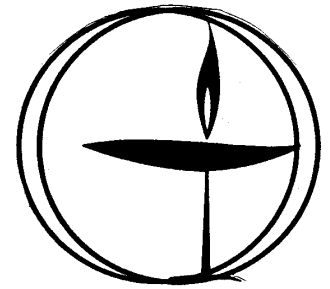


UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST CHURCH of LAWTON



A family of faith valuing diversity, community and religious growth

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A Month of Sundays

March 7th

"The Problem of Grace"

Dr. James Brock

Dr. Brock will define grace as seen by Christianity and more personally by him and then point out a few places where grace enters into life decisions for all men and women.

Dr. Brock is a retired school teacher as well as a retired lay minister in the Presbyterian Church. Twenty years in the classroom and twenty-eight in the pulpit. You may have also seen him in many LCT productions.

March 14th

Elizabeth Cody Stanton's "Women's Bible"

Dr. Karen McKellips

Stanton, a Unitarian, was one of the few 19th century women's rights advocates who dared to say Christian theology and theologians were part of the problem, not the solution, to women's lack of human and civil rights. Aided by a few women educated in classical languages, she analyzed the Bible, pronounced it full of translation errors motivated

by bias against women, and took her "show on the road."

Dr. McKellips is a retired Cameron professor, member of our congregation, obsessed with reading biography."

March 21st

"Dream a New World is Possible"

Rev. Jenny Wynn

Pacific Peoples having a saying, "We say the earth is our mother – we cannot own her; she owns us." The people of the earth have a responsibility to their mother earth. Gone are the days of turning a blind eye to what is going on around us. As faith communities we can no longer twist texts to justify our abuse of the earth and her people. It is time for us to put our dreams of a new world into action.

Rev. Jenny Wynn Campus Minister Cameron Campus Ministry. Originally from Frederick, OK. Graduate of Cameron University with a B.S. in Biology. M.Div from Brite Divinity school at Texas Christian University. Ordained Minister in the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ).

March 28th

"Dreams into Reality"

Rev. Scot Harvey

Henry David Thoreau: once said, "Our truest life is when we are in our dreams awake." And Oscar Wilde added, "The supreme object of life is to live. Few people live. It is true life only to realize one's own perfection, to make one's every dream a reality." We can't just will our dreams into existence, but our liberal faith can provide sustenance on our journey. *Join guest minister Scot Harvey who will lead worship and present his sermon, "Dreams Into Reality".*

Sunday's Schedule:

Adult Forum 9:30 am
Fellowship 10:15-10:30 am
Worship 10:30; am
Discussion 11.30-11.45
Children's Sunday school:
10.30-11.30 am

Children's Program

World Religions

Asian Religions

7th- Hinduism

14th- Buddhism

21st- Taoism

28th- Confucianism

DUNCAN DINERS

Duncan Diners will be eating at 6:30, Thursday March 25th at Bob's Catfish, Meridian
Join us!

LUNCH BUNCH



3/7 Hong Kong Buffet

3/14 Furr's

3/21 El Chico

3/28 Outback

March Treats



3/7 Weyodi

3/14 Ian & Linda

3/21 Eli

3/28 Open

March Flowers



3/7 Liz

3/14 Daffodil Sunday

3/21 Ellen

3/28 Eli

March Cleaning



Cleaning Church ready for:

3/7 Bill Davies

3/14 Ian & Linda

3/21 Pat Hankins

3/28 Russ Bennett

The next Board Meeting is scheduled for February 14th; 1.30 pm- all are welcome to attend.

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Ian's Notes.

Let's rejoice at what appears to be the end of the very cold weather! Spring cleaning now becomes the order of the day? In line with this I am pleased to say that Don Morgan is getting our website up to date. If you have any suggestions for content or design of our website then please contact Don.

With the passing of the cold weather, the local division of the American Red Cross is somewhat short of funds- donations for disasters are often sent to the national Red Cross, leaving the local body without the funds they need for their local efforts. Thus the children's collection will be directed towards the local Red Cross in the near future.

Also please note that Burger King is donating 20% of proceeds from dinner towards the Family Promise program- see notice below.

Covenant Groups.

1) Mondays Meditation Covenant Group

7:00-9:00 pm Mondays at the church.

2) Film Group

Film Group will meet Friday, March 12, 7 p.m. in the home of Beverley Davenport, 3524 NW Arlington, to see "We of the Never Never". It is the story of a newlywed who joined her husband in the Australian outback in 1901 to help him manage a large ranch and who forges a friendship with the local Aborigines and slowly sheds her Victorian standards. It is a critically acclaimed and award winning drama based on the life of Jeannie Gunn, the first white woman to venture into Australia's Northern Territory.

3) Poetry Group. The Poetry group will meet this month- 13th March at 6.30 pm- come along and enjoy the best poetry in Lawton

4) Singing Group: we meet at 6.30 pm at the church on each Wednesday of each month- great fun and a little singing!



Burger King support for Family Promise. Monday March 8th

Burger King- on 201 **Sth Sheridan** rd has agreed to donate 20 % of sales from Monday (8th) night's dinner (5.pm-8.00 pm) towards the Family Promise program.

Come along and have dinner and support Family Promise at the same time.