



15 April 2018

Friends in Faith

Meet tonight in Romig Hall, 7-8:30



InterFaith Coffee Hour



Monday, **APRIL 16**, 2018, 6:30 – 8:00 pm:

Film & Discussion sponsored by State College Area Baha'i community and Unitarian Universalist Fellowship of Centre County.

“Changing the World One Wall at a Time”

#EducationIsNotaCrime

Note Location Change: UU Fellowship, 780 Waupelani Dr. Ext., State College

On Wednesday, **April 18th** Ted & Co. will be performing Listening for Grace at St. Paul's United Methodist. In Listening for Grace, Ted Swartz uses his distinctive humor and insight to give voice to our fears and hopes when a faith community engages in questions around sexuality and same-sex relationships. Accompanied by Justin Yoder on cello and Phillip Martin on piano, this story comes to life, inviting audiences into one father's journey, a church's struggle and a search for commonality. <https://www.facebook.com/events/186140331988017/>

On Thursday, **April 19th** Ted & Co. will be performing their newest show, Discovery: A Comic Lament, hosted at State College Presbyterian Church. This show is a play about the Doctrine of Discovery, the legal framework that justifies theft of land and oppression of Indigenous Peoples. It finds unexpected humor at the crossroads of justice and land use, offering both comic and challenging glimpses into the absurdity of white settler oppression of Indigenous Peoples and the land we live on. A show about love, and loss, of land, Discovery nudges us to question our stories with honesty and integrity. <https://www.facebook.com/events/721416661536412/>

Park Forest PreSchool



The precious children that you support, Park Forest Preschool, formerly Park Forest Day Nursery, is having its 50th anniversary this spring on **April 26**. At a later date we will be sending more details. Thank you so

much for all the support you have given over the years in volunteer time, material resources, and money.

sincere regards,
Gloria Horst Rosenberger

Women's Guild

The regular monthly meeting of the Women's Guild will take place at noon, April 30th, in Romig Hall.

Bring your own lunch.

ALL women of the church are welcome to attend!

Due to Memorial Day falling on "Guild Day", the Guild will not meet in May.





An amazing adventure
(from the Today show):

<https://www.today.com/video/meet-the-man-practicing-his-faith-with-the-gay-christian-community-1203225155827>

Some of these are being sponsored by the Pennsylvania Council of Churches--others are events that might be of interest to some of your constituents.

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[Faithful Advocacy for Criminal Justice Reform: Principles and Practice](https://connect.xfinity.com/appsuite/#CleanSlate)
(<https://connect.xfinity.com/appsuite/#CleanSlate>)

—April 20-23, Washington, DC

[A World Uprooted: Responding to Migrants, Refugees and Displaced People](https://connect.xfinity.com/appsuite/#EAD)
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It has been a LONG time since we had a cadre of men and women from our Conference churches who would be willing to spend a few days each year doing work around Hartman Center. This would involve all skill sets - people who can really fix things to those of us who do better at just fixing things up. You would be doing Hartman Center a great service if you would think of people in your congregation who might serve in this way. Then talk it up with them.

If there someone (or more) willing to help in this way, please share with them that on Friday , May 4 and Saturday, May 5 we will be organizing WORK DAYS at camp. We will start at 9 a.m. on Friday and end on Saturday by supper (around 4:30 p.m.) People are invited to spend the night in a cabin (bring bedding) at no cost. We will be taking a collection for the food we will eat (we will be preparing the food ourselves). Folks can come up just for the day (either day).

Here's the thing....WE WANT TO BE READY FOR PEOPLE TO WORK ON SPECIFIC JOBS. **I have attached** a list of the kinds of work we will be doing. HOPEFULLY we can have people assigned to specific tasks before they come. For example, if we have 4 people willing to paint the walls of cabins (we will have the supplies ready to go when they arrive.)

Just have people contact me at abushnell@aol.com for assignments (and so I know how many people might be coming.) If they want to call me my cell is 717-371-2593.

I will be on a work camp trip to Houston TX myself from 4/20 - 4/29, but I will have my computer and will do scheduling between now and then.

Thanks for your support for Hartman Center (and for taking the time to read this email.)

Blessings,

Dave Bushnell
Hartman Center Advisory Committee

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If you believe your image has been captured outside the building, please write a note opting out and give it to the pastor, telling him where you were.

If the event was a wedding, the church is not responsible for any photography. You would need to speak with the wedding party and their photographer.

Permission will be deemed to have been granted to use the image for the purposes stated above, unless you specifically opt-out.

I do not wish my likeness to be used as noted above.

Name: _____ Date: _____

Signature: _____

Notes: (description of where you were when the photo was taken)