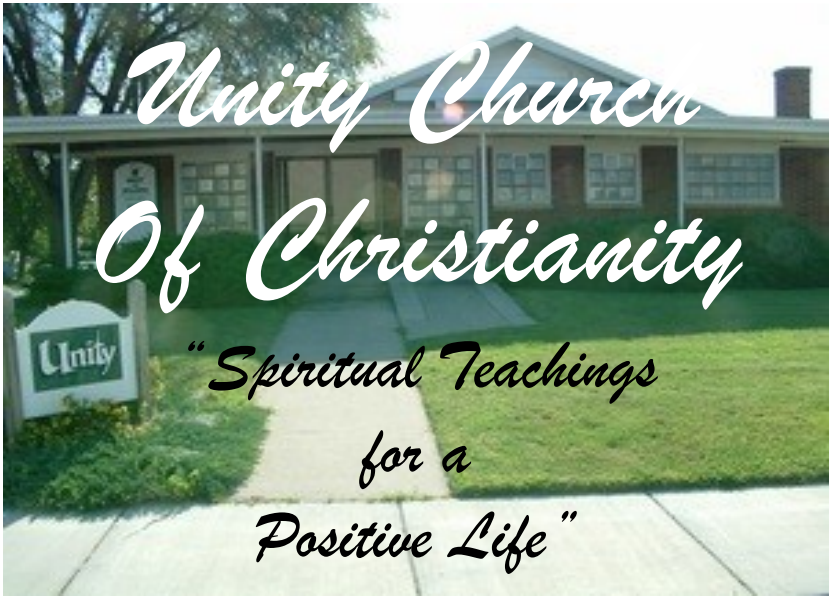


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A Jout of the Universe

By Rev. C. Richard Stone

Unity Church of Christiani- ty Technology Marches on!

We have a new Unity website! You still navigate to the website via the same website address though –

www.unitychurchofbillings.org. The website is being hosted for our church at no charge by a good friend of

mine, Tony Finneman of OneEach Technologies. OneEach Technologies specializes in websites for non-profit organizations. If you know of anyone who could use his services, please let us know. The new website is a work in progress as I write this, however, it should be up and running perfectly by the time you read this (no pressure Tony).

Our new website is better organized, easy to navigate, and will have more special content. Anyone visiting our

website will be able to listen to our Sunday messages and read the Message Resources and the Thought of the Week right on the site. All of the services offered on the old website will be available, and they will also be able to donate to the church in a safe and secure manner, sign up for the newsletter, or send us an e-mail right on the website. In the near future, we will be able to offer registration for activities, helpful surveys and other services, no doubt including some we haven't thought of yet.

We would very much appreciate your comments and suggestions. Take a look at the website and let us know what you think. By the way, our website will be a great way to introduce your friends and acquaintances to Unity Church of Christianity. Just give them the website address, and asked them to tell you what they think.

Love, Light, and Laughter,

Richard



*Richard and Sophia Joy
as seen on the website.*



Activities at Your Unity Church

"Easter Meditation for Renewal" Recording by Rev Richard, Sunday, March 20, 11:30 AM

You are invited to participate in Richard's Easter Meditation which will be recorded for a CD, to listen to on the internet, or download to a computer for a love offering. There is no cost to participate in this meditation. Proceeds from sales will be shared with the church.

Hannalore Carter, Sunday, April 3rd, after the service and potluck

Mrs. Carter was a young girl during World War II. She has a fascinating tale to tell about her experiences during the reign of Adolph Hitler. She is a long time citizen of the United States, and says coming here was like a "rebirth." Her message has a theme of tolerance and forgiveness. You won't want to miss this.



Quantum Creation Strategies And Didgeridoo Meditation

April 10, 2011, 11:30 PM

Joseph Carringer, didgeridoo musician and sound therapist, returns to unity church of Christianity in February, presenting his workshop, "Re-manifesting Your Reality with Quantum Creation Strategies"

Joseph tells us that in this workshop you will:

- * Explore the cross cultural significance of "Reality"
- * Discuss consciousness, quantum potential & the effects it has in our personal reality
- * Identify our social/cultural roadblocks to mastering the co-creation of our life and world we live in
- * Focused individual manifestation meditations
- * 30 minute group journey to connect with our higher consciousness
- * Share in group processing

Joseph Carringer is a professional didgeridoo musician and sound therapist. He uses concert class didgeridoos, combining Traditional Chinese Medicine meridian and organ theory with Ayurvedic Chakra philosophies.

Cost \$45.00 per person

The Mystical Journey – Everyday Joy
Saturday, April 30, 10 AM to 5 PM

- * Experience a renewed sense of foundational strength
- * Discover practice that brings joy into everyday life
- * Honor and embrace your Earth Walk
- * Shift from a "have to or don't want to" mindset to "get to!"

Please bring notebook (online sketchpad preferable); pen/pencil; snacks; sack lunch. Wear comfortable, easy-to-move in clothing, shoes
Suggested Love Offering: \$50

Easter Explained (Metaphysically) Wednesday, March 16 - April 6, 7:00 PM, by Rev Richard.

There is more to Easter than many people realize. Richard takes a metaphysical look at the Easter story, Easter traditions, Easter symbols and more.

Palm Sunday, April 17, 11:00 AM

Rev Richard will discuss Palm Sunday during the service, and what it means for you.

Maundy Thursday, April 21, 7:00 PM

Gather together in the "Upper Room" to take communion as Jesus and his disciples might

have done. This service also includes Easter meditations and prayer.

Easter Sunrise Service, Sunday, April 24, 6:00AM, Zimmerman Park on The Rims

Greet the sunrise on Easter morning on the beautiful bluffs in Zimmerman Park. Includes an Easter Meditation and prayer time.

Easter Service, Sunday, April 24, 10:00AM

Easter truth: considering the scriptural, metaphysical and popular concepts of Easter and how spiritual truth winds through them.



*Other
Activities held
at
Unity Church*

**A Course in Miracles
Mondays, 7:00pm**

Teachings of Jesus Christ in a most powerful form. Join this discussion group each Monday.

Taoist Tai Chi

Tuesdays, 6pm–7:30pm

Reduce stress and improve your health by learning an 800-year-old Chinese exercise physical, emotional and spiritual health through mental concentration, breath, movement, body position,

Qigong

Wednesdays, 6:00pm–7:30pm

"Qigong is a practice that aims to improve al arts, Chinese medicine, Taoism, Buddhism and performing arts.



Ongoing Activities held at Unity Church

Wednesdays, 11:00 am

Wednesday Prayer Circle

All are invited to come and pray using the Silent Unity Prayer Service for the month

Thursday — every fourth,

6:30 PM

Board of Trustees Board

Meeting

Our board meetings are open to everyone. Any presentations must be scheduled with the board beforehand

Second Friday, 6:30 pm

Friday Nite at the Movies

Don't miss our spiritual, thought-provoking and inspirational films at Unity. These are often films you aren't likely to see anywhere else. Bring some snacks and join us for great films on Fridays.

Sundays, Metaphysical Book Discussion Group, 9:00 AM—9:45 AM

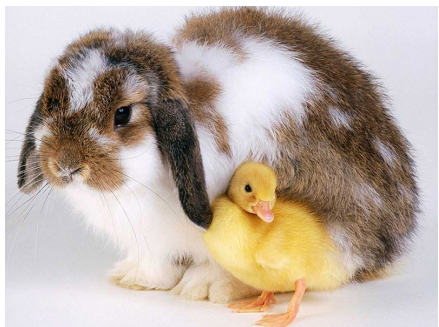
A class for discussing metaphysical and inspirational books to be chosen by the group.

First Sunday of the Month

Potluck

Immediately after the service

Bring a dish to share and enjoy wonderful Unity cooking.



Words of Wisdom

Rebirth

and

renewal

ignite new hope

in my life.



April Birthdays

- 04-15 Jack Mueller
- 04-18 Connie Johnson
- 04-28 Peggy Arnold
- 04-29 Jader Moller
- 04-29 Cindy Owen



Richard's Messages For April

- April 03 Easter in Germany
- April 10 Easter Parade
- April 17 The Upper Room
- April 24 The Resurrection and the Easter Bunny





I Feel It In The Air



I know it's Easter time again,
I feel it in the air.

The breath of spring with woodsy tang,
And new life everywhere.

And spring glides on with magic touch
O'er mountain side and glen;

And wakens all the sleeping plants
For Easter time again.

The brooklets leap from rock to rock,
As if in joyful play;

The flowers peep from darkened tombs
To welcome Easter Day.

The birds are swinging on the boughs,
And trill in ecstasy;

They seem to show the world's great joy
Of Easter mystery.



Why should we dread
the thing called death?

It's just an open door,

Where all within is love and peace
And joy forever more.

"Because I live, you too shall live,"
We hear the Savior say.

Let's consecrate our lives anew,
On this glad Easter Day.

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Picture of the month



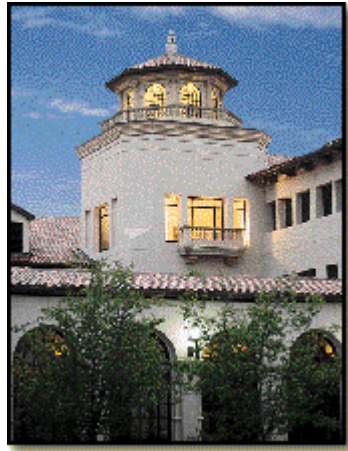
He Is

Risen



Special Days of April

- 04-17 Palm Sunday
- 04-19 First Day of Passover
- 04-22 Good Friday
- 04-24 Easter



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(1-800-669-7729)

Write:
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Listen to or Download Sunday Messages

You can now listen to Richard's Sunday messages or download them to listen to on your computer, iPod or other similar device. You may also copy to a CD or download, the Sunday message resources as well, on the Sunday Resource Page. You can also receive notification when messages are uploaded. Email me at minister@unitychurchbillings.org if you would like email notification. More archived messages will be added as time goes on.



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