



## Notes from UUBCAB April 15, 2013 Meeting at Village Inn, Bentonville

1. **World Café**
  - a. Jeff will lead
  - b. Card Tables-UUBCAB members committed to 8 card tables
  - c. Julie Jensen will bring flowers
  - d. Carol will pick up flip charts
2. **UUBCAB Membership**
  - a. Replacement for Dave Barfield: Niklas Johnsson was nominated and he has accepted.
  - b. Replacement for Kay Weiderhaft: Hannah Roberts was nominated and she has accepted.
3. **Review of Sunday Services**
  - a. **April Discussion Sunday:** Casey Roberts led "Love thy Neighbor", Niklas Johnsson led the homily discussion, "Why Church" and Jane Barfield led a discussion of "Live of Pi". Members of the UUBCAB attended each of the discussions and all were acclaimed.
  - b. **1<sup>st</sup> Sunday Options**
    - i. Jan Lightner is still willing to do homily
    - ii. May—John Middleton
    - iii. June—Jeff unless an alternate is identified
  - c. **Third Sunday:** Annette is expected to do a service either at the beginning or end of her sojourn in Arkansas.
  - d. **Fourth Sunday, April 28.** Previous discussions had suggested that the fifth Sunday activity displaced by Easter Sunday might take place on April 28<sup>th</sup>. Instead of this option, the program will be a Beatles sing-along led by Claire Detels, Dave Barfield, and Dave Sippell. UUBC will provide pizza and members will be asked to bring salad and dessert.
4. **Guns in Church:** The law recently passed in Arkansas allows churches to allow guns in church. Unless the church takes action the prohibition of guns in church remains in place. The Advisory took no action.
5. **Advertising:** Dave Barfield noted that Jim Van Tuyl had suggested that UUBC might consider an ad on Bella Vista T.V. at \$65/year. AB authorized Dave to follow up with such an ad.
6. **Birthdays:** UUBCAB agreed that Birthdays and Anniversaries for the month should be recognized during 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday service.
7. **Elks Meeting Place Continuation:** UUBCAB authorized Tony Miltich to advise Elks Club of our desire to continue to meet in the Elks Club. It was also remembered that in our original discussion with the Elks representatives that we had discussed helping with some clean-up activities. Tony will review this possibility with Don.
8. **Religious Education:** Holly Karnes, who has been assisting in R.E., Michelle Harvey and Carol Bobek will attend a training session being offered at UUFF. Tuition of \$160 has been paid.
9. **Next Meeting:** Dave Barfield advised that he will not be available on May 10, the date previously set for our May meeting. Harris agreed to post a Doodle.com poll with Mondays and Thursdays to pick an optimum meeting day.

Reported by: Harris McKee