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A Spiritual Community of Hope, Courage, and Compassion

**There's a place for you at
Open Hearts & Minds Fellowship!**

**Fourth Sunday In-Person Service
12/22/24 10:30 am**

YouTube link: https://youtube.com/live/T_WT44gUqz8

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Lessons & Carols



Since the beginning of time, we have sought solace during the darkness of winter. Our earliest ancestors gathered together to tell tales passed down from past generations and celebrate the strength and safety of community and love. Please join us as we celebrate the holiday season during our service of spoken word and voices joined in song.

**FOURTH
SUNDAY
IN-PERSON
SERVICE**

DECEMBER 22, 2024 10:30 AM

South Austin Senior Activity Center
3911 Menchaca Road
Austin, TX 78704

Dec 17, 2024

(All times are Central Standard Time)

Fri Dec 20

10:30 am - **Sharing & Caring with Michael**

Zoom Link: <https://us06web.zoom.us/j/9510683516>

5:00 pm - **Friday Fellowship**

Zoom Link: <https://us06web.zoom.us/j/9510683516>

Sun Dec 22

10:30 am - **Fourth Sunday In-Person Service**

Come just as you are into a circle of love, hope, courage, and compassion! During this special Christmas service on December 22, we'll hear stories from Dylan Thomas, John Henry Faulk, and Mark. And we'll sing lots of Christmas carols and light lots of candles. And there may be some jingle bells. And "after service" goodies.

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Please help reviewing OHM's website

A note from Carolyn Olsson, OHMF Board Secretary

The Board is looking at our website to see if there are changes we can make so it will be more user-friendly and easier to find the information you need about the Fellowship.

In order to do this we need your help. Within the next couple of

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email at board@ohmfellowship.org with anything you think could be changed, removed, updated, or corrected?

OHMF website: <https://www.ohmfellowship.org/>

Thanks for your ideas and suggestions!



OHMF Members & Friends at Salvation Army Angel Tree Distribution Helping Out!

Bulletin Board

UUMUAC's Third Wednesday Vesper Service
Wed Dec 18, 7:00 pm CST

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Open discussion will follow.

Zoom Link: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89435841800>

Meeting ID: 894 3584 1800

ABOUT THE PREACHER: Jack Reich is former minister, Unitarian Society Los Angeles, West. Now happily retired in DeKalb, IL. Incoming Vice-Chair, UUMUAC. Board Member, UU Humanist Association. Founding Member, UUs for Jewish Awareness and the NUUTS (Non-UU Theological School graduates).

View Open Minds & Hearts Services on YouTube anytime

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=cGZpCRDk3vA&t=494s>

OHM Scheduled Meetings

(Open to members and friends)

Weekly

Tuesday afternoon - Second Sunday Service planning

Tuesday evening - News and events email sent

Friday evening - Friday Fellowship

Monthly

First Wednesday morning - Fourth Sunday Service planning

Second Sunday Service morning - Zoom Service

Second Monday evening - OHM Board

Third Monday afternoon - Book Group

Fourth Sunday morning - In-Person Service

Every other week

First & Third Friday morning - Sharing & Caring with Michael

First & Third Sunday morning - Ideas Worth Contemplating with

Mike Ig (not hosted by OHM Fellowship)

Social Action Committee

Quarterly

Monday afternoon - Movies & More

Open Hearts & Minds Fellowship Values

*We believe in making the world a better place by
treating each other well and working for the common good.*

Within Ourselves

We work to become better, kinder, and more heart-centered people.

We value reason, critical thinking, intuition, and emotional awareness.

We treat ourselves with kindness, realizing we are not perfect.

Within Our Fellowship

We encourage growth and development in each other.

We nurture the human spirit through acceptance, forgiveness, kindness, and mercy.

We celebrate our joys and support one another in times of sorrow.

With Others

We believe in the potential for good in every person.

We listen with compassion and encourage justice, equity, and cooperation in human relationships.

We support transparent governance, the democratic process, and freedom of conscience.

With the Earth and Our Future

We work for the common good and nurture our global community.

We are part of something much bigger than ourselves and recognize the miracles of everyday life.

We acknowledge the sacredness of the Earth and our responsibility to cherish and protect it for future generations.



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