain the by-law changes on this GA agenda, details of the transition and explore continuing connections between the UUA and the CUC.

*Speakers: Rev. Brian Kiely
Rev. Tracey Robinson-Harris*



Rev. Tracey Robinson-Harris

— Workshop —

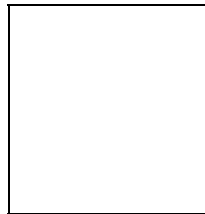
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Centre des congrès 303B

#2024 **Words for the Holy:
Writing as Spiritual
Practice**

Skinner House Books

How can your writing be a prayer? When soul is present in your writing, how do you know? How can paying attention to the particular open you to the universal and lasting? Shaffer, author of *Instructions in Joy*, a new UUA meditation manual, explores writing as spiritual practice. Repeats Sunday at 1:00pm.

*Speakers: Nancy Shaffer
Patricia Frevert*



Nancy Shaffer

— Workshop —

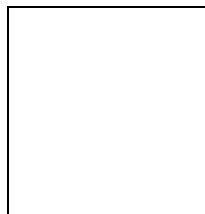
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#2025 **Celebrate 25 Years of
UU Women & Religion**

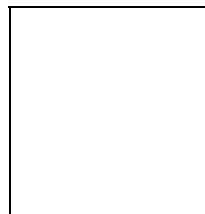
UU Women & Religion

Come celebrate the 25th anniversary of the 1977 Women and Religion Resolution which moved us to a deeper understanding of our own UU patriarchal traditions. Implementation of this radical resolution initiated by laywomen yielded a new hymnal, revised Principles, new rituals and curricula, and encouraged us to be spiritually transformed.

*Speakers: Lucile Longview
Rosemary Matson*



Lucile Longview



Rosemary Matson

— Workshop —

Friday 12:45pm - 2:00pm
Centre des congrès 204B

#2026 **Cultural Appropriation
in our Faith and
Spirituality**

Religious Education Dept, UUA

YRUU is dedicated to Anti-Racism and Anti-Oppression work. Part of that is getting a clearer understanding of how we can take part in cultural appropriation without even knowing it. This workshop will be a beginning step, for individuals and for our faith as a whole.

— Workshop —

Friday 12:45pm - 2:00pm
Centre des congrès 301A

#2027 **Model Economic
Development Programs
for Partner Churches**

Project Harvest Hope

Unitarians and Universalists in other regions of the world are often economically disadvantaged as well as a religious minority. Some North American partners have supported economic development programs with their partner congregation as way to address economic justice and long term survival. Come and learn what works and what doesn't.

*Speakers: Catherine Cordes
Rev. Rob Eller-Isaacs*

— Workshop —

Friday 12:45pm-2:00pm
Hilton Portneuf + St. Foy

#2028 **World Art and the Five
Universal Shapes**

Planning Committee Sponsored

This workshop is based on a dynamic book by Angeles Arrien. View symbols and shapes common to cultures found worldwide. Learn about their universal meanings, participate in a hands-on art activity, and discover a method for better understanding and for more effective communication.

Speaker: Amy Kindred

— Worship —

Friday 12:45pm-2:00pm
Centre des congrès 208AB

#2029 **Presentation of Skinner
Award-Winning Social
Justice Sermon**

Faith in Action Dept, UUA

Named for Clarence Skinner, this award is presented to the preacher who best expresses "the social implications of Unitarian Universalism". This year's chosen sermon, "The Law of Love," presents a Universalist critique of the death penalty. Award winner: Edmund Robinson from Wakefield, MA.

Speaker: Rev. Edmund Robinson

Friday 2:30pm-3:45pm

— Annual Meeting —

Friday 2:30pm-3:45pm
Centre des congrès 303B

#2030 **UUMPs (UU Ministers'
Partners) Annual
Meeting**

UU Ministers' Partners

Annual meeting of the UUMPs. A short business meeting followed by discussion. New partners are especially welcome.

Speaker: Mark Gibbons

— Hearing —

Friday 2:30pm-3:45pm
Centre des congrès 206B

#2031 **Beacon Press and the
UUA's Mission**

Board of Trustees, UUA

What is the role of Beacon Press in our Mission? What are the costs and benefits of maintaining our own publishing house? A panel of Administration, Beacon Press, and Board leaders will share their views and hear yours in more depth than a plenary report and discussion can afford.

*Speakers: Kay Montgomery
Larry Ladd*

— Lecture —

Friday 2:30pm-3:45pm
Centre des congrès 202

#2032 **Applying Ideas from
Process Theology in
Our Lives**

UU Process Theology Network

Five members of the Network will share stories about how their lives have been influenced by Process Theology. UU Process Theologians Adams, Hartshore, Loomer, and Weiman thought the paradigm could make a difference in how we participate in and relate to the world and God. The Network's annual meeting will follow.

*Speakers: Marge Keip
Barbara Keiller*

— Hearing —

Friday 2:30pm-3:45pm
Centre des congrès 302A

#2033 **"Is There Unity in Our
Diversity?"**

Commission on Appraisal

UUs struggle to articulate a basis for unity, conflicted and contradicted by a desire to remain "open." The new study of the Commission on Appraisal will look at the dimensions of theological diversity. Is there a common core that unites us. Come join us for discussion and input.

— Hearing —

Friday 2:30pm-3:45pm
Centre des congrès 2000A

#2034 **Mini-Assembly on
Proposed Statement of
Conscience**

Commission on Social Witness

This mini-assembly is your only opportunity to propose amendments to the proposed 2002 UUA Statement of Conscience initially entitled, "Alternatives to the War on Drugs." A copy of this document can be found on the CSW website at www.uua.org/csw and in the final GA Agenda book.

*Speakers: Chris Trace
Rev. Richard Nugent*

— Lecture —

Friday 2:30pm-3:45pm
Centre des congrès 2001A

#2035 **The Nature of Racism:
The Ideological
Perspective**

Planning Committee Sponsored

This lecture-discussion consists of three parts: an overview of the historical and ideological nature of racism, a focus on responses to the presentation and on sharing other approaches, and finally, personal witnessing about anti-racist experiences or anti-racist desires. Program Repeats Saturday at 9:00am.

*Speakers: Dr. Finley C. Campbell
Dr. Roberta Lammers-Campbell*

— Lecture —

Friday 2:30pm-3:45pm
Centre des congrès 301B

#2036 **Canadian Connections:
The Ursuline Convent
and Women's
Education**

UU Women's Federation

Learn about the Ursuline convent, the first school for girls in North America. Established in 1639 by French nuns, it still attracts students from diverse backgrounds. The nearby Marie de L'Incarnation Centre and statues symbolize the continuous connections with contemporary issues about women and education, which we can discuss.

*Speakers: Sister Gabrielle Noel
Dr. E.L. (Betty) Donaldson*

— Workshop —

Friday 2:30pm-3:45pm
Centre des congrès 201C

#2037 **What's It Really Like?**

Lambda Ministers Guild

Bisexual, gay, lesbian, and transgender (BGLT) people are accepted in our congregations. Same with BGLT clergy...right? Come hear a panel of BGLT minister talk about their experiences as UU clergy.

— Workshop — 

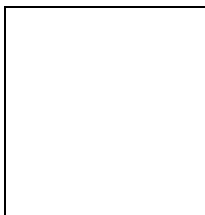
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Centre des congrès 205AB

#2038 **Congregational Endowments: Adoption, Care, and Feeding**

Development Dept, UUA

Interactive session on the purpose, administration, and fund-raising options for an endowment fund in a religious community. Designed for congregations establishing a new fund as well as those that want an existing fund to be more effective. Topics include sample bylaws, guidelines for committees and administration, bequests. Handouts and Q&A.

*Speakers: Marcy Bailey-Adams
Dr. Wayne B. Clark*



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— Workshop —

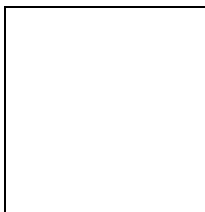
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Centre des congrès 2000D

#2039 **The Most Important Voice**

Planning Committee Sponsored

What we sing together, and how we sing it, shapes the tone and quality of worship. That's why the congregational voice is the most important voice in the service. This will be a song-filled workshop, with emphasis on how to get the most out of our UU songs and hymns.

Speaker: Joyce Poley



Joyce Poley

— Workshop —

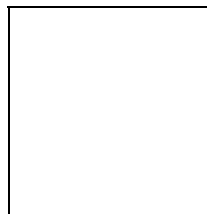
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Centre des congrès 203

#2040 **Taking Our Faith to the Market**

Communications Dept, UUA

This presentation merges the widely accepted *Customer Decision Making Path* that guides marketers of products, and the traditional steps needed to attract/assimilate newcomers into a congregation, into a presentation that helps congregational leaders employ strategic outreach and decision making techniques that will reach out to newcomers and grow congregations.

Speakers: Deborah Weiner



Deborah Weiner

— Workshop — 

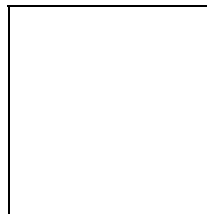
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#2041 **Introduction to Campus Lay Chaplaincy**

Cong. Dist. Ext. Services, UUA

Interested in providing an intentional and consistent spiritual and organizational presence for a campus ministry program? We will teach basic practices and functions for campus lay chaplains, focusing on practical activities and actions you can take home. Campus Chaplains may be students, lay leaders or religious professionals.

Speakers: Joseph Lyons



Joseph Lyons

— Workshop — 

Friday 2:30pm - 3:45pm
Centre des congrès 207

#2042 **Linking Our Investments with UU Principles and Purposes**

Cmte. Socially Responsible Investing

As faith-based investors, we want more than just financial returns from our investments. We want to direct our money to places where our values are recognized and acted upon. How can this linkage be made? A growing number of resources are available, but how can we sort out these ideas?

*Speakers: Jim Gunning
Lucia Santini Field*

— Workshop — 

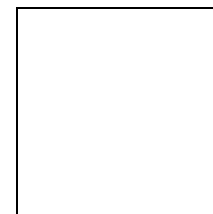
Friday 2:30pm - 3:45pm
Centre des congrès 204A

#2043 **Growth Resources for Mid-Size Congregations**

Cong. Dist. Ext. Services, UUA



Mid-size congregations face unique challenges. Learn more about negotiating size transitions and resources available from the UUA (continental and district offices). This workshop is for ministers and members of congregations with 150-550 members. UUA Growth Consultants will co-present.

Speaker: Margaret L. Beard



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— Worship —

Friday 2:30pm - 3:45pm
Hilton Courville + Montmorency

#2044 **USSS Sermon/Worship Awards, Reception and Annual Meeting**

Unitarian Sunday School Society
The Unitarian Sunday School Society invites you to its Worship Service where the 2002 award-winning Religious Education Adult Sermon and Intergenerational Worship will be presented. A reception, co-sponsored by the UUA RE Department, and the USSS Annual Meeting will directly follow the presentations.

*Speakers: Marta Valentin
Susan McCowin*

— Workshop —

Friday 2:30pm - 3:45pm
Centre des congrès 208AB

#2045 **GA Choir Rehearsal I**

Planning Committee
All singers are welcome to join the choir at this rehearsal in preparation for the Closing Celebration. The directors are Dan Boyce from Bloomfield Hills, Michigan and Sally B. Murphy from Victoria, British Columbia. The accompanists are Sandra Hunt from Montreal, Quebec and Leon Burke from St. Peters, Missouri.

— Workshop —

Friday 2:30pm - 3:45pm
Centre des congrès 2001BC

#2046 **Empowering the Oppressed: The UU Holdeen India Program**

Holdeen India Program
The UUHIP works with India's most excluded and oppressed peoples: women; dalits, so-called "untouchables" who fall outside the caste system; and the adivasis or tribals who are India's indigenous peoples, especially migrant, bonded and landless agricultural laborers. UUHIP supports their efforts to participate fully in the life of India.

*Speakers: Rev. Olivia Holmes
Katharine Sreedhar*

— Workshop —

Friday 2:30pm - 3:45pm
Centre des congrès 205C

#2047 **Let's Hear It For Fair Compensation Congregations!**

Council on Church Staff Finances
Find out how your society can be honored as a Fair Compensation Congregation, what this means, and how to make it happen. Presented by a panel of volunteer laypersons who are District Compensation Consultants.

*Speakers: Brad Brown
Ron Green*

— Workshop —

Friday 2:30pm - 3:45pm
Centre des congrès 2000B

#2048 **Strangers in a Strange Land**

Planning Committee Sponsored
Petr will ponder various aspects of being a stranger, the dilemma of alienation and intimacy. In his "musical sermon" Petr will introduce his experimental preaching style where narrations are interspersed with music. Using electric guitar, sound processors, found instruments and looping devices Petr and the audience will create a musical soundscape.

Speaker: Rev. Petr Dolak

— Workshop —

Friday 2:30pm - 3:45pm
Centre des congrès 206A

#2049 **Green Sanctuary Program Workshop**

Seventh Principle Project
The congregation-based Green Sanctuary Program is gaining momentum for integrating environmental values into theology, spirituality and justice through study and action. This workshop provides a forum to gather ideas, answer questions, and share experiences for those interested in exploring how to initiate this exciting program in their congregation. Program Repeats Saturday at 9:00am.

*Speakers: Katherine Jesch
Rev. Clare Butterfield*

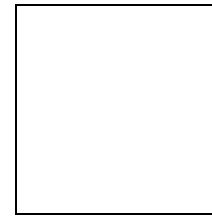
— Workshop —

Friday 2:30pm - 3:45pm
Centre des congrès 302B

#2050 **Grass Roots Organizing: How Can We Do It?**

Moderator, UUA
Grass roots organizing blends neighboring interfaith communities with local impoverished and disenfranchised people. In working together they pressure governing bodies to meet the social justice demands of the poor. Come learn why and how. Join other UUs in expanding this powerful tool for leveraging social change.

*Speakers: Diane Olson
Rev. Meg Riley*



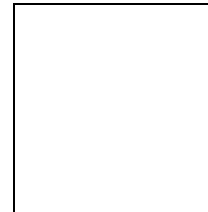
Diane Olson

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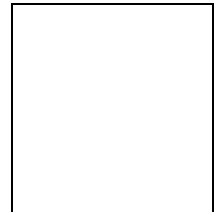
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Centre des congrès 301A

#2051 **Women's Voices of Liberation: A Dialogue**

Ministerial Sisterhood UU
An opportunity to dialogue with women of various traditions offering different perspectives on living in relationship with each other and the earth. Rev. Danielle DiBona, Rev. Patricia Jimenez, Dale Dione, and Krista Taves will speak from their experiences and invite dialogue. Moderator: Rev. Audrey W. Vincent, President, MSUU.



*Rev. Danielle
Krista Taves
DiBona*



— Workshop —

Friday 2:30pm - 3:45pm
Centre des congrès 303A

#2052 **Supporting Social
Action on a Regional
Basis**

Promise Massachusetts Children

For more than a decade, UUs involved in Social Action in Massachusetts have been meeting to talk about projects and strategies and to lend moral support. Talking with each other has strengthened our resolve. Meet other activists and join in a discussion of all our work!

*Speakers: Becky Richardson
Judy Zacek*

— Workshop —

Friday 2:30pm - 3:45pm
Centre des congrès 204B

#2053 **Designing A Boy-
Friendly Religious
Education Program**

UU Men's Network

In many UU churches, boys stop coming to church school early. Many of the boys who do show up make trouble. What can parents, teachers, and other RE leaders do to make their schools boyfriendly -- without short-changing girls? You bring frustrations and success stories. We'll offer ideas and inspiration.

*Speakers: Neil Chethik
Rev. Greg Stewart*

— Workshop —

Friday 2:30pm - 3:45pm
Centre des congrès 304AB

#2054 **Intergenerational
Worship**

Family Matters Task Force

How long can a four year old be in worship? What resources can we use that speak to everyone? How do we get adults to see this as important? This workshop will focus on these questions and more (including yours) as we explore ways to create and improve intergenerational worship.

*Speakers: Rev. Pat Hoertdoerfer
Rev. Keith Kron*

Friday 4:15pm - 5:30pm

— Annual Meeting —

Friday 4:15pm - 5:30pm
Hilton Bélair & Beaumont

#2055 **Young Adult Caucus
Meeting I**

Continental UU Young Adult Network
Come find out what the movers and shakers in the 18-35 year old age range think of the issues being tackled on the plenary floor. A forum to discuss, debate, pool knowledge and determine whether to take a stand as concerned individuals or as a caucus.

*Speakers: Miles Erickson
Catherine Blue*

— Annual Meeting —

Friday 4:15pm - 5:30pm
Centre des congrès 206A

#2056 **SPP Annual Meeting: A
Green Sanctuary
Celebration**

Seventh Principle Project

Lift your voice in song and celebrate with us in recognizing the outstanding achievements of the first official Green Sanctuary congregations. Meet Seventh Principle Project Board members and other activists and share ideas for healing our world.

— Hearing —

Friday 4:15pm - 5:30pm
Centre des congrès 205C

#2057 **Creating Accessible
Congregations**

Accessibilities Committee, UUA

The mission of the Accessibilities Committee is to dismantle ableism through advocacy, action, and education. Join the Committee for an update. Share concerns, suggestions, and success stories to help meet the goal of achieving universal access for all persons of all mental, emotional, and physical abilities in the UUA.

*Speakers: Dr. Helen Bishop
Cathe Carpenter*

— Hearing —

Friday 4:15pm - 5:30pm
Centre des congrès 302A, 302B, 303A,
303B

#2058 **Mini-Assembly: Bylaws
and Business
Resolutions**

Planning Committee

This is your opportunity to discuss and propose changes to bylawamendments and business resolutions in a small group setting before they come to the Plenary floor. All are welcome.

— Lecture —

Friday 4:15pm - 5:30pm
Centre des congrès 204A

#2059 **Envisioning the
Beloved Community**

New MA Universalist Convention

Liberal theologians often use the term "beloved community" to mean something like what Jesus meant by "the Kingdom of God." What has it meant for Universalists historically, and what could it mean for Unitarian Universalists in the 21st century? Come to this interactive presentation and help envision it. Program Repeats Saturday at 9:00am.

*Speakers: Rev. Edmund Robinson
James Sherblom*

— Lecture —

Friday 4:15pm - 5:30pm
Centre des congrès 205AB

#2060 **Conscience and
Complicity:
Confessions of the
Liberal Ministry**

Urban Church Coalition

Jenkin Lloyd Jones Lecture: Rob Eller-Isaacs is co-minister of Unity Church Unitarian in St. Paul, Minnesota. As urban extension ministers he and his wife Janne spent eighteen years restoring the Oakland Church. His lecture will highlight the tensions between who we are and who we say we are.

Speaker: Rev. Rob Eller-Isaacs

— Lecture —

Friday 4:15pm - 5:30pm
Centre des congrès 206B

#2061 **SGM: Healing the World Ten at a Time**

Southwest District

From Maine to California and Texas to Canada, Covenant Group Ministries are bringing new depth to our communities of free religion. Southwestern leaders of this movement will be joined by practitioners from over the continent in a review of what has been learned and what is ahead.

*Speakers: Rev. Robert L. Hill
Thandeka*

— Workshop —

Friday 4:15pm - 5:30pm
Centre des congrès 204B

#2062 **Start, Nurture and Grow a YRUU Youth Group**

Religious Education Dept, UUA

This workshop goes over the basics of how to get a new youth group started or how to revive a struggling one. It provides information to religious educators, advisors, and youth on community building, balancing youth group programming, and youth empowerment.

Stop by the booth in the Exhibit Hall

— Workshop —

Friday 4:15pm - 5:30pm
Centre des congrès 203

2063 **Youth & Young Adult Ministry Sunday: Funding Our Vision**

Development Dept, UUA

Has your congregation planned yours yet? Join us to learn about this continental-wide effort to raise \$2 million to support youth, campus and young adult ministries. We'll share resources to help your congregation hold a successful Youth and Young Adult Ministry Sunday, including fundraising strategies, sermon, worship and publicity resources. Program Repeats Sunday at 1:00pm.

*Speakers: Rev. Terry Sweetser
Alison Miller*

— Lecture —

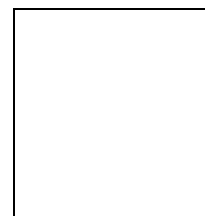
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Centre des congrès 201C

#2064 **United Nations' Role in Post-Taliban Afghanistan**

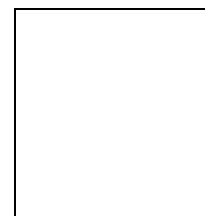
UU United Nations Office

Rev. Ben Bortin, UU-UNO President, will present information about UN involvement in Afghanistan and how UUs can help. Program will include first Greely Award Sermon, "The Goal of World Community with Peace, Liberty and Justice for All" presented by Rev. Dr. Stephen Furrer, Sante Fe, NM.

*Speakers: Rev. Ben Bortin
Rev. Dr. Stephen Furrer*



*Rev. Ben Bortin
Stephen*



*Rev. Dr.
Furrer*

FRIDAY EXHIBIT HALL HOURS
❖12:00 noon-6:00pm❖
Convention Centre Exhibit Hall A

Café Rencontre du Centre
Ville
❖Service Project❖

— Workshop —

Friday 4:15pm - 5:30pm
Centre des congrès 301A

#2065 **Who are the Unitarian
Universalist
Christians?**

Magi Network

Event 1 in the UU Christian Journey at GA. Sure you've heard of Channing, Parker, and the rest, but the Christian spirit is alive, thriving and growing in today's UUism. Come hear four contemporary UU Christians share their perspective on their faith and its place in the movement. Q&A follow. Program Repeats Monday at 3:15pm.

— Workshop —

Friday 4:15pm - 5:30pm
Centre des congrès 2001A

#2066 **Leaders Wanted: Apply
Within**

Nominating Committee

Committee on Committees

Want to know how you can be involved in important elected and appointed positions within the UUA? Come hear representatives from the various committees and commissions about their work and how you might be a part of it. Experienced church and district leaders are particularly encouraged to attend.

Speakers: Young Kim

Rev. Calvin O. Dame

— Workshop —

Friday 4:15pm - 5:30pm
Centre des congrès 304AB

#2067 **Welcoming What???**
**Aren't We Already
That?!**

Office of B/G/L/T Concerns, UUA

Join the Office of Bisexual, Gay, Lesbian and Transgender Concerns staff while they give an overview of the Welcoming Congregation Program and share news on the recently released Welcoming Congregation II: Living the Welcoming Congregation. Time will be provided to ask and answer specific questions.

Speakers: Rev. Keith Kron

Mr. Barb Greve

— Workshop —

Friday 4:15pm - 5:30pm
Centre des congrès 2000B

#2068 **Growing Your
Congregation Through
Adult Programming**

Meadville Lombard Theological School
A "how to" workshop led by two Meadville Lombard faculty members. Practical suggestions about the importance of adult programming, getting an adult education program started, enlarging an existing adult education program, and training lay people in pastoral care. The Rev. Drs. Susan Harlow and Bill Murry. Program Repeats Saturday at 9:00am.

*Speakers: Rev. Dr. Bill Murry
Rev. Dr. Susan Harlow*



Rev. Dr. Bill Murry

— Workshop —

Friday 4:15 PM-5:30 PM
Centre des congrès 301B

#2069 **Free Trade: Who
Really Stands to Gain?**

UU Community Ministry Center
Why have hundreds of thousands demonstrated in Seattle, Quebec City, and Genoa to protest the unfairness of global trade agreements? Learn from speakers and a new video how to inform our congregations about the paradox of "free trade." Learn how we can influence trade policies and practices. Come join in!

*Speakers: Rev. Marilyn Sewell
Kate Lore*



Rev. Marilyn Sewell



Kate Lore

— Workshop —

Friday 4:15pm - 5:30pm
Centre des congrès 207

#2070 **"Gender Knot" Field
Testers Find Patriarchy
Perpetuates
Oppressions**

UU Women & Religion
A panel of leaders and participants reports recent experiences in field-testing the new course for UU adults and youth. The course examines religious roots of patriarchal systems, which distort human development and perpetuate militarism, sexism, racism, classism, and heterosexism. Participants practice recognizing, confronting, and changing assumptions, attitudes, language, and behavior. Program Repeats Saturday at 9:00am.

*Speakers: Barbara Schonborn
Rosemary Matson*

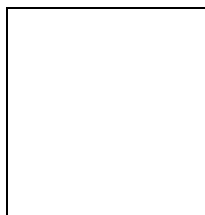
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Centre des congrès 202

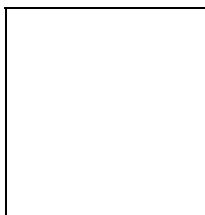
#2071 **Drug Policy
Alternatives: Reducing
the Harm**

UUs for Drug Policy Reform
Despite the negative consequences, does the drug war at least protect children and help addicts? To the contrary, the panelists will describe how prohibition actually makes matters worse. Learn about the "harm reduction" approach to drug education and treatment. Discover how non-punitive policies can make everyone more safe and healthy.

*Speakers: Joyce Rivera
Eric Sterling*



Joyce Rivera



Eric Sterling

— Workshop —

Friday 4:15pm - 5:30pm
Centre des congrès 201AB

#2072 **Making the UUA
Retirement Plan Work
for You**

Society for Ministerial Relief
We'll help you with the details of working with the UUA's retirement plan. We'll answer questions about the day-to-day administration. How are participants enrolled? Who's eligible? What about contributions? What about getting money out at retirement? What funds are available under the Plan? A must for Ministers and Church Treasurers!

*Speakers: Joyce Stewart
Nancy Chaddock*

— Workshop —

Friday 4:15pm - 5:30pm
Centre des congrès 2001BC

#2073 **UUPCC - International
Partnerships in New
Places**

UU Partner Church Council
Learn how UUA congregations are connecting with churches in new places such as India and the Philippines – the challenges, the successes and how your congregation can make such a connection. There will be information about what makes partnerships work well in general including Transylvania, Hungary and the Czech Republic.

*Speakers: Rev. Fred Muir
Rev. John Gibbons*

— Worship —

Friday 4:15pm - 5:30pm
Centre des congrès 208AB

#2074 **Funding Our Faith**

APF Continental Committee
Join us for the 2002 Annual Program Fund/UU Ministers Association Sermon Award worship service. The award recipient will deliver her/his sermon on creating and sustaining support for Unitarian Universalism, including financial commitment to affirming our faith, vision and values at the local, district and/or continental level.

— Workshop —

Friday 4:15pm - 5:30pm
Hilton Panorama Plaines & Vieux Port

#2075 **UUSC Human Rights Forum and Reception**

UU Service Committee

In this human rights forum, explore how you can help save millions of lives in the Democratic Republic of Congo, where the US backed a brutal military dictatorship for 30 years. UUSC public policy director, Heather Foote, joins the discussion on holding all parties, including the US, accountable for peace.

*Speakers: Imaculee Birhaheka
Sarah Ford*

— Worship —

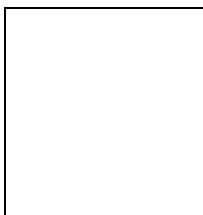
Friday 4:15pm - 5:30pm
Centre des congrès 2000D

#2076 **Joie! Church of the Larger Fellowship Worship Service**

Planning Committee Sponsored

Everyone is invited to the Church of the Larger Fellowship's worship service, featuring music by members of the Canadian Troupe V'la l'Bon Vent and preaching by the CLF's minister, Jane Rzepka. The CLF promotes Unitarian Universalism wherever a person is in the world. Come see what happens when we gather together.

*Speakers: Rev. Jane Rzepka
Troupe V'la l'Bon Vent*



Rev. Jane Rzepka

Friday 7:00pm - 7:45pm

— Worship — 

Friday 7:00pm - 7:45pm
Centre des congrès 200ABC

#2077 **Friday Evening Worship**

Planning Committee

Join in the spirit of worship and community at this all-GA worship service. The worship leader is the Rev. Dr. W. F. Wooden, Senior Minister of the First Unitarian Congregational Society in Brooklyn, NY. His subject "Are We Having Fun Yet?"

Speaker: Rev. Dr. W.F. Wooden

Friday 8:30pm - 9:45pm

— Lecture —

Centre des congrès 301B

#2078 **Mairead Maguire, Nobel Peace Prize Laureate**

UU Peace Fellowship

In accepting our UUPF Adin Ballou Award, Nobel Peace Prize laureate Mairead Maguire will be speaking on the Peace People movement and progress in Northern Ireland. She will also discuss joint efforts with the Dalai Lama, Archbishop Tutu and other Nobel laureates to achieve a just and lasting peace world-wide.

*Speakers: Mairead Maguire
Rev. Dennis Davidson*

— Lecture — 

Friday 8:30pm - 9:45pm
Centre des congrès 2000A

#2079 **The American Creed**

UU Service Committee

Rev. Forrest Church, Senior Minister of All Souls Church in Manhattan and widely published author, draws from historical sources and personal stories to explicate the significance of spirituality in the working of democracy and in the ultimate success of pluralism in the US. The lecture is followed by a reception.

*Speakers: Rev. Forrest Church
Valora Washington*

— Lecture — 

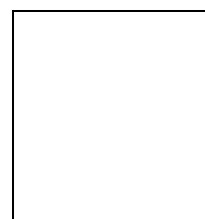
Friday 8:30pm - 9:45pm
Centre des congrès 303A

#2080 **Theodore Parker's Brain Is Missing**

Collegium

Dean Grodzins, prize-winning author of the forthcoming American Heretic: *Theodore Parker and Transcendentalism* (University of North Carolina Press, 2002) talks about Parker, the adventure of writing about him, the art of biography, and the search for Parker's lost brain.

Speaker: Dr. Dean Grodzins



Dr. Dean Grodzins

— Lecture — 

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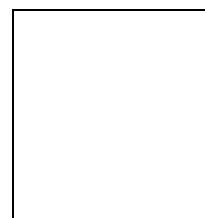
#2081 **The Global Reach of Universalism**

Murray Grove Association

The Sixteenth Annual John Murray Distinguished Lecture: The Unitarian Universalist World Is Changing. What is the role of Universalism in the new order of things? As the 7-year-old International Council of Unitarians and Universalists grows stronger and Canadian UUs take a great step toward autonomy, Universalism offers a saving message.


Speaker:


Rev. Dr. Mark Morrison-Reed



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— Lecture —

Friday 8:30pm - 9:45pm
Centre des congrès 205AB

#2082 **Sophia Fahs Lecture:
Freedom in a
Colonizing Culture**

Liberal Religious Educators Ass'n.
Beverly Wildung Harrison, Professor Emerita at Union Theological Seminary, revisits the work and struggles of Sophia Fahs. Fahs, who deserves recognition not only as an educator but also as a pioneer of feminist ethics, was faced with the dilemma of sustaining genuinely critical religious liberality within the dominant Western world view.
Speaker: Beverly Wildung Harrison

— Lecture —

Friday 8:30pm - 9:45pm
Centre des congrès 204A

#2083 **Jeweled Net: Buddhist
Reflections on the
Interdependent Web**

UU Buddhist Fellowship
Zen teacher and Unitarian Universalist minister James Ford will explore the ancient Buddhist image of the Jeweled Net of Indra. We will reflect on how the insights of the Jeweled Net anticipates and may clarify our understanding of the Interdependent Web. A discussion will follow the lecture.
Speaker: Rev. James Ishmael Ford



Rev. James Ishmael Ford

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Radisson Buade Room

— Lecture —

Friday 8:30pm - 9:45pm
Centre des congrès 304AB

#2084 **The Requirements for
Peace in Palestine**

UUs for Justice in the Middle East
Hussein Ibish is the Communications Director for the American-Arab Anti-Discrimination Committee (ADC). He is a regular contributor to the Los Angeles Times, has published chapters in several books, and has made over 2,000 radio and television appearances. Ibish has a PhD in Comparative Literature from UMass, Amherst.
Speaker: Hussein Ibish



Hussein Ibish

— Lecture —

Friday 8:30pm - 9:45pm
Centre des congrès 205C

#2085 **Icelanders, Socialists
and Prairie: UUism in
Western Canada**

Western Canada District
The history of Unitarian Universalism on the Canadian prairies has been an unusual and curious blend of ethnicity, politics and geography. These factors resulted in “a unique community of congregations.” As Western Canada District bids farewell to the UUA, we invite you to hear our story – and our gratitude. Program Repeats Sunday at 1:00pm.
Speaker: Rev. Stefan Jonasson



Rev. Stefan Jonasson

— Performance —

Friday 8:30pm - 9:45pm
Centre des congrès 2000D

#2086 **Economic Justice Jive:
Congregations in
Action**

UUs for a Just Economic Community
Globalization - Drawing on years of experience, the speakers look at media from a Canadian perspective, highlighting the cultural sovereignty of the corporate media. They will assess the strengths of various forms of media activism, suggesting ways that those committed to social justice can effectively challenge corporate media's power and biases.
*Speakers: Wendy Lill
David Robinson*

— Workshop —

Friday 8:30pm - 9:45pm
Centre des congrès 301A

#2087 **Small Group Ministry
in a District Setting**

Northeast District
A panel of members from the Northeast District will show how Small Group Ministry has been applied in congregations, in extension, and in Religious Education in the Northeast District.
*Speakers: Rev. Bill DeWolfe
Rev. Helen Zidowecki*

— Workshop —

Friday 8:30pm - 9:45pm
Centre des congrès 207

#2088 **Transitioning to
Become a Larger
Congregation**

Cong. Dist. Ext. Services, UUA
Congregational culture includes identity, understanding of what size it is and wants to be. Congregational leaders may profess a desire to grow but the intentional decision to grow is not made. Or once growth occurs, organizational capacity is lacking. Focusing on congregations of 300 and larger, we will explore creating identities for intentional larger size ministries.
*Speakers: Rev. Kenneth Brown
Dr. Angela Merkert*

— Workshop —

Friday 8:30pm - 9:45pm
Centre des congrès 202

#2089 **Formative Moments for Whole Generations**

Family Matters Task Force

Is 9/11 the worst thing that has ever happened? As significant as this event is likely to be for today's youth as they mature, nearly all generations are molded by defining moments. We hope for a lively intergenerational exchange about how events of your generation shaped individual and communal values.

*Speakers: Rev. Marni Harmony
Rev. Mary Higgins*

— Workshop —

Friday 8:30pm - 9:45pm
Centre des congrès 2001BC

#2090 **The Excellent Music Program in Midsize/Large Churches**

UU Musicians Network

Discover the elements of organizing an effective music program which thrives, inspires, ministers, and creates passionate advocates within the congregation. Explore practical tips on structures to consider and methods of building a solid base of congregational support. Bring your questions, concerns, and experiences.

Speaker: Dan Boyce

— Workshop —

Friday 8:30pm - 9:45pm
Centre des congrès 2001A

#2091 **Preparing to Meet the MFC**

Ministerial Fellowship Committee

This gathering is particularly for candidates who are anticipating their interview with the Ministerial Fellowship Committee. It is an opportunity to discuss the process, meet some of the committee members and think about vocational formation together.

Speaker: Phyllis Daniel

— Workshop —

Friday 8:30pm - 9:45pm
Centre des congrès 303B

#2092 **When the Drama Club is Not Enough**

Office of B/G/L/T Concerns, UUA

Educators, activists and authors Jeff Perrotti and Kim Wesheimer illustrate crisis situations - from verbal harassment to physical assaults - endured by BGLT students daily. Their book illustrates the importance of creating a safe school environment, and offers strategies for changing homophobic or exclusive environments into inclusive, accepting ones.

*Speakers: Jeff Perrotti
Kim Wesheimer*

— Workshop —

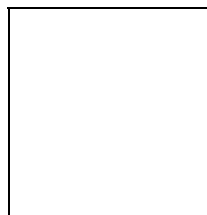
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#2093 **Your UUA: Justice-Making Out in the World**

International Relations Office, UUA

September 11th heightened our awareness of the tragedy and terror humans inflict on other humans and our resources. The UUA has a plan to work toward global peace and prosperity through economic development and models of partnership. Other faiths are joining us. Learn who, what, how, and why we work.

Speaker: Rev. Olivia Holmes



Rev. Olivia Holmes

— Workshop —

Friday 8:30pm - 9:45pm
Centre des congrès 2000C

#2094 **Puppet Making**

Young Religious UUs

This workshop will be a hands on building and creating of large puppets.

Speaker: Alison Purcell

— Workshop —

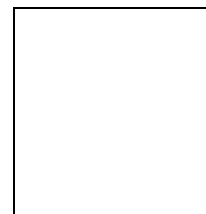
Friday 8:30pm - 9:45pm
Centre des congrès 302A

#2095 **Religious Liberty Under Siege, 2002**

UUs for Religious Freedom

Author and church-state expert Edd Doerr will lead a workshop on abortion rights, tax aid for sectarian schools, religion in public schools, "charitable choice", the Religious Right, and other religious freedom problem areas. Program Repeats Sunday at 1:00pm.

Speaker: Edd Doerr



Edd Doerr

— Workshop —

Friday 8:30pm - 9:45pm
Centre des congrès 206A

#2096 **Theology of Ecology: Faith for Healing the Earth**

UU in the Pines, Inc.

Roger Gottlieb offers a powerful vision of possibilities that emerge when we connect religious vision with political action. Based on his new book *Joining Hands: Religion and Politics Together for Social Change*, he challenges us to put our faith to work with renewed commitment for healing the earth.

Speaker: Roger S. Gottlieb

— Worship —

Friday 8:30pm - 9:45pm
Centre des congrès 208AB

#2097 **Soulful Sundown**

Cong. Dist. Ext. Services, UUA

Sit down, stand up, open up and reach out through the power of love and justice shared through this Soulful Sundown celebration. Come to this vibrant and meaningful worship workshop with pianist/songstress Lily Sparks and Young Adults of Color.

*Speakers: Dr. Kristen Harper
Lily Sparks*

— Worship —

Friday 8:30pm - 9:45pm
Centre des congrès 2000B

#2098 **CUUPS Annual
Summer Solstice Ritual
Extravaganza**

Covenant of UU Pagans

The Covenant of Unitarian Universalist Pagans invites everyone to celebrate our UU unity in diversity with an Earth-centered celebration of the turning of the wheel of the year. The CUUPS Board will facilitate a worship service designed to engage the whole person - mind and body, intellect and heart.

— Worship —

Friday 8:30pm - 9:45pm
Centre des congrès 204B

#2099 **Shabbos Celebration**

UUs for Jewish Awareness

UUs for Jewish Awareness will hold its customary observance of the beginning of the Jewish Sabbath; all are welcome!

Speaker: Rev. Elizabeth Lerner

Friday 10:15pm - 12:00am

— Coffee House —

Friday 10:15pm - 12:00am
Lowes Le Concorde Suzor Cote &
Kriegoff

#2100 **Youth and Young
Adult Coffeehouse**

Planning Committee

Stories, songs, fun. You will be amazed at the talent from our youth and young adult performers. Food and beverages will be available.

Saturday 7:00am - 7:30am

— Worship —

Saturday 7:00am - 7:30am
Radisson Buade

#3001 Morning Spiritual Practices (Saturday)

Planning Committee

For those who enjoy beginning each day in a spiritual way, come join in as our chaplains lead us in a variety of spiritual practices.

Saturday 8:00am - 8:30am

— Worship — ☪

Saturday 8:00am - 8:30am
Centre des congrès 200ABC

#3002 Saturday Morning Worship

Planning Committee

Join in the spirit of worship and community at this all-GA worship service. The worship leader is the Rev. Rob L. Eller-Isaacs, Co-Minister of Unity Church - Unitarian, St. Paul, MN. His subject: "Intimate Justice."

Speaker: Rev. Rob Eller-Isaacs

Rev. Rob Eller-Isaacs

Saturday 8:30am - 11:45am

— Plenary —

Saturday 8:30am - 11:45am
Centre des congrès 200ABC

#3003 Plenary III

Planning Committee

Today's debate and vote will focus on the Statement of Conscience and the Study/Action Issues. Also featured is a report from the Moderator. Refer to the Agenda book for details on the specific items to be addressed today.

Saturday 9:00am - 10:15am

— Repeat Programming —

Saturday 9:00am - 10:15am
Centre des congrès 301B

#3005 Out of Context: Unitarian Theology Across Cultures (Repeat)

Int'l Council Unitarians & Universalists
This program is offered a second time. See description #2006 on Friday.

— Repeat Programming —

Saturday 9:00am - 10:15am
Centre des congrès 205A

#3006 Black Empowerment Controversy Video History Project (Repeat)

Massachusetts Bay District
This program is offered a second time. See description #2018 on Friday.

— Repeat Programming —

Saturday 9:00am - 10:15am
Centre des congrès 205B

#3007 Envisioning the Beloved Community (Repeat)

New MA Universalist Convention
This program is offered a second time. See description #2059 on Friday.

— Repeat Programming —

Saturday 9:00am - 10:15am
Centre des congrès 204B

#3008 Creating Beloved Community: An Alternative Approach to Conflict (Repeat)

Mountain Desert District
This program is offered a second time. See description #2014 on Friday.

— Repeat Programming —

Saturday 9:00am - 10:15am
Centre des congrès 205C

#3009 Growing Your Congregation Through Adult Programming (Repeat)

Meadville Lombard Theological School
This program is offered a second time. See description #2068 on Friday.

— Repeat Programming —

Saturday 9:00am - 10:15am
Centre des congrès 301A

#3010 "Gender Knot" Field Testers Find Patriarchy Perpetuates Oppressions (Repeat)

UU Women & Religion
This program is offered a second time. See description #2070 on Friday.

— Repeat Programming —

Saturday 9:00am - 10:15am
Centre des congrès 202

#3011 Drug Policy Alternatives: Changing our Failing Drug Laws (Repeat)

UUs for Drug Policy Reform
This program is offered a second time. See description #2022 on Friday.

— Repeat Programming —

Saturday 9:00am - 10:15am
Centre des congrès 204A

#3012 The Nature of Racism: The Ideological Perspective (Repeat)

Planning Committee Sponsored
This program is offered a second time. See description #2035 on Friday.

— Repeat Programming —

Saturday 9:00am - 10:15am
Centre des congrès 206A

#3013 **Green Sanctuary Program Workshop (Repeat)**

Seventh Principle Project

This program is offered a second time. See description #2049 on Friday.

Saturday 12:00pm - 1:30pm

— Intergenerational Lunch —

Saturday 12:00pm - 1:30pm
Centre des congrès 400BC

#3014 **Intergenerational Lunch With Entertainment**

Planning Committee

New this GA! This community buffet is a lunch & entertainment extravaganza! As you dine, you will be greeted and entertained by various performers, just like the ones on the streets of Old Québec. Fun for all ages! Pre-purchased tickets to the buffet breakfast are required.

Saturday 2:00pm - 3:15pm

— Annual Meeting —

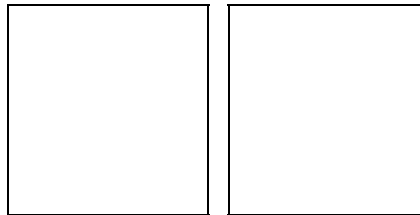
Saturday 2:00pm - 3:15pm
Centre des congrès 303B

#3015 **Annual Meeting: Society for the Larger Ministry**

Society for the Larger Ministry

Annual meeting of Society for the Larger Ministry and forum "Faces of Community Ministry". For those ministering in the community-lay clergy, students and others: hear what exciting ministries are taking place, support each other, and work towards new models of community and congregational integration.

*Speakers: Rev. Maddie Sifantus
Jeanne Lloyd*



*Rev. Maddie Lloyd Sifantus
Jeanne Lloyd*

— Annual Meeting —

Saturday 2:00pm - 3:15pm
Centre des congrès 2001A

#3016 **Annual Meeting of the UU Leadership School Network**

UU Leadership School Network

At this annual meeting of the UU Leadership School Network, the lay leadership schools will examine the results of their periodic survey of leadership school curriculum, cost, faculty, and dates. Recent UUA work on lay leadership training will be discussed.

*Speakers: Jan Weston
Rev. Tracey Robinson-Harris*

— Hearing —

Saturday 2:00pm - 3:15pm
Centre des congrès 202

#3017 **Crime and War from a Restorative Justice Perspective**

Faith in Action Dept, UUA

Restorative justice prioritizes healing over punishment, and encourages us to examine the root causes of the problem. How would our justice systems, drug policy, and response to September 11 look if they were developed from this perspective? A panel of UU activists will share their perspectives and respond to questions.

Speaker: Rob Cavenaugh

— Hearing —

Saturday 2:00pm - 3:15pm
Centre des congrès 304AB

#3018 **Accountability I: A Model for Justice-Building Relationships**

Journey Toward Wholeness Comm.

A power analysis of racism calls us to be accountable to persons and communities impacted by racism. This hearing is an opportunity to explore and share learnings around what it means to be accountable to People of Color within our congregations, organizations and in the communities where we live.

*Speakers: Rev. Susan Suchocki-Brown
Paula Cole Jones*

— Performance —

Saturday 2:00pm - 3:15pm
Centre des congrès 2001BC

#3019 **Canada eh? A Celebration in Story and Music**

Canadian Unitarian Council

Stories are a great way to discover a culture. Noted UU storytellers Brian Kiely and Diane Bosman will join with Canadian musicians to paint a picture of this land and the many cultures its varied regions contain.

*Speakers: Rev. Brian Kiely
Diane Bosman*

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— Performance —

Saturday 2:00pm - 3:15pm
Centre des congrès 2000B

#3020 **Out of the Woods, Into the Heart**

Council of UU Camps and Conferences
A UU camp or conference experience can be life-transforming! Join UU troubadour Carole Eagleheart for a lively, participatory program of music that celebrates the many and varied camps and conferences. Carole spends nine months of the year doing concerts, workshops and services for congregations, camps and conferences across the continent.

Speaker: Carole Eagleheart

— Workshop —

Saturday 2:00pm - 3:15pm
Centre des congrès 302A

#3021 **Online Conversations: Managing an Email Mailing List**

Electronic Communications Comm.
Many UU Congregations, committees, boards, and other groups have improved communication by using email mailing lists. Find out how to create and manage a UUA (or other) mailing list. Intended for current and prospective list managers.

Speakers: Margaret Levine Young
Lynn Calvin

— Workshop —

Saturday 2:00pm - 3:15pm
Centre des congrès 206A

#3022 **Women's Prayers to the Divine**

Beacon Press
Placing emphasis on East/West religions and the feminine spirit, spiritual teacher Lucinda Vardey provides a compelling introduction to women's thought on prayer. Vardey, author of Beacon Press' *The Flowering of the Soul*, weaves together the teachings of spiritual figures with the ideas of writers, and maps out a unique history of women's teachings on prayer.

Speaker: Lucinda Vardey

— Workshop —

Saturday 2:00pm - 3:15pm
Centre des congrès 204B

#3023 **Church Office Basics**

Association of UU Administrators
Who's minding the store while others preach and teach? Come, whether you are an administrator, secretary, minister, volunteer or just interested. Learn the basics, as well as seasoned tips on how to operate the church office from those who do it professionally. Lots of handouts. Question and answer period.

— Workshop —

Saturday 2:00pm - 3:15pm
Centre des congrès 206B

#3024 **“Understanding the Challenges of Globalization”: Monitoring Progress**

Commission on Social Witness
The 2001 GA initiated two years of study and action on “Understanding the Challenges of Globalization.” Those who have engaged this issue are invited to share insights which will assist the Commission on Social Witness to draft a Statement of Conscience for consideration during the coming year.

Speakers: Robert Sarly
Rev. Richard A. Nugent

— Workshop —

Saturday 2:00pm - 3:15pm
Centre des congrès 201AB

#3025 **Finding Funding for Young Adult and Campus Programs**

Cong. Dist. Ext. Services, UUA
We seek to help congregations begin and sustain young adult and campus programs by combining initial funding sources with strategies for long-term visioning and budgeting. In addition to exploring grants, we will look at targeted campaigns, endowment campaigns, alumni support and other ideas that have been successful in many congregations.

Speakers: Dr. Michael Tino
Dr. Wayne B. Clark

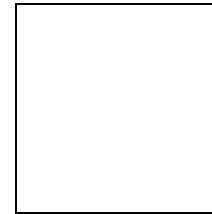
— Workshop —

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Centre des congrès 204A

#3026 **Growth Resources for Small Congregations**

Cong. Dist. Ext. Services, UUA
Small congregations can be vital, strong, healthy and responsive to their communities. A variety of resources (continental, district, and other networking) will be shared. This workshop is for members and ministers of congregations smaller than 150 members. UUA Growth Consultants will co-present.

Speaker: Margaret L. Beard



Margaret L. Beard

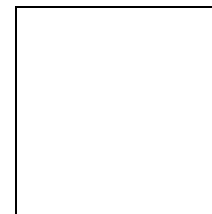
— Workshop —

Saturday 2:00pm - 3:15pm
Centre des congrès 303A

#3027 **Can Local Democracy Save Global Trade?**

Economic Justice Action Group
Globalization - Trade agreements give foreign corporations legal tools to challenge state laws promoting food safety, pure water and air, and local economic development. Robert Stumberg and William Waren of Harrison Institute for Public Law, Georgetown University explain how to insure local democracy while encouraging humane, sustainable global trade.

Speaker: William Waren



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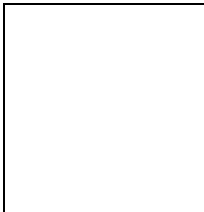
— Performance —

Saturday 2:00pm - 3:15pm
Centre des congrès 2000D

#3028 **Laramie Project
Workshop**

Planning Committee Sponsored
A Meadville Lombard performance of Moises Kaufman's "The Laramie Project", a sequence of dramatic scenes exploring the murder of Matthew Shepherd and its aftermath on the city. Commentary and discussion will be conducted by the UUA Office of BGLT Concerns.

*Speakers: Rev. Dr. John W. Tolley
Rev. Keith Kron*



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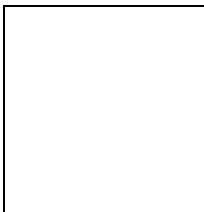
— Workshop —

Saturday 2:00pm - 3:15pm
Centre des congrès 2000A

#3029 **Becoming Effective
Allies: Individual and
Organizational Next
Steps**

Faith in Action Dept, UUA
Paul Kivel, author of *Uprooting Racism*, leads an interactive workshop examining race, gender, sexual orientation and class. Providing a framework for understanding the interconnections between issues, participants will assess the culture of power of their organization and envision personal and institutional steps towards becoming allies with those on the margins.

Speaker: Paul Kivel



Paul Kivel

— Workshop —

Saturday 2:00pm - 3:15pm
Centre des congrès 301A

#3030 **Consider Co-Ministers
in Your Search**

UU Clergy Couples Association
Designed especially for members of search committees, this workshop will introduce the concept of co-ministry, explore the dynamics of current co-ministry settlements, and explore how to search for a co-ministry team. Lay members from congregations currently served by co-ministers will discuss their experience of this exciting innovation!

*Speakers: Rev. Becky Edmiston-Lange
Rev. Mark Edmiston-Lange*

— Workshop —

Saturday 2:00pm - 3:15pm
Centre des congrès 205C

#3031 **Nurturing Christian
Spirituality in a UU
Context**

Magi Network
Event 2 in the UU Christian Journey at GA. Interested in exploring our own native UU spirituality? Come hear about personal spiritual practices, gathering a UU Christian Fellowship chapter within your church, and starting a UU Christian church. Presenters from the UUCF and Epiphany Church, a five-year-old UU Christian church.

— Workshop —

Saturday 2:00pm - 3:15pm
Centre des congrès 302B

#3032 **Transgender and Our
Faith**

Office of B/G/L/T Concerns, UUA
This panel discussion on Transgender Identity and our Unitarian Universalist Faith marks the release of a new resource created by the Office of Bisexual, Gay, Lesbian and Transgender Concerns. Panelists include Joni Christian, Rev. Dr. Ibrahim Eliyahou Farajaje, Rev. Paige Getty, and Mr. Barb Greve.

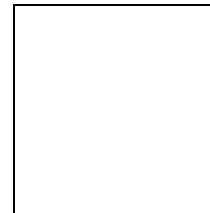
— Workshop —

Saturday 2:00pm - 3:15pm
Centre des congrès 201C

#3033 **Congregational and
Leadership Assessment
in the Large
Congregation**

Ministry Dept, UUA
What tools will help church leaders measure and strengthen their effectiveness? This workshop will present the UUA and UU Ministers Association's newly published "Assessing Our Leadership" and other models of assessment for congregational leadership teams in the larger congregation (governing boards, clergy, religious educators and others). Program Repeats Sunday at 1:00pm.

Speaker: Rev. Kenneth Gordon Hurto



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— Workshop —

Saturday 2:00pm - 3:15pm
Centre des congrès 205AB

#3034 **Congregations,
Consumers &
Environmental Choices**

New Hampshire/Vermont District
Explore concrete, doable, effective actions you can take to reduce your impact on the Earth. An opportunity to gain a practical understanding of the relationship between consumer's actions and the environment. Led by Warren Leon, co-author of the Union of Concerned Scientists' highly acclaimed "Consumer's Guide to Effective Environmental Choices."

Speaker: Warren Leon

— Workshop —

Saturday 2:00pm - 3:15pm
Centre des congrès 203

#3035 **Transformational Leadership: Skills and Knowledge**

Mountain Retreat & Learning Centers
Transformational leadership begins with affirmation providing people with a learning environment in which critical reflection is encouraged. We'll use traditional and technological methods to illustrate Peter Senge's five disciplines in the context of acquiring leadership skills and knowledge within UU congregations.

*Speakers: Tom Warth
Dr. Helen Bishop*

— Workshop —

Saturday 2:00pm - 3:15pm
Centre des congrès 208AB

#3036 **GA Choir Rehearsal II**

Planning Committee
The 2002 GA Choir continues to prepare music for the Monday evening Closing Celebration. This year's directors are Dan Boyce from Bloomfield Hills, Michigan and Sally B. Murphy from Victoria, British Columbia. The accompanists are Sandra Hunt from Montreal, Quebec and Leon Burke from St. Peters, Missouri.

— Workshop —

Saturday 2:00pm - 3:15pm
Centre des congrès 301B

#3037 **Shinto...Renewal of Life Power Through Purification Rituals**

Uniquist
Tsubaki America Shrine is the U.S. Branch of Japan's oldest Shinto Shrine. Shinto's central theme is "Renewal of Life Power" by connecting to Great Nature. The workshop will include the Sacred Shinto Ceremony for World Peace, offering of the Sacred Dance, a video of various purification practices, and group discussion.

*Speakers: Rev. Kouichi Barrish
Donni Barrish*

— Workshop —

Saturday 2:00pm - 3:15pm
Hilton St. Foy

#3038 **Junior High Welcoming Circle**

Religious Education Dept, UUA
Are you making the transition into Young Religious UUs (YRUU)? The GA Junior High Welcoming Circle is a chance to come of age into YRUU while surrounded by loving current, future, and past YRUUers. The Junior High Welcoming Circle is informative and interactive with components of YRUU tradition, and spirituality.

— Workshop —

Saturday 2:00pm - 3:15pm
Centre des congrès 207

#3039 **Can Our Clergy Afford to Retire?**

UU Retired Ministers & Partners Ass'n
A discussion by an informed panel on what may be the harsh reality facing our ministers and their partners in their retirement years and how it might affect the churches they serve.

*Speakers: Joyce Gilbert
Rev. Shirley Ranck*

— Workshop —

Saturday 2:00pm - 3:15pm
Hilton Porte St. Louis

#3040 **Margaret Fuller Awards and Feminist Conversations**

UU Women's Federation
The Margaret Fuller Awards for Religious Feminisms, a UUWF program, honors and encourages UU theologians, lay and clergy, through financial support of publications and projects. Meet the award winners for 2002 and learn about their passions. Then join the UUWF Board in Margaret Fuller conversations to reflect on UUWF's future.

Saturday 3:45pm - 5:00pm

— Annual Meeting —

Saturday 3:45pm-5:00pm
Hilton Bélair & Beaumont

#3041 **Young Adult Caucus Meeting II**

Continental UU Young Adult Network
Come find out what the movers and shakers in the 18-35 year old age range think of the issues being tackled on the plenary floor. A forum to discuss, debate, pool knowledge and determine whether to take a stand as concerned individuals or as a caucus.

*Speakers: Miles Erickson
Catherine Blue*

— Annual Meeting —

Saturday 3:45pm - 5:00pm
Centre des congrès 2001A

#3042 **Lambda Ministers Guild Annual Meeting**

Lambda Ministers Guild
Come join your BGLT colleagues for our annual meeting. Sharing, quiet, and peace. Seminarians welcome.
Speaker: Rev. Jane Dwinell

— Annual Meeting —

Saturday 3:45pm - 5:00pm
Centre des congrès 208AB

#3043 **UUCF Hymn Sing and Annual Meeting**

UU Christian Fellowship
Event 3 of 4 in the UU Christian Journey at GA. Join us and meet our Board of Directors, hear about our UUCF ministries, plans for the future, and opportunities for involvement in this rejuvenated, growing organization. We will sing some, work some, and share fellowship. All are welcome.

*Speaker:
Rev. Melanie Morel Sullivan*

SATURDAY EXHIBIT HALL HOURS
❖ 12:00 noon-6:00pm ❖
Convention Centre Exhibit Hall A

— Hearing —

Saturday 3:45pm - 5:00pm
Centre des congrès 2001BC

#3044 **UUA Budget Hearing**

Finance Committee

Consideration of questions regarding the proposed UUA budget for the coming year.

*Speakers: Gini Courter
Jerry Gabert*

— Hearing —

Saturday 3:45pm - 5:00pm
Centre des congrès 304AB

#3045 **Accountability: A Model for Justice-Building Relationships II**

DRUUMM

A power analysis of racism calls us to be accountable to persons and communities impacted by racism. This hearing is an opportunity to explore and share learnings around what it means to be accountable to People of Color within our congregations, organizations and in the communities where we live.

*Speakers: Rev. Susan Suchocki-Brown
Paula Cole Jones*

— Lecture —

Saturday 3:45pm - 5:00pm
Centre des congrès 205C

#3046 **Voices from the neXt Generation of Male Ministers**

UU Men's Network

A panel of young adult male ministers will address issues of gender and Gen X, offering perspective from an emerging class of UU leaders. Featuring Marlin Lavanhar (Tulsa, OK), Forrest Gilmore (Carmel, CA) and others. Moderated by a greying president of UUMeN, Jaco ten Hove.

*Speakers: Rev. Marlin Lavanhar
Rev. Forrest Gilmore*

— Lecture —

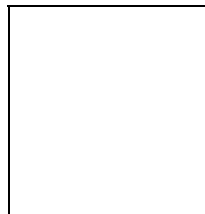
Saturday 3:45pm - 5:00pm
Centre des congrès 2000A

#3047 **Soul of a Citizen: Working for Justice Post-9/11**

Faith in Action Dept, UUA

Since 9/11 Americans have become fearful, the media jingoistic, and our core civil liberties threatened. Paul Loeb, author of *Soul of a Citizen: Living With Conviction in a Cynical Time* (www.soulfacitizen.org), will explore how to maintain faith, hope, and courage and speak out for justice when dissent is called unpatriotic.

Speaker: Paul Loeb



Paul Loeb

— Lecture —

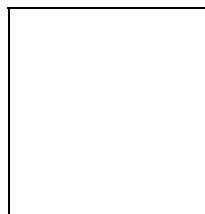
Saturday 3:45pm - 5:00pm
Centre des congrès 202

#3048 **Strange Bedfellows? Scripture(s), Human Rights, and UU Principles**

Panel on Theological Education

Carole Fontaine, human rights activist and feminist theologian, will discuss how the religions of The Book (Judaism, Christianity, and Islam) interact with the worldwide struggle for universal human rights. What role might UU principles play in bridging the gap between secular and scripture-based Human Rights movements?

Speaker: Dr. Carole R. Fontaine



Dr. Carole R. Fontaine

— Lecture —

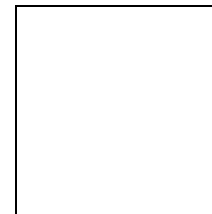
Saturday 3:45pm - 5:00pm
Centre des congrès 206B

#3049 **Adams' "Covenant of Being" & Hartshorne's "Divine Relativity"**

UU Process Theology Network

"Covenanting" has gained currency among UUs seeking shared commitments and "right relationships." But its sacred dimension, prominent in Biblical tradition, remains out of focus. Beach explores process theology concepts of UU thinkers James Luther Adams and Charles Hartshorne which can help us retrieve the sacred within the covenanting process.

Speaker: Rev. George Kimmich Beach



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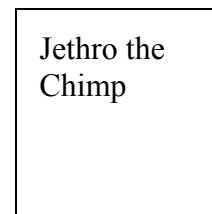
— Lecture —

Saturday 3:45pm - 5:00pm
Centre des congrès 303A

#3050 **Saving Chimpanzees with the Fauna Foundation**

UUs for Ethical Treatment of Animals
Quebec's Fauna Foundation rescues and rehabilitates chimps from the living nightmare of biomedical research. Today Fauna staff will discuss conditions in both labs and the entertainment industry, the legal struggle to protect apes, and the latest work in human/primate communication. (Art by Alan Li.)

*Speakers: Gloria Grow
Arryn Ketter*



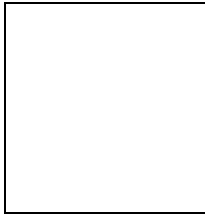
Jethro the Chimp

— Performance —

Saturday 3:45pm - 5:00pm
Centre des congrès 2000D

#3051 **Roots of Rebellion**

Metro New York District
UU Women & Religion presents Laurie James' docu-drama about first women to defy the 19th century ban against women speaking on American platforms. Laywomen join the Reverends Carolyn Owen-Towle, Shirley Ranck, Leslie Westbrook, Linnea Pearson, Thandeka, Benjamin Bortin, and others, in costume, portraying characters voicing convictions on slavery, poverty, inequality, etc.
Speaker: Laurie James



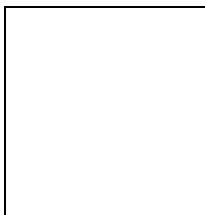
Laurie James

— Workshop —

Saturday 3:45pm - 5:00pm
Centre des congrès 206A

#3052 **Poetry as Equipment for Living in Troubled Times**

Beacon Press
Joan Murray, acclaimed poet, reads of classic works and discusses the important role poetry can play in cutting through confusion to speak knowingly and intimately, to offer understanding and solace in times of personal and national trauma. The readings are from her new book, *Poems to Live By: In Uncertain Times*.
Speaker: Joan Murray



Joan Murray

— Workshop —

Saturday 3:45pm - 5:00pm
Centre des congrès 302B

#3053 **Blueprint for Excellence: Finding and Sustaining Religious Educators**

Liberal Religious Educators Ass'n.
How can a congregation find the right religious educator - and keep her/him longer than the three-year average? Representatives of the LREDA Grant Committee, District Compensation Consultants, and the District Field Staff will discuss how to search for, fairly compensate, and covenant with your religious educator.

*Speakers: Cindy Leitner
Peter Liveright*

— Workshop —

Saturday 3:45pm - 5:00pm
Centre des congrès 303B

#3054 **Lay Leadership - New Directions at the UUA**

Cong. Dist. Ext. Services, UUA
An opportunity to hear an update from the Lay Leadership Architecture Team about new developments at the UUA that will help us better equip and support lay leaders including ideas for a core curriculum for lay leaders, recognition and credentialing, and more.

Speaker: Rev. Tracey Robinson-Harris

— Workshop —

Saturday 3:45pm - 5:00pm
Hilton Courville + Montmorency

#3055 **Exploring Multicultural Identity in Art and Words**

Faith in Action Dept, UUA
Identity is complex and always evolving. Using art and journaling, participants will create visual and verbal expressions of the multicultural self and learn ways to use these techniques for individual expression and community building.

Speaker: Taquiena Boston

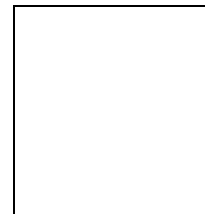
— Workshop —

Saturday 3:45pm - 5:00pm
Centre des congrès 301B

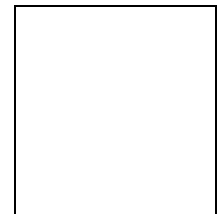
#3056 **In Defense of Creation**

Clara Barton District
How can UUs carry our reverence for the earth out of our homes and sanctuaries and into the public square? Can nonviolent resistance in the spirit of Gandhi and King achieve environmental justice? Soul and strategy come together in this interactive workshop with leaders of Religious Witness for the Earth.

*Speakers: Rev. Jenny Justice
Rev. Fred Small*



Rev. Jenny Justice



Rev. Fred Small

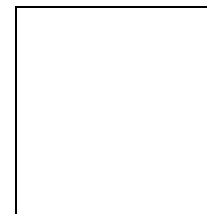
— Workshop —

Saturday 3:45pm - 5:00pm
Centre des congrès 201AB

#3057 **How to Plan Your Capital Campaign**

Cong. Dist. Ext. Services, UUA
UUA fundraising consultants will provide a step-by-step outline to plan a successful capital campaign. Based on more than 17 years of experience, and drawing upon successes with several hundred campaigns, we will offer a concise summary of the capital campaign process. Many handouts will be distributed. Program Repeats Monday at 3:15pm.

Speaker: Dr. Wayne B. Clark



Dr. Wayne B. Clark

— Workshop —

Saturday 3:45pm - 5:00pm
Centre des congrès 302A

#3058 **Conversations Across the Generations: Children's Books for Everyone**

Family Matters Task Force

Talking about life, about meaning, about values is often difficult. Yet it is possible. The wonderful world of children's books can be a bridge for people of all ages to discuss these issues. Actual books will be used and discussed. People of all ages invited.

Speakers: Rev. Keith Kron

Rev. Pat Hoertdoerfer

— Workshop —

Saturday 3:45pm - 5:00pm
Centre des congrès 2000B

#3059 **Roots, Retreats and Renewal II**

Murray Grove Association

GA 2001 participants found respite in a space designed for them to slow down and reflect upon how the inter-connection between their UU roots and retreats offers personal and communal renewal. Join us for a continuation of this exploration.

Speaker: Ellen Chulak

— Workshop —

Saturday 3:45pm - 5:00pm
Centre des congrès 204B

#3060 **Sustainable Development, Fairness and Balance for All Life**

UU United Nations Office

Globalization - Francis Mercer, Executive Administrator of UU UNO, will facilitate a panel discussion to consider how to deal with the poorest nations, while balancing environmental concerns and high consumption of "developed" countries. Discussions to cover preparations for the September UN World Summit on Sustainable Development, and UU and US participation.

Speaker: Rev. Francis Mercer

— Workshop —

Saturday 3:45pm - 5:00pm
Centre des congrès 203

#3061 **Out 'n In Reach: Growing Congregations**

Planning Committee Sponsored

UUs wanted to raise visibility and create truly welcoming congregations in San Diego, California. You'll learn how the San Diego Cluster created a plan, hired a consultant, implemented their dream, and had fun along the way.

Speakers: Martin Kruming

Jamie Hernandes

— Workshop —

Saturday 3:45pm - 5:00pm
Centre des congrès 204A

#3062 **Care and Feeding of the Choir**

UU Musicians Network

Explore choir rehearsal techniques that create an atmosphere of trust, caring, and community. Experience new ways to approach ritual, warm-ups, learning music, pacing, and dealing with conflict. These techniques work for choirs of all sizes. Come ready to sing and have fun!

Speaker: Sally Braswell Murphy

— Workshop —

Saturday 3:45pm - 5:00pm
Centre des congrès 205AB

#3063 **Urban-Suburban Youth Fighting Racism**

UU Service Committee

Struggling to find opportunities to engage your congregation's youth in social action? Come learn how UUSC and YRUU have collaborated to line fledgling activists - suburban UU and inner city youth - to fight racism and injustice. Ministers, religious educators, social action committee members, youth directors...All are welcome!

Speakers: Kim McDonald

Paula Nett

— Workshop —

Saturday 3:45pm - 5:00pm
Centre des congrès 207

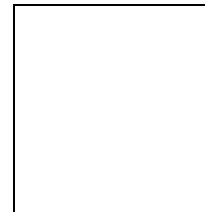
#3064 **No Sweat: Grassroots Organizing for Global Justice**

UU Veatch Program

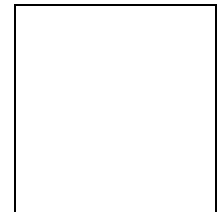
Come learn about the UU Veatch Program and the work of our grantees from around the country. Our panel will explore workers' rights on both sides of the US-Mexico border and how communities are making the states of Maine and California "sweat free."

Speakers: Bjorn Skorpen Claeson

Richard Guilbert



*Bjorn Skorpen
Guilbert
Claeson*



Richard

— Workshop —

Saturday 3:45pm - 5:00pm
Centre des congrès 201C

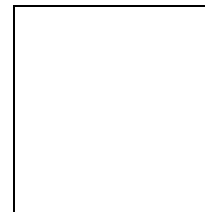
#3065 **The War on Kids in North America**

UUs for Juvenile Justice

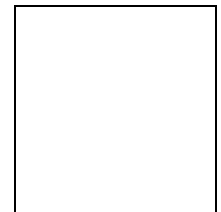
Experts from the United States and Canada will discuss the two nations' harsh, counterproductive Juvenile Justice policies. Learn about an alternative view of accountability, including policies that are working in other countries. This workshop is in collaboration with UUs for Drug Policy Reform.

Speakers: Don Campbell, Ph.D.

Eric Sterling



*Don Campbell
Sterling*



Eric

Saturday 7:00pm - 7:45pm

— Bridging Ceremony —

Saturday 7:00pm - 7:45pm
Centre des congrès 200ABC

#3066 **Bridging Ceremony**

Planning Committee

The Annual GA Bridging Ceremony is an important rite of passage for our young people who are transitioning from Youth to Young Adulthood. It is a powerfully moving service with testimony, music, and symbolic “walk across the bridge.” Join us and participate in acknowledging our future and our present.

Saturday 8:15pm - 9:30pm

— Lecture —

Saturday 8:15pm - 9:30pm
Centre des congrès 301B

#3067 **Humanism in Dangerous Times**

Friends of Religious Humanism

While it is never easy to be a humanist, it can be especially difficult to espouse humanist values in dangerous times. When society feels threatened, reason and conscience are themselves threatened by the desire for safety and security. How might humanists respond to the many challenges the world now faces?

— Lecture —

Saturday 8:15pm - 9:30pm
Centre des congrès 204A

#3068 **Is Universalism the Religion You're Longing For?**

New MA Universalist Convention

UUs seeking something more “religious” than mainstream UUism often find what they are looking for in Universalism, a religion which-like UUism-embraces world religions and humanism but also-unlike UUism-seeks to stay in touch with its Christian roots. Program Repeats Sunday at 1:00pm.

Speaker: Rev. Richard Trudeau

— Lecture —

Saturday 8:15pm - 9:30pm
Centre des congrès 2001BC

#3069 **Unitarianism in the Antebellum South: The Other Invisible Institution**

UU Historical Society

Macaulay argues that just beneath the surface of organized religion in the South was an “invisible institution” not unlike Franklin Frazier’s Black Church, a nebulous network of liberal faith that represented a sustained and continued strand of Enlightenment religious rationalism alongside and within an increasingly evangelical culture.

Speaker: John A. Macaulay

— Lecture —

Saturday 8:15pm - 9:30pm
Centre des congrès 206B

#3070 **Adin Ballou Peace Award Ceremony**

UU Peace Fellowship

In recognition of their courageous, non-violent actions opposing war, the UUPF Adin Ballou Award will be presented to each and every Unitarian Universalist conscientious objector. Those present at GA will be recognized and honored directly; speakers from different “eras” will discuss their experiences and their hopes for peace.

Speaker: Rev. Dennis Davidson

— Lecture —

Saturday 8:15pm - 9:30pm
Centre des congrès 2000B

#3071 **The Challenge of Globalization**

UUs for a Just Economic Community

Globalization - Canada’s famous woman-warrior for Democracy, known throughout Canada for her eloquence, her books and papers, including Blue Gold, a study about the privatization (profitization) of public services such as education, postal services and especially, water. Ms. Barlow is UUJEC’s keynote speaker in a four day Economic Globalization Teach-in.

Speaker: Maude Barlow

— Lecture —

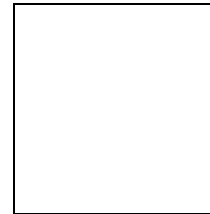
Saturday 8:15pm - 9:30pm
Centre des congrès 2000A

#3072 **Violence in our Daily Lives and Religious Practice**

Beacon Press

Parker will speak about her new book, coauthored by Rita Brock, *Proverbs of Ashes: Violence, Redemptive Suffering, and the Search for What Saves Us*, a powerful work of memoir and theology that argues that emphasizing Christ’s sacrifice on the cross sanctions violence and exacerbates its effects.

Speaker: Rev. Rebecca Ann Parker



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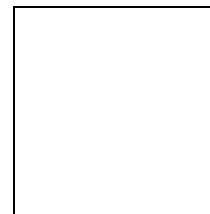
— Performance —

Saturday 8:15pm - 9:30pm
Centre des congrès 208AB

#3073 **Celebrating Diversity with Music: Canadian Cultural Heritage**

Planning Committee Sponsored

Co-Sponsored w/ US Chapter of IARF Royal Canadian Mounted Police Band members present a musical journey across Canada from coast to coast. The band members, in traditional dress, play musical selections illustrating the great diversity of Canadian culture. Come and join us! Celebrate the power of music and promote interfaith understanding and appreciation.



Kerry-Anne Kutz

— Performance —

Saturday 8:15pm - 9:30pm
Radisson Ballroom

#3074 **Intergenerational
Dancing**

Family Matters Task Force

Come join local Quebec musicians as they lead people through easy dances for people of all abilities and ages. Entire families encouraged to attend, as well as all those who want to have fun!

Speaker: *Bill Russell*

— Workshop —

Saturday 8:15pm - 9:30pm
Centre des congrès 205C

#3075 **Making Accessibility a
Board Priority**

Board of Trustees, UUA

The UUA Board has become more active in exploring the role a policy board should play in assuring justice and accessibility to all who would like to join in UU gatherings. We'll reflect on setting vision and mission, encouraging the heart, holding us all accountable, and developing strategies for funding.

Speakers: *Rev. Linda Olson Peebles
Dr. Helen Bishop*

— Workshop —

Saturday 8:15pm - 9:30pm
Centre des congrès 207

#3076 **UUism and Polyamory:
Many Traditions, Many
Loves**

UUs for Polyamory Awareness

What is polyamory, and what does it have to do with Unitarian Universalism? UUs for Polyamory Awareness encourages honesty and integrity for anyone in relationship, including those who choose multiple partners. Ethical considerations and the spiritual impact of relationships and "the closet" bring this issue squarely into the religious sphere.

Speakers: *Valerie White
Tom Stevens*

— Workshop —

Saturday 8:15pm - 9:30pm
Centre des congrès 301A

#3077 **Adult Religious
Education - Showcase**

Religious Education Dept, UUA

This workshop will feature some of our esteemed authors/educators as well as resources, ideas, and programs for adult learning offered through the UUA.

Speaker:
*Rev. Marjorie Bowens-
Wheatley*



Rev. Marjorie Bowens-Wheatley

— Workshop —

Saturday 8:15pm - 9:30pm
Centre des congrès 203

#3078 **The Evolution of Your
Congregation's
Computer Systems**

Information Technology Services, UUA

As your congregation grows, so do your needs for computer systems that support your growth. Jim Austin, the UUA's director of Information Technology Services, will speak to some of the issues around managing your computer infrastructure.

Speaker: *Jim Austin*

— Workshop —

Saturday 8:15pm - 9:30pm
Centre des congrès 201C

#3079 **Addressing Media Bias**

UUs for Justice in the Middle East

Dr. Hussein Ibish, Communications Director for the American-Arab Anti-Discrimination Committee (ADC), will discuss with us constructive ways in which we may respond to unbalanced reporting of Middle East issues in our Media.

Speaker: *Hussein Ibish*

— Workshop —

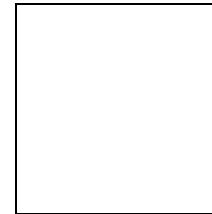
Saturday 8:15pm - 9:30pm
Centre des congrès 201AB

#3080 **Conducting Your
Annual Stewardship
Campaign**

Cong. Dist. Ext. Services, UUA

While there are advantages to a person-to-person approach for your annual stewardship campaign, there are other options available. We will share other models, including Commitment Sunday, pot-lucks, receptions, and specific models for large congregations. Participants will have an opportunity to interact with UUA fund-raising consultants. Repeats Sunday at 1:00pm.

Speaker: *Dr. Wayne B. Clark*



Dr. Wayne B. Clark

— Workshop —

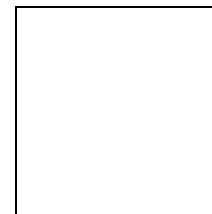
Saturday 8:15pm - 9:30pm
Centre des congrès 302A

#3081 **Five Important Rules
for Healthy Church
Finances**

Pacific Northwest District

Church leaders lament the low grade infection often pervading congregations regarding financial conditions. Changing this environment requires changing the attitudes of leadership. This workshop offers concrete suggestions for budget planning and presentation, reporting, and canvassing - all to improve your church community's health. Repeats Sunday at 1:00pm.

Speaker: *K. Peter Henrikson*



K. Peter Henrikson

— Workshop —

Saturday 8:15pm - 9:30pm
Centre des congrès 206A

#3082 **Racial Reparations,
Racial Reconciliation,
Racial Justice**

Faith in Action Dept, UUA

With the passage of 2001's Action of Immediate Witness calling for reparations for survivors of race riots in Tulsa, Oklahoma, UUs tiptoed into the large and controversial subject of reparations for past racial injustice. UUs from Tulsa and elsewhere will discuss nuances and complexities of reparations.

Speaker: Rev. Marlin Lavanhar

— Workshop —

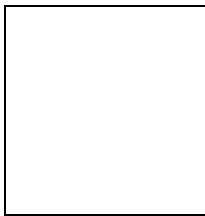
Saturday 8:15pm - 9:30pm
Centre des congrès 2001A

#3083 **Profession for Faith**

Religious Education Dept, UUA

Religious Educators come in many varieties, holding many titles, serving myriad roles. Come hear a panel of religious education professionals discuss their faith and career journeys and learn more about the current credentialing program of the UUA.

*Speakers: Rev. Michelle Favreault
Judith A. Frediani*



Rev. Michelle Favreault



Judith A. Frediani

— Workshop —

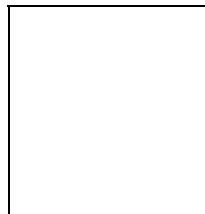
Saturday 8:15pm - 9:30pm
Centre des congrès 205AB

#3084 **Interfaith Relations and
Interfaith Challenges**

President's Office, UUA

This workshop will address the status of interfaith relations in the wake of a public outbreak of negative stereotyping of minority religions generally and anti-Muslim attitudes specifically. The importance of interfaith relations to unity and security in our nation, and the involvement of the interfaith community in the 2002 elections will be discussed.

*Speakers: Rev. Dr. C. Welton Gaddy
Denise Davidoff*



Denise Davidoff

— Workshop —

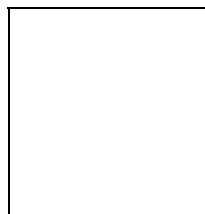
Saturday 8:15pm - 9:30pm
Centre des congrès 302B

#3085 **Being Bi-National: One
District's Story**

St. Lawrence District

On July 1, 2002, the St. Lawrence District will cease being a bi-national district serving US and Canadian congregations. This workshop will share insights and stories from four decades of relating across the border. What have we learned? What can we celebrate?

Speaker: Rev. Tom Chulak



Rev. Tom Chulak

— Workshop —

Saturday 8:15pm - 9:30pm
Centre des congrès 202

#3086 **Strangers Devouring
the Land**

UU Network on Indigenous Affairs

Indigenous leaders and area activists discuss the environmental and human rights issues raised by the ongoing oppression of the Cree, Inuit, and Innu peoples of Quebec by provincial utility Hydro-Quebec and the lumber industry, and recent events involving conflicts between corporate interests and indigenous rights.

*Speakers: Wells Staley-Mays
Chris Covel*

— Workshop —

Saturday 8:15pm - 9:30pm
Centre des congrès 303A

#3087 **Singing as Spiritual
Practice**

UU Women's Federation

In the midst of over-stimulation at GA, take a deep breath, listen to your inner voice, and respond with singing. Rev. Mary Grigolia will lead song and reflection. Learn how to share SSP with congregations, small groups, choirs and your own group. Appropriate for singers and non-singers of all levels.

Speaker: Rev. Mary Grigolia

— Workshop —

Saturday 8:15pm - 9:30pm
Centre des congrès 304AB

#3088 **Building Community
One Neighborhood at a
Time**

Conservative Forum for UUs

Explore the fast growing approach to creating close, pedestrian friendly communities with UU members of these innovative ways of housing. Discuss the potentials and problems of cohousing in transforming our living patterns. Arrangements to plan a UU Cohousing advocacy and support group will end the session.

Speaker: Larry Landrum

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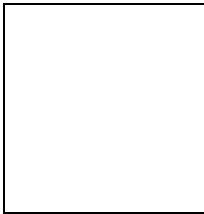
Saturday 8:15pm - 9:30pm
Centre des congrès 303B

#3089 **Discovering Ourselves
In Herstory: Role
Models for Women**

UU Women's Heritage Society

Discover the personalities, qualities and strengths that allowed women of history to carry out their visions. What do we have in common with them? Learn how you can draw upon the knowledge of historical women to empower your own life. Janet Matson is the author of *Whole Woman Whole Life*.

Speaker: Janet Gould Matson



Janet Gould Matson

❖ LOST AND FOUND ❖

Convention Centre, Volunteer Office
Next to 203

— Worship —

Saturday 8:15pm - 9:30pm
Centre des congrès 204B

#3090 **MSUU Worship
Service: Sermon
Contest Winner**

Ministerial Sisterhood UU

Come hear this year's award winner for the best sermon about a Unitarian Universalist woman or women furthering the vision of women within the UU movement.

— Worship —

Saturday 8:15pm - 9:30pm
Centre des congrès 2000D

#3091 **Soulful Sundown
Young Adult Worship**

Soulful Sundown

Music, spirituality and social justice. Come together in a spiritual worship experience like no other.

Speaker: Rev. David M. Horst

Saturday 10:00pm-12:00am

— Dance —

Saturday 10:00pm - 12:00pm
Radisson Ballroom

#3092 **The Prom You Always
Wanted**

Planning Committee

This year's All-GA dance will be the "Prom You Never Had." We'll have an evening of great music, dancing, and tons of fun! It will be GLBT friendly and cross-dressing is encouraged. This will be a non-alcohol event for all ages!

MEDITATION ROOM
❖ Open at all times ❖
Radisson Buade Room

Sunday 7:00am - 7:30am

— Worship —

Sunday 7:00am - 7:30 am
Radisson Buade

#4001 **Morning Spiritual Practices (Sunday)**

Planning Committee

For those who enjoy beginning each day in a spiritual way, come join in as our chaplains lead us in a variety of spiritual practices.

Sunday 7:30am-9:30am

— Awards Breakfast —

Sunday 7:30am - 9:30am
Centre des congrès 2000BC

#4002 **Awards Breakfast**

Planning Committee

The Awards Breakfast honors persons for outstanding volunteer leadership in congregations, districts, and continentally. Excellence in preaching on racial and social justice issues, volunteer work furthering the causes of anti-racism, gays, youth, global awareness, and other oppressions are recognized. Pre-purchased tickets to the buffet breakfast are required. Everyone is welcome to attend the awards presentation starting around 8:15am.

— Worship — ✠

Sunday 8:00am - 9:30am
Centre des congrès 200ABC

#4003 **Service of the Living Tradition #1**

Ministry Dept, UUA

This service, led by the Department of Ministry, honors the profession of the fellowshiped religious leadership of the Association by remembering those ministers who have died in the past year, recognizing those who have completed active service, and welcoming those who have been granted fellowship. Retiring ministers and ministers receiving Final Fellowship will be recognized individually. The Rev. Barbara Pescan will preach the sermon "Only By Your Presence."
Speaker: Rev. Barbara Pescan

Sunday 10:00am - 11:30am

— Worship — ✠

Sunday 10:00am - 11:30am
Centre des congrès 200ABC

#4004 **Service of the Living Tradition #2**

Ministry Dept, UUA

The Service of the Living Tradition will be offered a second time. Ministers receiving Preliminary Fellowship will be recognized individually. Child Care is available in Room 2004A during this service only.
Speaker: Rev. Barbara Pescan

Sunday 12:30pm - 4:00pm
Centre des congrès 200ABC

#4005 **Plenary IV**

Planning Committee

Items on today's agenda include Actions of Immediate Witness, bylaw amendments (including those related to UUA/CUC), and reports by the Executive Vice President, and the Financial Advisor. Refer to the Agenda book for details on the specific items to be addressed today.

Sunday 1:00pm-2:15pm

— Repeat Programming —

Sunday 1:00pm - 2:15pm
Centre des congrès 201AB

#4006 **Conducting Your Annual Stewardship Campaign (Repeat)**

Cong. Dist. Ext. Services, UUA

This program is offered a second time. See description #3080 on Saturday.

— Repeat Programming —

Sunday 1:00pm - 2:15pm
Centre des congrès 203

#4007 **Youth & Young Adult Ministry Sunday: Funding Our Vision (Repeat)**

Development Dept, UUA

This program is offered a second time. See description #2063 on Friday.

— Repeat Programming —

Sunday 1:00pm - 2:15pm
Centre des congrès 204A

#4008 **Congregational and Leadership Assessment in the Large Congregation (Repeat)**

Ministry Dept, UUA

This program is offered a second time. See description #3033 on Saturday.

SUNDAY EXHIBIT HALL HOURS

❖12:00 noon-7:00pm❖

Convention Centre Exhibit Hall A

Sunday 8:00am - 9:30am

Sunday 12:30pm - 4:00pm

— Plenary —

— Repeat Programming —

Sunday 1:00pm - 2:15pm
Centre des congrès 206B

#4009 **Icelanders, Socialists and Prairie: UUism in Western Canada (Repeat)**

Western Canada District

This program is offered a second time. See description #2085 on Friday.

— Repeat Programming —

Sunday 1:00pm - 2:15pm
Centre des congrès 206A

#4010 **Is Universalism the Religion You're Longing For? (Repeat)**

New MA Universalist Convention

This program is offered a second time. See description #3068 on Saturday.

— Repeat Programming —

Sunday 1:00pm - 2:15pm
Centre des congrès 205A

#4011 **Five Important Rules for Healthy Church Finances (Repeat)**

Pacific Northwest District

This program is offered a second time. See description #3081 on Saturday.

— Repeat Programming —

Sunday 1:00pm - 2:15pm
Centre des congrès 205B

#4012 **Words for the Holy: Writing as Spiritual Practice (Repeat)**

Skinner House Books

This program is offered a second time. See description #2024 on Friday.

— Repeat Programming —

Sunday 1:00pm-2:15pm
Centre des congrès 205C

#4013 **Religious Liberty Under Siege, 2002 (Repeat)**

UUs for Religious Freedom

This program is offered a second time. See description #2095 on Friday.

— Annual Meeting —

Sunday 4:15pm - 5:30pm
Hilton Bélair & Beaumont

#4014 **Young Adult Caucus Meeting III**

Continental UU Young Adult Network

Come find out what the movers and shakers in the 18-35 year old age range think of the issues being tackled on the plenary floor. A forum to discuss, debate, pool knowledge and determine whether to take a stand as concerned individuals or as a caucus.

*Speakers: Miles Erickson
Catherine Blue*

— Hearing —

Sunday 4:15pm - 5:30pm
Centre des congrès 301B, 302A, 302B, 303A, 303B, 304AB

#4015 **Mini-Assemblies on Actions of Immediate Witness (AIWs)**

Commission on Social Witness

These mini-assemblies are your only opportunities to offer amendments to any of the proposed Actions of Immediate Witness (AIW) admitted to the agenda at Sunday's plenary. Each AIW will be debated at Monday's Plenary. Schedule of room assigned for discussion of each proposed AIW will be announced at Sunday's plenary.

— Lecture —

Sunday 4:15pm - 5:30pm
Centre des congrès 202

#4016 **Panel: Globalization and Climate Change**

UU in the Pines, Inc.

Globalization - Environmental impacts are a significant aspect of the dialogue about globalization and justice. Using climate change to model the ecological, economic, social, and political complexities of environmental issues in a global context, experts will address theological implications of the interconnectedness of Earth's living systems.

Speaker: Bob Luoma

— Lecture —

Sunday 4:15pm - 5:30pm

Centre des congrès 206B

#4017 **Human Rights and Environmental Justice**

UU Migrant Ministry

Amnesty International USA and the Sierra Club are working together. Two Unitarian Universalist ministers active in this partnership will discuss its importance in liberal religion. What can our congregations do to bring social justice concerns into the environmental movement?

*Speakers: Rev. William F. Schulz
Rev. Robert Francis Murphy*

— Performance —

Sunday 4:15pm - 5:30pm
Centre des congrès 2000B

#4018 **Making Waves: Feminist Voices Speak**

UU Women's Federation

This acclaimed Margaret Fuller Award theater piece, presented at UUWF Triennial 2001 (now revised and expanded), addresses the relationship between generations of women. Explores relevant issues including sex positivity, body image, gender identity, sex work raising feminists, and raising feminist consciousness. Created by 2nd and 3rd Wave feminists for EVERYONE!

*Speakers: Justice Waidner
Mandy Jacobsen*

— Workshop —

Sunday 4:15pm - 5:30pm
Centre des congrès 208AB

#4019 **GA Choir Rehearsal III**

Planning Committee

The 2002 GA Choir continues to prepare music for the Monday evening Closing Celebration. This year's directors are Dan Boyce from Bloomfield Hills, Michigan and Sally B. Murphy from Victoria, British Columbia. The accompanists are Sandra Hunt from Montreal, Quebec and Leon Burke from St. Peters, Missouri.

Sunday 4:15pm - 5:30pm

— Workshop —

Sunday 4:15pm - 5:30pm
Centre des congrès 301A

#4020 **Moderator's Forum on
General Assembly**

Board of Trustees, UUA

What are your concerns about General Assembly as it is now offered? Too expensive? Too frequent? Too long? Inaccessible to those who can't take time from work? Problems with selecting programs? With the Commission on Social Witness process? Come share your comments with the UUA Moderator.

*Speakers: Diane Olson
Lyn Conley*



Diane Olson



Lyn Conley

— Workshop —

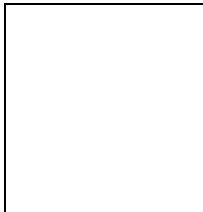
Sunday 4:15pm-5:30pm
Centre des congrès 201AB

#4021 **UUA Loans, Loan
Guarantees, and First
Home Grants**

Cong. Dist. Ext. Services, UUA

Are you planning to conduct a capital campaign in support of a building project? Are you considering additional financing to supplement capital campaign pledges? The UUA may be able to offer some financial assistance to your congregation. Come learn about the criteria for building loans, loan guarantees, and grants.

Speaker: Dr. Wayne B. Clark



Dr. Wayne B. Clark

— Workshop —

Sunday 4:15pm - 5:30pm
Centre des congrès 201C

#4022 **Lay Leadership School
Forum**

UU Leadership School Network

Persons interested in UU schools offering training for lay leaders can find out about curriculum, faculty, philosophy, costs, locations, and dates at this forum. Representatives of the schools will be present to describe their programs and answer your questions.

— Workshop —

Sunday 4:15pm-5:30pm
Centre des congrès 2001A

#4023 **Taking Stock: Social
Activism and Investing**

UU Service Committee

Social action includes socially responsible investing (SRI). As a stock owner, you share responsibility for the workings of the companies you own. Through SRI, you can ensure that they are good neighbors and citizens. Find out how the UU Service Committee chooses issues and companies and how you can also.

*Speakers: James Gunning
Denise Moorehead*

— Workshop —

Sunday 4:15pm-5:30pm
Centre des congrès 204B

#4024 **Physician's Assistance
Executing Prisoners in
the United States**

UUs for Alternatives to Death Penalty

Physicians historically have assisted the State in executing unwanted persons, from Dr. Guillotin to the current use of anesthetic techniques and agents advised by physicians, or supervised by physicians. We will review history and make plans to remove this blight from our society. Program Repeats Monday at 3:15pm.

Speaker: Dr. Lawrence Egbert

— Workshop —

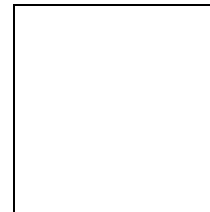
Sunday 4:15pm - 5:30pm
Centre des congrès 205C

#4025 **Interim Ministry--
Making the Most of It**

Ministry Dept, UUA

Congregations seeking to make the most of an interim year will be goal directed. What these goals may be and what additional goals may develop during the year will be the focus of the discussion. Panel members include Accredited Interim Minister-lay leader pairs from large and mid-size congregations.

Speaker: Rev. John Weston



Rev. John Weston

— Workshop —

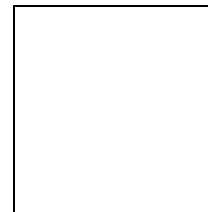
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#4026 **Starr King School
President's Lecture**

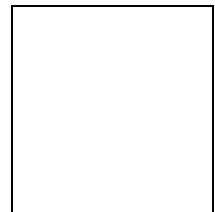
Starr King School for the Ministry

Religious liberals need to renew our practice of engaged religious citizenship to respond effectively to current events that threaten democracy and global security. How do we move beyond privatized religious belief to public ministry? Dr. Clare Fischer, Aurelia Henry Reinhardt Professor of Religion and Culture at Starr King, will speak.

*Speakers: Dr. Clare Fischer
Rev. Rebecca Ann Parker*



Dr. Clare Fischer



*Rev. Rebecca Ann
Parker*

— Workshop —

Sunday 4:15pm - 5:30pm
Centre des congrès 207

#4027 **Marriage From the Heart**

Family Matters Task Force

Join author Lois Kellerman as she talks about the eight commitments of a spiritually fulfilling relationship. She offers core life values that provide spiritual guidance to every season of marriage. Three respondents will bring their perspectives to the conversation - gay man, elder with grandchildren, new father in multiracial family.

Speaker: Lois Kellerman



Lois Kellerman

— Workshop —

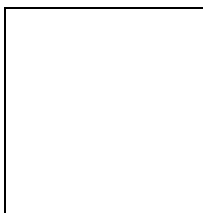
Sunday 4:15pm - 5:30pm
Centre des congrès 203

#4028 **Pastoral Care Issues for Congregations of all Sizes**

Joseph Priestley District

Learn: 1. How a well organized pastoral care program can change your entire congregation into a caring community. 2. How providing pastoral care can be a spiritually rewarding experience for the caregivers. 3. How to get members of your congregation to ask for help.

*Speakers: Rev. Scott Alexander
Dr. Sylvia Friedman*



Rev. Scott Alexander

— Workshop —

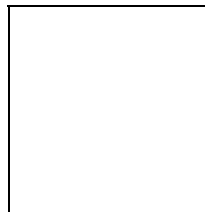
Sunday 4:15pm - 5:30pm
Centre des congrès 204A

#4029 **Beyond Messy Conversations**

UU United Nations Office

The UN World Conference Against Racism in South Africa last fall was a messy conversation. It will never be easy to discuss racism or reparations...unless we change the way we look at the problem. We can build a world where we'll bind up the broken if only we will.

*Speakers: Rev. Olivia Holmes
Jen Deaderick*



Rev. Olivia Holmes

— Workshop — 

Sunday 4:15pm - 5:30pm
Centre des congrès 205AB

#4030 **Continuing the Dialogue Youth and Racism**

Young Religious UUs

YRUU is confronting the issue of racism within its structure. Discuss institutionalized racism, and the place of youth of color in YRUU, from local youth groups to the continental level. Find out what steps YRUU is taking towards becoming an anti-racist organization.

— Worship —

Sunday 4:15pm - 5:30pm
Centre des congrès 2001BC

#4031 **Celebrating Life**

Interweave

Come hear the winner of the Interweave Sermon contest as we worship together, celebrating life, celebrating love, and celebrating hope. Interweave supports the bisexual, gay, lesbian, and transgender folk among us.

Speaker: Rev. Jane Dwinell

— Worship —

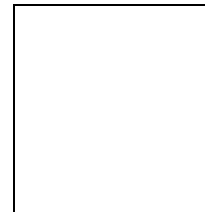
Sunday 4:15pm - 5:30pm
Centre des congrès 2000D

#4032 **In Our Hands: Project Harvest Hope Annual Worship**

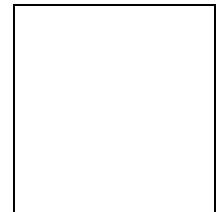
Project Harvest Hope

This worship service will feature the inspired preaching of the Reverend Zsuzsanna Bartha, minister in Meszko, Transylvania and this year's Balazs Ferenc Scholar at Starr King School for the Ministry. Zsuzsa will describe the struggles of Transylvanian Unitarians and how Project Harvest Hope does indeed bring hope to this region.

*Speakers: Rev. Zsuzsanna Bartha
Rev. Rob Eller-Isaacs*





*Rev. Zsuzsanna
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Bartha*



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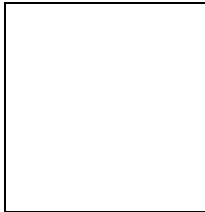
Sunday 4:15pm - 5:30pm
Hilton Porte du Palais

#4033 **Witnesses to the
Resurrection: Annual
UUCF Communion
Service**

UU Christian Fellowship

Event 4 of 4 in the UU Christian Journey at GA. On September 11th Rosemary Bray McNatt and Rob Hardies were beginning ordinary days as ministers to UU congregations in NYC and Washington, DC. Today we join with them for a Communion service of hope and healing. Music by Joyce Poley.

*Speakers: Rev. Robert Hardies
Rev. Rosemary Bray McNatt*



Rev. Robert Hardies

SUNDAY EXHIBIT HALL HOURS
❖ 12:00 noon-7:00pm ❖
Convention Centre Exhibit Hall A

Sunday 8:00pm - 9:00pm

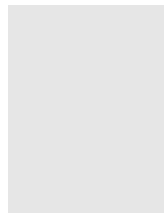
— Ware Lecture — 

Sunday 8:00pm - 9:00pm
Centre des congrès 200ABC

#4034 **Ware Lecture**

Planning Committee

Considered one of Canada's most effective speakers, Stephen Lewis has been a broadcaster, a political leader and a diplomat. Formerly Canadian Ambassador to the UN, Special Advisor on Africa to the UN Secretary-General and Deputy Director of UNICEF, he is an eloquent advocate for the rights of children and women and for the world's poor.



Stephen Lewis

Sunday 9:30pm - 10:15pm

— Worship —

Sunday 9:30pm - 10:15pm
Centre des congrès 2000C

#4035 **All-GA Youth Worship**

Planning Committee

Come and be part of a huge participatory worship, led by members of youth caucus. This is a wonderful tradition started at the Youth Focus General Assembly in 1996. Join us for what has become one of the most spiritually moving experiences at GA!

Monday 7:00am - 7:30am

— Worship —

Monday 7:00am - 7:30am
Radisson Buade

#5001 **Morning Spiritual Practices (Monday)**

Planning Committee

For those who enjoy beginning each day in a spiritual way, come join in as our chaplains lead us in a variety of spiritual practices.

Monday 8:30am - 9:45am

— Hearing —

Monday 8:30am - 9:45am
Centre des congrès 207

#5002 **UUA Staff Restructuring - Bridges Instead of Silos**

Board of Trustees, UUA

Have you noticed some new UUA staff titles? They represent much more than the re-naming of existing departments. Learn more about the re-imagination of how UUA staff will relate to each other, be organized by function, and provide services to congregations. Your questions are welcome.

*Speakers: Kay Montgomery
Beth McGregor*

— Workshop —

Monday 8:30am - 9:45am
Centre des congrès 301B

#5003 **Policy Governance for Church Boards: Panel Presentation**

Pacific Central District

Growing numbers of UU church boards have chosen Policy Governance as their operating model. Developed by John Carver, this model addresses numerous board conundrums: interminable meetings, overloaded agendas, vague accountability, micromanagement, and loss of vision! The speaker and panel will allow plenty of time for questions and provide many handouts.

Speaker: Rev. Margaret Keip

— Workshop —

Monday 8:30am -9:45am
Centre des congrès 303A

#5004 **Responding to Addictions in Our Congregations**

Ballou Channing District

Statistically, over half of the US population is either chemically dependent or seriously negatively affected by someone's addiction. The workshop will explore components of a lay-led addictions ministry, including, programming ideas, pastoral counseling and social action in the community, based on the addictions ministry of First Parish Brewster, MA. Program Repeats Monday at 3:15pm.

Speaker: Denis Meacham, D.Min.



Denis Meacham, D.Min.

— Workshop —

Monday 8:30am - 9:45am
Centre des congrès 204B

#5005 **13 Marks of A Healthy UU Congregation**

Pacific Southwest District

Our primary mission is to build beloved communities wherever we UUs are planted. Given our many diversities, how do we do that? The presenter has been a parish minister for 35 years and is the author of 15 books. His lifework has been sustaining vital UU churches. Program Repeats Monday at 3:15pm.

Speaker: Rev. Tom Owen-Towle



Rev. Tom Owen-Towle

— Workshop —

Monday 8:30am - 9:45am
Centre des congrès 303B

#5006 **Campus Ministry 101**

Cong. Dist. Ext. Services, UUA

You can create a campus ministry that touches lives, deepens spirituality and ensures an ongoing connection to our faith tradition. Come and explore the basics of campus ministry: tried and true wisdom from experience, first steps in beginning campus programs, and ways to advocate for campus programs in your congregation.

*Speakers: Jesse Jaeger
Joseph Lyons*

— Workshop —

Monday 8:30am - 9:45am
Centre des congrès 205C

#5007 **Growing Into Our White Anti-Racist Identities**

Faith in Action Dept, UUA

A four-person panel will discuss the historical origins of whiteness and the need to confront this heritage. They will address how to take responsibility for white identity, wrestle with fears of not knowing enough and feeling isolated from white communities, and talk about resources that will help us move forward.

— Workshop —

Monday 8:30am - 9:45am
Centre des congrès 203

#5008 **How To Tell Your Congregation's Most Exciting Stories**

Jubilee Working Grp. for Anti-Racism

This is an opportunity to meet with the Jubilee Working Group, learn about anti-oppression programs, and learn how to tell your congregation's most interesting stories by using the internet.

*Speakers: Marge Link
Betty Holcomb*

— Workshop — 

Monday 8:30am - 9:45am
Centre des congrès 202

#5009 **Counterintuitive Wisdom From Successful Large Churches**

Cong. Dist. Ext. Services, UUA
The accumulated wisdom from successful large congregations is surprisingly counterintuitive! Is it possible that large congregations are large because they “do small” better than small ones? Could it be that “Sunday is for company” rather than for serving those who already belong? The large congregation is a world of surprises!

*Speakers: Rev. Stefan Jonasson
Rev. Suzanne Meyer*



Rev. Stefan Jonasson

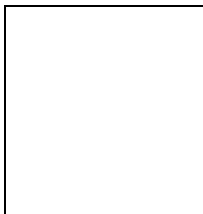
— Workshop —

Monday 8:30am - 9:45am
Centre des congrès 302B

#5010 **Whole Woman Whole Life**

Rowe Camp and Conference Center
What does wholeness mean in the life of a woman? Is life fulfillment different for a woman than it is for a man? Explore your own life to determine what individual needs you must address to achieve wholeness. Led by Janet G. Matson, author of *Whole Woman Whole Life*.

Speaker: Janet Gould Matson



Janet Gould Matson

— Workshop — 

Monday 8:30am - 9:45am
Centre des congrès 201AB

#5011 **New Challenges of Bioethics from a UU Perspective**

Planning Committee Sponsored
How do we ethically engage with the moral questions arising from modern biomedical science and health care? We will address such issues as life-death decisions, reproductive and tissue technology, end-of-life care, the rights of patients and research subjects, and public health crises. Program Repeats Monday at 3:15pm.

*Speakers: Gerald S. Schatz
Carol S. Nielsen*

— Workshop —

Monday 8:30am - 9:45am
Centre des congrès 204A

#5012 **Personal Finances for Church Staff**

Society for Ministerial Relief
How to stretch income farther than you thought possible. How to maximize assets for a reasonable life-style now and still save for retirement. Mastering the mysteries of clergy compensation. What you really need to know about money but often find hard to remember.

Speaker: Rev. Paul Johnson

— Worship —

Monday 8:30am - 9:45am
Centre des congrès 208AB

#5013 **Celebrating UUism Commitment to Social Justice**

Commission on Social Witness
The recipient of the sermon contest, jointly sponsored by the Commission on Social Witness and the Unitarian Universalist Ministers Association, will deliver the winning sermon on one of the current Study/Action Issues (War on Drugs or Globalization). Come worship with us and celebrate our faith’s commitment to social justice.

*Speakers: Rev. Barbara Child
Chris Trace*

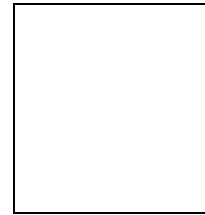
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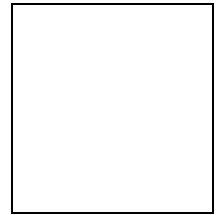
#5014 **Brick by Brick: Putting UU Principles Into Practice**

UU Affordable Housing Corporation
UUAHC channels socially responsible investments into affordable housing. This session will explain how UUAHC has leveraged millions of dollars in private funding and give you ideas about how you can support this work. Socially responsible investors, church leaders, and everyone interested in social justice work will find this session eye-opening. Program Repeats Monday at 3:15pm.

*Speakers: Mark A. Knight
Gladys Clearwaters*



Mark A. Knight Gladys Clearwaters





— Worship —

Monday 8:30am - 9:45am
Centre des congrès 205AB

#5015 **First Annual Beacon Press Sermon Contest Winner**

Beacon Press
This service celebrates the promise of a new level of dialogue and connection between Beacon Press and the Unitarian Universalist community. This sermon was delivered in the past year, and is based on a Beacon Press book. A small reception will take place before the service starts.

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Monday 10:15am-11:30am

— Annual Meeting —

Monday 10:15am - 11:30am
Centre des congrès 304AB

#5016 **How The LINC
Concept Can
Transform
Congregations**

Continental UU Young Adult Network
Linked Identities Networking in Coalition (LINC) is a coalition between C*UUYAN, YRUU, DRUUMM, Interweave, and the UUWF. Learn how bringing LINC home to your congregation can create a more powerful and diverse community.

Speaker: Matthew Johnson

— Annual Meeting —

Monday 10:15am - 11:30am
Centre des congrès 302A

#5017 **New Directions in
Urban Ministry**

Urban Church Coalition

The annual meeting of the Coalition is an opportunity for sharing of resources and concerns and building the coalition to address urban concerns within the UU movement.

Speaker: Rev. Benjamin Maucere

— Annual Meeting —

Monday 10:15am - 11:30am
Centre des congrès 301A

#5018 **Annual Meeting: Bold
Directions for Partner
Churches**

UU Partner Church Council

The Annual Meeting of the Partner Church Council will feature brief presentations on new initiatives growing out of the organization's recently adopted vision statement. There will be time for questions and answers with a panel of partner church leaders, and celebration with music from Transylvania, the Philippines and India.

Speakers: Rev. David Keyes
Cathy Cordes

— Performance —

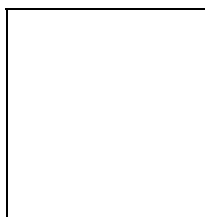
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Centre des congrès 2000B

#5019 **Byenai and Lena: A
Siberian Creation Story**

Covenant of UU Pagans

Rev. Richard Lyon, minister, actor, creation spirituality teacher, performs this dramatic rendition of the Yakut creation myth. Richard has performed with such professional companies as the Colorado Shakespeare Festival, Hilberry Repertory Co., and Thunder River Theatre. His presentation incorporates his training in shamanic trance, Nyingma Tibetan Windhorse invocation and yang-style tai-chi.

Speaker: Rev. Richard Lyon



Rev. Richard Lyon

— Workshop —

Monday 10:15am - 11:30am
Centre des congrès 2000A

#5020 **Human Rights in the
Post-9/11 World**

Beacon Press

William Schulz reflects on the new preface to his book, *In Our Own Best Interest*, and on the connection between human rights abuses and the terrorists attacks of 9/11 and on how we can—in fact must—continue to be vigilant about human rights in this era of declared and undeclared war.

Speaker: Rev. William F. Schulz



Rev. William F. Schulz

— Workshop —

Monday 10:15am - 11:30am
Centre des congrès 2001A

#5021 **Crossing the Cultural
Divide: Can UUism Be
Translated?**

Canadian Unitarian Council

As we try to reach beyond the predominantly white, middle-class, English-speaking culture of UUism to groups with different characteristics, we must ask what translates easily or well or not, and what we can learn from other cultures? Explore with our panelists the complications in reaching out, successfully and respectfully.

Speaker: Keith Baxter

— Workshop —

Monday 10:15am - 11:30am
Centre des congrès 203

#5022 **Using the WorldWide
Web to Strengthen Lay
Leadership**

Communications Dept, UUA

Take a tour through uua.org and related sites to explore the leadership resources that can help congregations find resources, information and tools to support and strengthen healthy congregational behavior. The UUA's Director of Electronic Communication and two members of the UUA District staff will be your tour guides.

Speakers: Angela Merkert
Richard Speck

— Workshop —

Monday 10:15am - 11:30am
Centre des congrès 206A

#5023 **The Promises and
Problems of
Globalization**

Conservative Forum for UUs

The dream of universal free trade promoted by economists since Adam Smith is now on the verge of reality. Explore the promises and potential pitfalls of trying to achieve "The goal of world community with peace, liberty, and justice for all" as enunciated in our Principles.

Speaker: Larry Landrum

— Workshop —

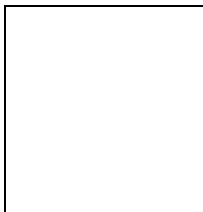
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#5024 **Exploring Change in Your Congregation**

Cong. Dist. Ext. Services, UUA

The rate of change in our society has recently become more intense than in any previous generation. These circumstances are creating a proliferation of Unitarian Universalist ministry opportunities. However, if we can't cope with change, our ability to make a meaningful difference in this world will be dramatically diminished.

Speaker: Dr. Wayne B. Clark



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— Workshop —

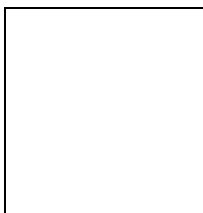
Monday 10:15am - 11:30am
Centre des congrès 2001BC

#5025 **Planned Gifts: Help Your Congregation and Yourself**

Development Dept, UUA

A planned gift can increase your income, save taxes, and make a significant difference in the witness and work of your congregation and our liberal religion. Handouts, humor, heart, and easy-to-understand presentation of how to use the UUA Charitable Gift Annuity and the Pooled Income Gift Fund services.

Speaker: Marcy Bailey-Adams



Marcy Bailey-Adams

— Workshop —

Monday 10:15am - 11:30am
Centre des congrès 301B

#5026 **Practical Youth Empowerment for Adults**

Religious Education Dept, UUA

Youth empowerment is based on the principle of inherent worth and dignity of all people. It is a delicate balancing act that involves support, guidance and the willingness to let go. It is about supporting a process of learning, not pushing for a specific outcome. (Youth are encouraged to attend.)

*Speakers: Dan Harper
Devin Krugman*

— Workshop —

Monday 10:15am - 11:30am
Centre des congrès 303A

#5027 **Will Mandatory Marriage Solve Problems of Poverty?**

Social Action Clearing House

As policies and economics shift in the United States, economically vulnerable people are increasingly subject to policies which promote social controls: tying welfare benefits to marriage, abstinence only sexuality education, and other measures. Come and hear what is going on and how UU activists are making a difference.

*Speakers: Emily Dulcan
Lissa Grundlach*

— Workshop —

Monday 10:15am-11:30am
Centre des congrès 206B

#5028 **General Assembly Feedback Session**

Planning Committee

It is your turn! Tell the GA Planning Committee what you liked and disliked about this year's General Assembly. We want you to help make next year's General Assembly even better. Your participation in this interactive session is encouraged.

*Speakers: Marc Loustau
Lillian Anderson*

— Workshop —

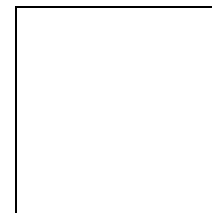
Monday 10:15am - 11:30am
Centre des congrès 202

#5029 **Talking About Sex Between the Generations**

Family Matters Task Force

Sexuality IS something that everyone talks about! In this workshop children, youth, young adults, adults, and elders will engage in learning activities and "teachable moment" games that span the generations. Come break down the generational barriers and promote sexual health and safety, respectful relationships, age-appropriate communication, and responsible sexual behaviors.

*Speakers: Maia Cudhea
Rev. Pat Hoertdoerfer*



Rev. Pat Hoertdoerfer

— Workshop —

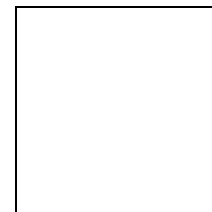
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Centre des congrès 205AB

#5030 **A Conversation with the President**

President's Office, UUA

An opportunity to have a conversation with our new UUA President and find out how his first year in office has gone.

Speaker: Rev. William Sinkford



Rev. William Sinkford

— Workshop —

Monday 10:15am - 11:30am
Centre des congrès 200ABC

#5031 **GA Choir Rehearsal IV**

Planning Committee

This is the final 2002 GA Choir for this evening's Closing Celebration. This year's directors are Dan Boyce from Bloomfield Hills, Michigan and Sally B. Murphy from Victoria, British Columbia. The accompanists are Sandra Hunt from Montreal, Quebec and Leon Burke from St. Peters, Missouri.

— Workshop —

Monday 10:15am - 11:30am
Centre des congrès 205C

#5032 **All About the UU Funding Program**

UU Funding Program

The UU Funding Program awards \$860,000 in grants to UU projects that strengthen institutions and community life, increase UU involvement in social responsibility and to non-UU groups organizing for social and economic justice. Come meet the people who give it all away and see if your project fits our guidelines.

*Speakers: Hillary Goodridge
Linda Lu Schulz*

— Workshop —

Monday 10:15am - 11:30am
Centre des congrès 201C

#5033 **The Creative Balance - Global Economics and Child Development**

Promise Massachusetts Children

Globalization - In this workshop you will find ways to advocate for legislation that supports healthy child development with affordable pre-schooling and after-school programs. We need to balance between our dependence on world economy and insuring that each child develops as a confident citizen who values the world's resources.

*Speakers: Mildred Seaborn
Becky Richardson*

— Workshop —

Monday 10:15am - 11:30am
Centre des congrès 207

#5034 **District Transition from Pastoral to Program Model**

Planning Committee Sponsored

Research indicates that the most challenging transition in growth is from pastoral to program size. This workshop panel will explore districts that are transforming from pastoral to program models, their challenges, best practices and the implications for governance structures, staffing patterns, membership, fiscal issues and evolving district culture.

*Speakers: Nancy Heege
Rev. Tracey Robinson-Harris*

— Worship —

Monday 10:15am - 11:30am
Centre des congrès 2000D

#5035 **Joining Hands Around the World--Women Making Peace**

UU Women's Heritage Society

Our Unitarian and Universalist foremothers have been leaders in working for world peace. Women like Julia Ward Howe, Augusta Chapin, Emily Green Balch, and Margaret Moseley paved the way for today's work for justice and peace. Scripts of service will be available for use with your group.

UU
Women's
Heritage
Society
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— Worship —

Monday 10:15am - 11:30am
Centre des congrès 208AB

#5036 **Schweitzer Sermon Worship Service and UFETA Annual Meeting**

UUs for Ethical Treatment of Animals

The Schweitzer Sermon Award is presented annually to the Unitarian Universalist preacher whose words best illuminate Albert Schweitzer's principle of "reverence for life." The worship service and winning sermon will be followed by a brief annual meeting for UFETA (UUs for Ethical Treatment of Animals).

Monday 12:30pm-1:45pm

— Annual Meeting —

Monday 12:30pm - 1:45pm
Hilton Bélair & Beaumont

#5037 **Young Adult Caucus Meeting IV & Elections**

Continental UU Young Adult Network

Come find out what the movers and shakers in the 18-35 year old age range think of the issues being tackled on the plenary floor. A forum to discuss, debate, pool knowledge and determine whether to take a stand as concerned individuals or as a caucus.

*Speakers: Miles Erickson
Catherine Blue*

— Annual Meeting —

Monday 12:30pm - 1:45pm
Centre des congrès 2000C

#5038 **Youth Caucus Business Meeting 5**

Young Religious UUs

Youth Caucus business meeting.

Speaker: Nat Balder

MONDAY EXHIBIT HALL HOURS
❖9:00am-3:00pm❖
Convention Centre Exhibit Hall A

— Hearing —

Monday 12:30pm – 1:45pm
Centre des congrès 303B

#5039 **Hearing on the New Study/Action Issue**

Faith in Action Dept, UUA

After a brief overview of the next steps in the process, and some general tips on implementation, audience members will be invited to share their ideas on how best to study and act on the newly-selected Study/Action Issue. A preliminary study/action resource guide will be distributed.

Speaker: Rob Cavanaugh

— Lecture —

Monday 12:30pm - 1:45pm
Centre des congrès 206A

#5040 **The CUC From Colony to Nation, 1960-2002**

UU Historical Society

The founding president of the CUC explains how and why the CUC is replacing the UUA in Canada. Why and how was the CUC founded in the first place? What has been the story of relations with the UUA? How have decisions been made? The annual meeting will be held.

Speaker: Charles Eddis

— Workshop —

Monday 12:30pm - 1:45pm
Centre des congrès 301A

#5041 **Economic and Environmental Justice in Massachusetts**

UU Migrant Ministry

South of the border, in Massachusetts, grassroots Unitarian Universalists are working for economic justice and healthy neighborhoods. This event focuses on Harvard employees, affordable housing, community organizing, environmental justice work, and UUSC activities. Resources for Bay State congregations. Moderator: Rev. Robert Francis Murphy.

*Speakers: Rev. David C. Olson
Kim McDonald*

— Workshop —

Monday 12:30pm - 1:45pm
Centre des congrès 207

#5042 **Responsible Endowment Investing and Shareholder Activism**

Investment Committee, UUA

As stewards of faith-based institutions, good investment methods are critical to our congregations' future. Asset allocation policy, investment manager selection, performance evaluation, fees, social screens and shareholder activism will be explored. The investment products and services available from the UUA will be described. Program Repeats Monday at 3:15pm.

*Speakers: Lucia Santini Field
Jim Gunning*

— Lecture —

Monday 12:30pm - 1:45pm
Centre des congrès 304AB

#5043 **Humanism in a Changing World**

American Humanist Association

While others oppose change and espouse a return to outmoded ways of the past, Humanism remains an active agent of change in search of a better future for all. Recent events demonstrate just how rapidly the world can change. How can Humanists promote a progressive vision in this changing world?

— Workshop —

Monday 12:30pm - 1:45pm
Centre des congrès 204A

#5044 **Sisters on a Journey: Establishing the QueenSpirit**

Planning Committee Sponsored

A model for women to start and maintain feminine spirituality groups in their congregations to satisfy women's hunger for a sense of the feminine holy through education, ritual, social events and worship services.

*Speakers: Dr. Cheryl Vermeij
Mary Ann Rhoads*

— Workshop —

Monday 12:30pm - 1:45pm
Centre des congrès 205C

#5045 **Stewardship in a Changing World**

Development Dept, UUA

How can congregations respond to the challenges and opportunities that events like 9/11 and its aftermath pose for them in their stewardship/fundraising efforts? Come share your congregation's experiences and insights from the past year and learn how others are countering the "myth of scarcity" with the "reality of abundance."

*Speakers: Dr. Wayne B. Clark
Mary L. Miles*

— Workshop —

Monday 12:30pm - 1:45pm
Centre des congrès 202

#5046 **Organizing Multiracial Family and Family of Color Retreats**

DRUUMM

This workshop serves as the first of an annual working group for local organizers of Multiracial and Families of Color Retreats sponsored by DRUUMM. Organizers come together to share resources, offer new organizers support for their work, and establish an effective ongoing network to increase communication throughout the year.

Speaker: James Coombs

— Workshop —

Monday 12:30pm - 1:45pm
Centre des congrès 303A

#5047 **Religious Education Covenanting**

Cong. Dist. Ext. Services, UUA

Join the Religious Education Program Consultant Team as we roll out the new RE Covenanting Process. This workshop will provide an overview of the process and information about when and how it can be most useful for religious educators and congregations.

*Speakers: Cindy Leitner
Dori Davenport*

— Workshop —

Monday 12:30pm - 1:45pm
Centre des congrès 205AB

#5048 **Home Alone, Female and Over 60: Social Justice?**

UU Women's Federation

Moderated discussion of the daily struggles of older women to meet their needs and deal with the financial hardships caused by divorce, widowhood, and histories of low-paying jobs with no pensions. Includes viewing the video, "When She Gets Old," produced by WTTW in Chicago. Presented by UUWF Board.

*Speakers: Lin Hinds
Joan Moore*

— Workshop —

Monday 12:30pm - 1:45pm
Centre des congrès 2000B

#5049 **Intergenerational Worship - An Engaging, Successful Model**

Mid-South District

Intergenerational worship can be fun-- for all! Rev. Greg Ward, minister at Roswell, Georgia's UU Metro Atlanta North congregation, presents a model based on storytelling, which engages all ages and is user-friendly for congregations of all sizes. The workshop also covers intergenerational worship philosophy, techniques and guidelines.

Speaker: Rev. Greg Ward



Rev. Greg Ward

— Workshop —

Monday 12:30pm - 1:45pm
Centre des congrès 201AB

#5050 **Ministerial Succession Planning**

Ministry Dept, UUA

What is the role of a minister emeritus/a in the congregation? What is the relationship between the emeritus/a and a newly settled minister? Who decides? When the role doesn't work or the relationship goes sour, what then? Insights gleaned from ministers of mid-size and large congregations will be shared.

Speaker: Rev. John Weston



Rev. John Weston

— Workshop —

Monday 12:30pm - 1:45pm
Centre des congrès 204B

#5051 **Children, War and Small Arms - What a Mixture!**

UU United Nations Office

What problems do war-affected children have? What was achieved at the UN Small Arms Conference? What were UUs doing at the recent UN Special Session on Children? Elaine Harvey, UUA's Official Representative to the UN, and Richard Withers, a director of the UU-UNO, will discuss these questions with you.

*Speakers: Elaine Harvey
Richard Withers*



Elaine Harvey

— Workshop —

Monday 12:30pm - 1:45pm
Centre des congrès 201C

#5052 **How the Death Penalty Affects the Wider Society**

UUs for Alternatives to Death Penalty

The death penalty is not just about punishing accused murderers. Many others, from victims' families and families of those executed, to legal professionals (both those who prosecute and those who defend), to jury members and those who must carry out the actual execution -- all are affected in negative ways.

Speaker: Jean Rabenold

— Workshop —

Monday 12:30pm - 1:45pm
Centre des congrès 2001BC

#5053 **Meaning Making in Justice Ministry**

Planning Committee Sponsored

The Urban Disciples are five Veatch-funded urban social justice ministries that have worked to learn and reflect together on the issues of their cities. This is an opportunity to reflect on meaning making in justice ministries, and how theologies or worldviews are informed by work for justice.

*Speakers: Rev. Kay Jorgensen
Rev. Parisa Parsa*

— Workshop —

Monday 12:30pm - 1:45pm
Centre des congrès 2001A

#5054 **The Changing Shape of District Boards**

District Presidents Association

What is a district for? What is the relationship between congregations, districts and the UUA? What models of district structure and governance exist? How do people find out what is going on in a district? What should members of a board know and do?

*Speakers: Ted Lightfoot
Evelyn Spurgin*

— Workshop —

Monday 12:30pm - 1:45pm
Centre des congrès 301B

#5055 **Persistent Poverty:
Educating
Congregations for
Advocacy and Action**

UU Service Committee

This presentation showcases an intergenerational, congregational exploration of persistent poverty. The workshop will provide six social justice action guides for education and advocacy, examples of experiential learning and opportunities for action related to persistent poverty in the US and Canada. Ted Steege of UUSC's Public Policy department will also present.

*Speakers: Jackie Ladd
Gaia Brown*

Monday 2:15pm - 2:45pm

— Worship —

Monday 2:15pm - 2:45pm
Centre des congrès 200ABC

#5056 **Monday Afternoon
Worship: "Monuments to
Life"**

Planning Committee

Join in the spirit of worship and community at this all-GA worship service. In the wake of the September 11th terrorist attacks there are ongoing debates about what monument could be erected at ground zero that would be "fitting" or "appropriate". What alters, spaces, journals, or shrines do we create collectively or individually that speak to the magnitude of some shared experiences?

Speaker: Rev. Shana Goodwin

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Monday 2:45pm - 6:30pm

— Plenary —

Monday 2:45pm - 6:30pm
Centre des congrès 200ABC

#5057 **Plenary V**

Planning Committee

Debate is bound to be lively on Actions of Immediate Witness, and votes may be close, as we wrap up the business sessions for this General Assembly. Refer to the Agenda book for details on items to be covered today, and keep in mind that there may also be business items from previous Plenary Sessions.

Monday 3:15pm - 4:30pm

— Repeat Programming —

Monday 3:15pm - 4:30pm
Centre des congrès 206B

#5058 **Physician's Assistance
Executing Prisoners in
the United States
(Repeat)**

UUs for Alternatives to Death Penalty

This program is offered a second time.
See description #4024 on Sunday.

— Repeat Programming —

Monday 3:15pm - 4:30pm
Centre des congrès 202

#5059 **Responding to
Addictions in Our
Congregations (Repeat)**

Ballou Channing District

This program is offered a second time.
See description #5004 on Monday.

— Repeat Programming —

Monday 3:15pm - 4:30pm
Centre des congrès 201AB

#5060 **How to Plan Your
Capital Campaign
(Repeat)**

Cong. Dist. Ext. Services, UUA

This program is offered a second time.
See description #3057 on Saturday.

— Repeat Programming —

Monday 3:15pm - 4:30pm
Centre des congrès 207

#5061 **Responsible
Endowment Investing
and Shareholder
Activism (Repeat)**

Investment Committee, UUA

This program is offered a second time.
See description #5042 on Monday.

— Repeat Programming —

Monday 3:15pm - 4:30pm
Centre des congrès 205C

#5062 **Who are the Unitarian
Universalist
Christians? (Repeat)**

Magi Network

This program is offered a second time.
See description #2065 on Friday.

— Repeat Programming —

Monday 3:15pm - 4:30pm
Centre des congrès 204B

#5063 **13 Marks of A Healthy
UU Congregation
(Repeat)**

Pacific Southwest District

This program is offered a second time.
See description #5005 on Monday.

— Repeat Programming —

Monday 3:15pm - 4:30pm
Centre des congrès 205B

#5064 **New Challenges of
Bioethics from a UU
Perspective (Repeat)**

Planning Committee Sponsored

This program is offered a second time.
See description #5011 on Monday.

— Repeat Programming —

Monday 3:15pm - 4:30pm
Centre des congrès 204A

#5065 **Brick by Brick: Putting
UU Principles Into
Practice (Repeat)**

UU Affordable Housing Corporation

This program is offered a second time.
See description #5014 on Monday.

Monday 8:30pm–10:00pm

— Closing Celebration — 🎉

Monday 8:30pm – 10:00pm
Centre des congrès 200ABC

#5066 **Closing Celebration**

Planning Committee

Join us for an evening of songs, stories, pictures of our last General Assembly in Canada. Hear stories and songs describing the origins of Quebec and St. Jean Baptiste day with the lively music of the Painchaud Family Trio and storyteller Paul Moreau. Listen to the wonderful voices of our own GA choir. Participate in a celebration of Quebec and beyond that you won't soon forget!

Monday 10:30pm-12:30am

— Dance —

Monday 10:30pm - 12:30am
Radisson Ballroom

#5067 **Closing Dance**

Planning Committee

Dance and party with a Quebecois flavor. Come and join us after the closing celebration. The Painchaud Family Trio will help us to sing, dance and experience Quebec. Our talented local dj will provide the evening's music and we'll dance the night away. Our last in Quebec. Cash bar available.

MONDAY EXHIBIT HALL HOURS

❖9:00am-3:00pm❖

Convention Centre Exhibit Hall A
