



# First Unitarian Universalist CONGREGATION OF ANN ARBOR



## **Sunday Morning Service** **Sunday, April 5, 2020 | 11:30am**

This week's Sunday Worship can be viewed using this [YouTube Live Stream link](#).

## **Sunday Social Time**

### **Sunday, April 5, Immediately following the Service**

Join fellow congregants for a virtual Social Time via Zoom. Participants will be broken into small chat rooms. So grab a cup of coffee and click on this [Social Time Zoom link](#).

To view or listen to past Sunday Services, [click here](#).

## **Sample of Upcoming Events via Zoom**



### **Zoom Online Meditation with Rev. Manish** **Wednesdays, April 8, 15 | 4:00-5:00pm**

As we find ways to be in community without meeting in person, please join an online meditation session with Rev. Manish:

[Use this Zoom link to join the session.](#)

Or join with Zoom Room ID: 156-032-686

## **Pastoral Care Call**

**Monday, , April 6, 11:00am-12:00pm**

**Wednesday, April 8, 6:00pm-7:00pm**

This is an opportunity to listen and share with other



UUAA members and friends. Contact Pastoral Care Coordinator Quiana Perkins at [quiana@uuaa.org](mailto:quiana@uuaa.org) to obtain the Zoom link.



## Connecting with Small Group Ministries Via Zoom

To connect with your UUAA small group such as Chalice Bells, Chalice Circle, Men's Circle, and more, go to the [UUAA calendar](#). You may need to contact the listed group leader to get the Zoom link.



## Getting Started with Zoom

Use this [link for a quick tutorial to get started with Zoom](#).



## Visioning 20/50 Process Update

We want you to know that while the Vision 20/50 leadership is still meeting and still involved in vision planning, we are slowing down the process and considering how best to proceed given our current circumstances and priorities to help one another and stay healthy.

Watch for future updates on the next steps and in the meantime, if you have ideas about specific goals within the areas of focus the congregation has prioritized (see below), please email them to [vision@uuaa.org](mailto:vision@uuaa.org).

Follow this link to view the [Theory of Change that includes the priority rankings](#) that highlight the work we have chosen to tackle first as we do our strategic planning for the near future. This does not mean that lower ranked goals will not be pursued. In fact many areas overlap and while the focus may be on the five highest ranked areas, other areas may get addressed along the way or they will receive more focus at a later time.

The 5 major areas that received the highest rankings from the congregation are:

## Community Engagement

- Environmental and climate justice

- Supporting community members with critical needs (hunger, housing, etc)
- Anti-racism work / supporting communities of color (including migrants, prisoners)

### **Inside the UUAA Congregation**

- Supportive community that welcomes and values all (including elders, youth, new members)
- Operate internally according to our values and the justice we seek in the world - in other words, be the change we want to see.



### **Pastoral Care Q (uarantine) Buddies!**

The world has changed in the last few weeks with COVID19. Many of us are moving to internet-based social interaction. Although this is beneficial in many ways, we also know the benefits of being in a real time connection with one another. We are asking for your help in maintaining our UUAA community during COVID-19

### **PASTORAL CARE REQUEST: Q Buddies for those being Held Close**

HELD CLOSE? We have members who, for many reasons, are being highly impacted by the quarantine. These are the community members we want to keep close to our hearts and reach out to regularly during this unique time.

What is a Q Buddy? A Q Buddy is a congregant who is willing to be a quarantine buddy with a HELD CLOSE member of the community. We are asking for Q Buddies to check their buddy 1-2 times per week via phone, provide some social connection and communicate with the Pastoral Care team if the person requires additional care. We would love for folks to commit to 8 weeks, but if sign up and can no longer be a Q Buddy simply inform the Pastoral Care team.

To volunteer, send an email to [Quiana@uuaa.org](mailto:Quiana@uuaa.org) stating YES I CAN be a Q Buddy! Quiana will send you the name, number, and email of a Held Close community member.

Honor system! We will assume you have called your Buddy 1-2 per week. If there are no issues, concerns or questions, you can continue to call until the shelter in place order is lifted.

If there is a concern or a change in need, just call or email [Quiana@uuaa.org](mailto:Quiana@uuaa.org).

Thank you for considering participating in this unique Pastoral Care effort.



**Quick Links:**

[UUAA Website](#) | [Social Justice at UUAA](#) | [Find us on Facebook](#)  
[Make Your Pledge](#) | [UUAA Events Calendar](#)

**Other Links:**

[UUA.org](#) | [MidAmericaUUA.org](#)  
[Side With Love](#) (formerly Standing on the Side of Love)

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