



# Unitarian Universalist Society of Oneonta

## Winter 2020 Worship Schedule

Sunday Services begin at 10:30AM

December 29

### **The Annual Review**

Adrienne Martini

***Stay Together***

A formal review of a year's worth of work can be a tedious, demoralizing process. But it doesn't have to be.

January 5

### **A Free and Responsible Search**

Rev. Craig Schwalenberg

***Children to Classrooms***

What does our fourth principle, "a free and responsible search for truth and meaning" mean and why is it right in the middle of the list?

January 12

### **For Truth**

Rev. Craig Schwalenberg

***Children to Classrooms***

Faith and Science are not diametrically opposed. There may even be some overlap between them. Revelation, after all, is not sealed.

January 19

### **And Meaning**

Rev. Craig Schwalenberg

***Children to Classrooms***

Knowing the answers is helpful, but understanding them is even more important. How do we make meaning when nothing makes sense?

January 26

### **You Can't Taste a Pickle With Your Ear**

The Religious Education Committee

and the Children and Youth of UUSO

Religious Education Intersession Service

***Stay Together***

UUSO Religious Education students will share their recent discoveries from exploring the five senses. Come see what we have learned about ourselves, science, technology, and the universe we live in.

February 2

### **Seeing Our Shadow**

Rev. Craig Schwalenberg

***Children to Classrooms***

We all have a shadow, opposite the light. Jung called it our dark side. Taoism simply sees it as the other half of balance.

February 9

### **UU the Vote**

Rev. Craig Schwalenberg

***Children to Classrooms***

Our deepest Unitarian Universalist beliefs are life-giving, life-saving, and life-sustaining; with them we can #VoteLove and #DefeatHate.

February 16

### **Do You Want To Build a Snowman?**

**Annual Geek Service**

Rev. Craig Schwalenberg

***Start Together***

Inspired by Hans Christian Anderson's tale, "The Snow Queen," and Disney's "Frozen" movies, lets see what wisdom lies within the snow and ice. After all, as Olaf says, water has memory...

February 23  
**This I Believe  
Music Sunday**  
Time Horne & the UUSO Choir  
***Children to Classrooms***

"...there are no credal requirements for participation...",  
Yet we all have our own beliefs.  
Let's explore some of them.

March 1  
**Take Care  
Stewardship Celebration Sunday**  
Rev. Craig Schwalenberg  
***Children to Classrooms***

To serve, to protect, to care for-- to be good stewards.  
We are all stewards of this faith  
and of each other.

March 8  
**Finding Holy Ground**  
Suzanne Beddoe  
***Children to Classrooms***

*What do I do as a hospital chaplain?*  
I help patients find their holy ground.  
*How does that happen?*  
Stay tuned.

March 15  
**Be a Racial Transformer**  
Rev. Craig Schwalenberg  
***Start Together***

We each have the power to transform,  
ourselves and those around us!  
Let's use our powers to transform the world!

March 22  
**Wholeness / Brokenness**  
Rev. Craig Schwalenberg  
***Children to Classrooms***

When she is in her wholeness... grace.  
When she is in her brokenness... prayer.  
Both are her places of power.

*(adapted from Sukhvinder Sircar)*

March 29  
**Who Are We?**  
Linda Parmalee  
***Children to Classrooms***

"Falling Man" by Giacometti or  
Michelangelo's "David"?  
Principles of Unitarian Universalism,  
clues that may give us the answer!

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***Start Together:*** Children from Kindergarten  
through 6th grade start out in the sanctuary  
with their families, then go to classrooms after  
Time for All Ages.

***Stay Together:*** Children stay with their  
families for the entire service.