

Unitarian Principle

Respect for the interdependent web of all existence
of which we are a part

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Don Heights by regularly
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April 2025

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Join us on Zoom Meeting ID: 833 995 2710 Password: 1111 Dial in 647-374-4685 OR 647-558-0588 https://zoom.us/j/8339952710?pwd=R0k0ZXI3WlFR2xFMW9UWEJTDIOZz09						
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6 Service - 10:30 am Breaking Barriers Through Entrepreneurship Presenter: Janice Waugh Music: Shelley Hamilton ACSA/FPM Collection 12:15 pm Don Heights Potluck Lunch	7 10:00 am to 3:00 pm Office Open 11:00 am * Publicity Committee 7:00 pm * Don Heights Singers 7:00 pm * Multifaith Spiritual Dialogue Circle: Community Building	8 7:00 pm Board Meeting	9 10:00 am to 3:00 pm Office Open 11:00 am Sunday Services Committee 5:00 pm * Virtual Coffee Hour	10 1:00 pm * Online Vegan Lunch Group 7:00 pm * UUGTA Grow	11 1:00 pm 70th Anniversary Committee 7:45 pm Doors Open * Bill's Coffeehouse & Open Mic featuring Shawna Caspi	12 
13 Service - 10:30 am Artificial Intelligence – the Good, the Bad and the Scary Presenter: Janis Daly Music: Don Heights Singers	14 10:00 am to 3:00 pm Office Open 7:00 pm * Don Heights Singers	15 May Calendar Content Deadline 1:00 pm Social Action Discussion	16 10:00 am to 3:00 pm Office Open 5:00 pm * Virtual Coffee Hour	17 1:00 pm * Online Vegan Lunch Group 7:00 pm * UUGTA Grow	18 	19
20 Service - 10:30 am Easter Breakfast Celebration Janis Daly and Sheila White Music: Curated 	21  Easter Monday 7:00 pm * DH Singers	22  Our Power, Our Planet	23 May Calendar Published 10:00 am to 3:00 pm Office Open 5:00 pm * Virtual Coffee Hour	24 1:00 pm * Online Vegan Lunch Group	25 3:00 pm * Women's Group at the home of Mary Doucette	26
27 Service - 10:30 am Looking Forward, Looking Back Presenter: Lynn Harrison Music: Reverend Lynn Harrison and the Don Heights Singers 1:00 pm 	28 10:00 am to 3:00 pm Virtual Office 11:00 am * Book Group When McKinsey Comes to Town 7:00 pm * Don Heights Singers 7:15 pm * Men's Discussion Group	29 10:30 am Do Be Do Group	30 10:00 am to 3:00 pm Office Open 5:00 pm * Virtual Coffee Hour	* = Adult Program ACSA = Agincourt Community Services Association FPM = Flemingdon Park Ministry 		

April 2025 Sunday Services

Join us on Zoom <https://zoom.us/j/8339952710?pwd=R0k0ZXI3WlIiFR2xFMW9UWEjTDIOZz09>
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April 6 at 10:30 am Breaking Barriers Through Entrepreneurs

Presenter: Janice Waugh
Service Leader: Sheila White
Music: Shelley Hamilton

One thing about owning your own small service business is that people want to see what you've done for others, not your credentials or schooling. This makes entrepreneurship open to people who find employment difficult. **Northstar Startups**, an incorporated charity that is fully volunteer run, helps people who face one or many barriers to financial security turn their skills into service businesses that are realistic for their lives. Free services offered include mentorship, workshops and small grants to give the entrepreneur/clients a lift-off. Janice will share the story of Northstar and that of some of their entrepreneurs.

Having built and sold one business, **Janice Waugh** is now on her second, with a stint as a freelance writer in between. She has decades of volunteer experience that has focused primarily on supporting women in need and healthcare navigation. As the volunteer Executive Director and co-founder of Northstar Startups, she guides a talented team of volunteers helping people break barriers to financial stability.

Shelley Hamilton, a Nova Scotia-born, Toronto-based singer, actor, host, producer and writer and Africa Nova Scotian Music Association's 2019 artist of the year, **Shelley** has worked internationally from Dubai to Japan. Her current release is an extraordinary version of the spiritual "Think On Me".

April 13 at 10:30 am Artificial Intelligence – the Good, the Bad and the Scary

Presenter: Janis Daly
Service Leader: Germaine Kovary
Music: Don Heights Singers

You are typing, and suggestions arise about better grammar that your computer suggests for you. Do you consciously take this for granted or thank artificial intelligence (AI) for assisting you? It did. As AI use increases globally, it can be used for good, but it can also be used for bad. We will talk about this technology, its power, and its hidden dangers.

Janis Daly has been a member of Don Heights Unitarian Congregation since 2011. She has served on the Board and is active on several committees. She is a UU Envoy through the UU Office at the United Nations.

Janis is a lay chaplain and is now a lay minister at Don Heights. She is a Distinguished Toastmaster with many speeches under her belt and a former adult trainer.

Janis is a singer and songwriter, an enthusiastic member of the Don Heights Singers and musician in various bands.

April 20 at 10:30 am Easter Breakfast Celebration

Presenters: Janis Daly and Sheila White
Service Leader: Linda Schofield
Music: Curated

Join us on Sunday morning for a free breakfast celebrating eggs, a symbol of spring and renewal. After breakfast we will hear from Judy, Glenn, Gloria and Sheila and their reminiscences of the Easters of their childhood.



April 27 at 10:30 am Looking Forward, Looking Back

Presenter: Reverend Lynn Harrison
Service Leader: Lorna Weigand
Music: Reverend Lynn Harrison with the Don Heights Singers

Our sense of ourselves is often shaped by our histories. As Don Heights marks its 70th anniversary this year, many people in the community may be reflecting on the past, present and future.

In personal growth as well as congregational life, our connection to history gives our life meaning.

Reverend Lynn served at Toronto First from 2016 to 2023. **Lynn Harrison** is also a recognized singer-songwriter and has recently produced her seventh recording entitled **Treasure**.