

# Unitarian Congregation of Niagara

## Dates to Remember... March 2019

- Mar.15** (Fri. 7:00 p.m.) UCN Film Night – Film: *Roma*
- Mar.17** (Sun. 11:00 a.m.) **Diapers to Menopause: My Life in the Comics** – presented by Sandra Bell-Lundy
- Mar.19** (Tues. 10:30 a.m.) **Computer Classes** – for information contact [abu\\_hosein@yahoo.ca](mailto:abu_hosein@yahoo.ca)
- Mar.19** (Tues. 1:30 p.m.) **UCN Board Meeting** – All UCN members welcome.
- Mar.20** (Wed.) **April Newsletter Submission Deadline** – LesLee Turmel [larganturmel@gmail.com](mailto:larganturmel@gmail.com)
- Mar.22** (Fri. 5:00 p.m.) **Out of the Cold** – Knox Presbyterian Church, info contact [sequeira\\_cdjd@sympatico.ca](mailto:sequeira_cdjd@sympatico.ca)
- Mar.24** (Sun. 11:00 a.m.) **Purim** – Paul Pipher and Nu Klezmer Orchestra
- Mar.25** (Mon. 2:00 p.m.) **UCN Book Club**– at the home of Joan Rothman. Please let Joan know that you are coming. Book is *Braiding Sweetgrass* by Robin Wall Kimmerer.
- Mar.29** (Fri. 6:00 p.m.) **UCN Pub Night** – George's Greek Village, 535 Queenston St., St. Catharines. Entrance is from the Parkway. All welcome, no need to register, just pay the restaurant for whatever you order. This month's topic is *Creativity*.
- Mar.31** (Sun. 11:00 a.m.) **The Wonderful You and Technology** – Jim Glassford

### FRAGRANCE-FREE POLICY

The Unitarian Congregation of Niagara is a fragrance-free zone. Fragrance may be distressful and threaten the well-being of those around you. In order to make this a safe and welcoming environment for everyone who comes here, we ask that you refrain from wearing fragrances. Your understanding and co-operation is appreciated.



## Acceptance and Encouraging; Our Third Principle

– Rev. Linda Thomson

March 10, 2019

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*Order of Service*  
*Sunday, March 10, 2019*

**Service Leader:** Rev. Linda Thomson  
**Speaker:** Rev. Linda Thomson  
**Musician:** Michael Tansley

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Prelude

Welcome

Announcements

Opening Words: **Henry David Thoreau**

Chalice Lighting: **Rev. Erica Hewitt**

Hymn: **#188 Come, Come, Whoever you Are**

Joys and Sorrows

Time for all Ages/Reading: **The Good Pirate**  
– by Pedro Pablo Sacristan

Offertory

Sermon: **Acceptance and Encouraging;  
Our Third Principle**  
– **Rev. Linda Thomson**  
Discussion and comments

Hymn: **#360 Here We Have Gathered**

Closing Words:

**THERE ARE MILES BEHIND YOU**

There are miles behind you  
And many more ahead.  
As you journey on toward wholeness  
May all that is good and true guide your way  
May the joy of love lighten every step  
And the miracle that is life be ever in your  
sight.

– by Andrew Pakula

Extinguishing the Chalice

Postlude

Please remain seated for the piano selection.

Please put your chair away if you are able and join us  
for refreshments and conversation.