

Dates to Remember...

March 2014

- Mar 16** USC – Martin Settle S.L. Karen Johnson-Hosein
Mar 21 UCN Movie Night 7:00 p.m.
Babette's Feast
Mar 23 7th Principle: The Meaning of Life and Death
– Rev. Bob Bond S.L. Judith Barker
Mar 23 Newsletter Submission Deadline
– riseingcarol@gmail.com
Mar 23 Collections for Gillian's Place begin
Mar 30 You and Nature – Jim Glassford

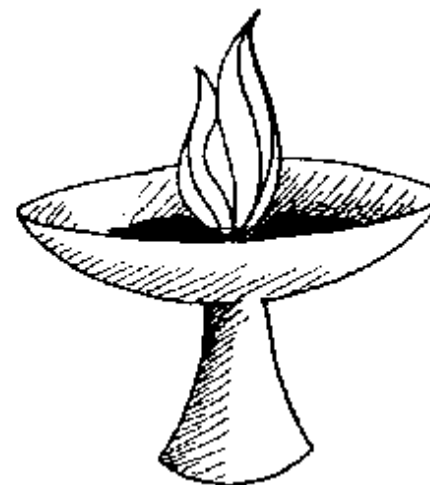
April 2014

- Apr 6** Brave New World – Gay-Straight Alliances
in Niagara's Schools – Amy Ballett
S.L. Joan Wiley
Apr 13 Why is There a Radio Tower in My
Backyard – Roy Blake
Apr 20 UU Easter – Julianne Momirov
Apr 20 Newsletter Submission Deadline
– riseingcarol@gmail.com
Apr 27 Women in Islam – Raheel Raza
S.L. Karen Johnson-Hosein

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Unitarian Congregation of Niagara



“Native Spirituality”

– Marie Belliveau

March 9, 2014

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Order of Service
Sunday, March 9, 2014

Service Leader:	Marie Belliveau
Speaker:	Marie Belliveau
Pianist:	Theresa Pothier

Prelude

Announcements

Welcome: I welcome all visitors and those who are more familiar to us today. We appreciate your taking time out of your day to visit with us and we look forward to getting to know you whether it's your first time visiting this congregation or your hundredth time.

Opening Words:

We gather together at this time and this place to affirm our liberal religious values.

Here we believe that it is possible to have joy without hysteria.

We believe it is possible to have morality without inquisitions.

We believe it is possible to have community without conformity.

We believe it is possible to have religion without madness.

We believe it is possible to have worship without idolatry.

And here we believe it is possible to have love without perfection.
By: Roger Fritts

Chalice Lighting:

We light this chalice to celebrate the inherent worth and dignity of every person;

To reaffirm the historic pledge of liberal religion to seek justice which transcends mere legality and moves toward the resolution of a true equality;

And to share that love which is ultimately beyond even our cherished reason that love which unites us. By Steve Stock

Hymn: # 298 **Wake Now My Senses**

Joys and Concerns

Offertory This congregation operates on the monies contributed by our members and friends, this is your home, please give with your hearts. If you are a first time visitor, please feel free to be our guest and let the plate pass you by.

Address: **“Native Spirituality”**
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Questions / Comments

Hymn: # 123 **Spirit of Life**

Closing Words:

Life is a journey of choices set out by the universe.

The choices we make determine our future.

We must be vigilant and aware of our choices.

First to choose life, then to choose life to make the world a better place.

Postlude: Please be seated for the Postlude.

We invite you to join us for coffee and unique conversation after the service. Have a terrific week and we hope to see you soon!