### **Drawing Workshop - May 23**

On 2nd and 4th Tuesdays, from 10-12 noon, Nancy Roeder will conduct a drawing workshop for all interested members. Bring in any artwork that you are doing with a drawing medium and she will offer help and answer questions about the piece you are working on. It can be almost any drawing medium, but please do not bring any type of paint. She will bring some books and photographs to use to pick projects and/or subjects. Nancy has a degree in fine arts from Washington University in St Louis. Please feel free to contact her with questions at neverenoughcats33@gmail.com. Sponsored by the Adult RE Committee.

### Save for This Year's Garage Sale

Every two years in the spring, we hold an all-Fellowship garage sale with profits dedicated to a variety of projects, the last sale paying for our new front doors. As you are doing any spring housecleaning and come across items you could donate, please hold on to them for the mid-June sale. If you have questions, please contact Norma Bailey (989.560.3952; baile1nj@cmich.edu).

## **Article II Amendment Workshops**

At General Assembly 2023, Unitarian Universalists will take an initial vote on possible changes to Article II of the UUA Bylaws, which includes the current UUA purposes, principles, sources, and clauses on inclusion and freedom of belief. The UUA Board is hosting two more Zoom workshops on May 18 and 21 that are open to all Unitarian Universalists for discussion of these possible changes. See the eNews for additional information and links.

#### What a Potluck!

We had a wonderful potluck last Friday! Thirty-four people gathered, newbies and oldies, and we needed to set up an extra table! Delicious food and great conversation! Join us for the next one on June 2.





#### The Week Ahead at the UUFCM...

Mon 5/15 7:00 p.m. Game Night

Tue 5/16 6:45 p.m. Central Michigan Sangha

Wed 5/17 10:00 a.m. UU Discussion Group at UUFCM 6:30 p.m. Choir Rehearsal

Sun 5/21 10:30 a.m. Worship Service 11:45 a.m. UUFCM Annual Meeting 6:30 p.m. Youth RE Team Meeting

For complete information, see our calendar at *uufcm.org/calendar* 

#### **Congratulations to Drew!**

Congratulations to Drew who has just received notice that he has been granted Full Fellowship by the Ministerial Fellowship Committee of the UUA. His accomplishment will be acknowledged at the Service of the Living Tradition at the General Assembly in Pittsburgh on June 22. A livestream link will be available in June.

## **Celebrating Jakobe Neal**

Our Director of Religious Education, Jakobe Neal, will be leaving us at the end of May. We will honor him at the annual meeting on May 21. Thank you, Jakobe, for all the dedication to our children and youth, and for the connections you have made during your time at UUFCM!

## Kirsten Keeton Retiring After 13 Years

Kirsten Keeton has decided to move on after serving as our Administrative Assistant for 13 years. Kirsten's behind-the-scenes work has held together the organizational side of UUFCM through changes in Board leadership, Ministerial leadership, and more. Her last day will be June 30. Thank you, Kirsten, for everything you have done for us!

# **UUFCM** is Hiring!

With the two staff transitions announced above, UUFCM is looking to hire a new Director of Religious Education and a new Administrative Assistant. If you know anyone interested and qualified, please encourage them to apply, as the best employees sometimes are recruited by word of mouth. UUFCM policy states that we usually do not hire members of the congregation to be employees. Applications and inquiries should go to Rev. Drew. The two job postings are here on our website: uufcm.org/uufcm-events/uufcm-is-hiring