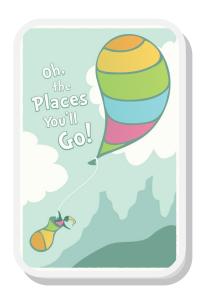
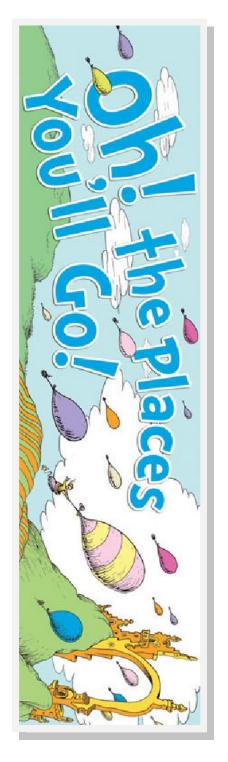
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Many words can be used to describe Unitarian Universalist congregations, but static is not one of them. Placed in the context of and intentionally engaging with the ever-changing landscape of

modern society and ethics, congregations grow, change, adapt, and respond to the world around them. Join us at "Fall Training 2014: Oh! The Places You'll Go!" to explore the dynamic nature of congregations and their leaders and gain tools for navigating these often choppy waters. Where will your congregation go next?

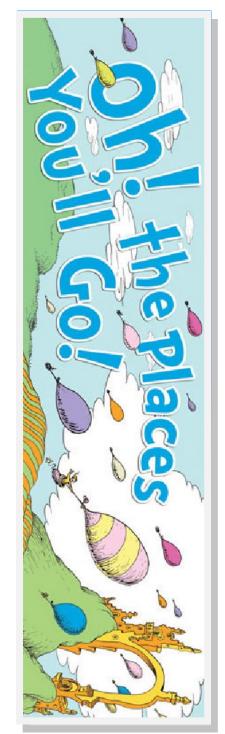


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There are so many great reasons to attend Fall Harvest Leadership Training this year!

- Gain access to leadership development and faith deepening to enhance your relationship to Unitarian Universalism and your service to your congregation!
- Collect the newest resources that will help you carry out your congregation's mission!
- Learn as a team by sending many members of your congregation to different tracks to get the most out of the experience!
- Meet and share stories with Unitarian Universalists from around the South, strengthening our community and gaining valuable insights into congregational life!
- Share in outstanding worship and fellowship!
- Enjoy an intentionally inclusive community that welcomes people of all ages.
- Explore the gorgeous Glen Rose, Texas, with a fun down town and many natural sights surrounding the town!





Worship and Chaplaincy provided by Rev. Susan Smith, Congregational Life Consultant for the Southern Region of the UUA.

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Schedule of Events

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12:00 PM – 4:00 PM LREDA Meeting
4:00 PM – 6:30 PM Registration (Education Building)
5:00 PM – 5:30 PM Dinner (Cafeteria)
5:30 PM – 6:30 PM SWUUC Board Open Forum
7:00 PM – 7:45 PM Gathering Worship (Chapel)
8:00 PM – 9:30 PM Session 1

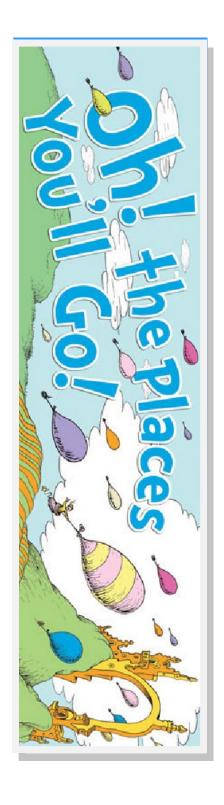
Saturday

8:00 AM--8:30 AM Breakfast (Cafeteria) 8:45 AM - 9:15 AM Morning Worship (Chapel) Session 2 9:30 AM - 11:45 AM 12:00 PM - 12:30 PM Lunch (Cafeteria) 1:00 PM - 4:45 PM Session 3 5:00 PM - 5:30 PM Dinner (Cafeteria) 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM Session 4 8:30 PM - 11:00 PM Party/Social Gathering

Sunday

8:00 AM – 8:30AM Breakfast (Cafeteria)
9:00 AM – 10:45 AM Session 5
11:00 AM – 12:00 PM Worship (Chapel)
12:00 PM – 12:30 PM Lunch (Cafeteria)
1:00 PM – 3:00 PM Session 6 (Optional)
3:00 PM Depart

Please Note: Because of the preset curriculum, the Renaissance Module will have slightly modified meeting times. In order to get credit for the module, you must attend all 15 hours of coursework, including Session 6. If you are taking the Renaissance Module for credit, please plan to arrive no later than 8:00 PM on Friday and depart no earlier than 3:00 PM on Sunday.



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Registration Information

\$225.00 (\$275 after October 17, 2014) for ages 14 to Adult

\$100.00 (\$150 after October 17, 2014) for ages 5 to 14.

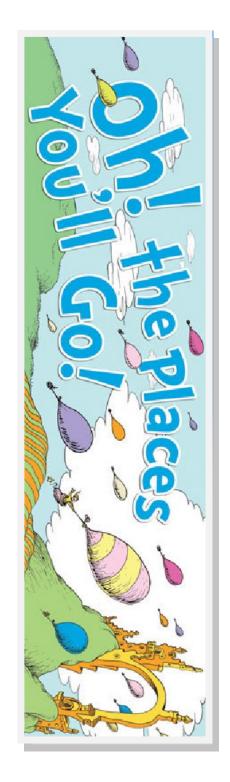
\$50.00 (\$75 after October 17, 2014) for ages 6 months to 4 years.

Now offering childcare for ages 6 months to 4 years. Please bring adequate supplies for your children including dippers, wipes, and snacks.

The registration fee includes all meals, but not housing. Those wishing to stay in Glen Rose accommodations instead of utilizing the Glen Lake facilities will only need to pay the registration fee and will pay the hotel directly.

For Questions about Content Contact Natalie Briscoe at nbriscoe@uua.org.

For Questions about registration contact Kathy Charles at kathycharles1@yahoo.com.



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Glen Lake and Glen Rose, TX Housing Options

Harris Health Center

Double bedroom with bunk bed, communal bathroom in each wing (one wing for each gender), must bring own linens (pillows, sheets, blankets, towels, washcloths, etc.)

\$100 per person for double occupancy, \$150 per person for single occupancy*

Cabins (For Youth and Advisors of Youth ONLY, separated by gender)

Bunk beds and a community bathroom with showers. Must bring own linens (pillows, sheets, blankets, towels, washcloths, etc.) \$50 per person

Family Cabins (For Families with children, more than one family may be placed in each cabin)

Bunk beds and a community bathroom with showers. Must bring own linens (pillows, sheets, blankets, towels, washcloths, etc.) \$50 per person

Stillwater Lodge

This facility is offsite several miles down the road. Suites with one, two or three bedrooms. Linens provided.

\$150 per person for triple occupancy (3 beds), shared bath

\$165 per person for double occupancy, shared bath

\$180 per person for a private bedroom (queen bed), shared bath

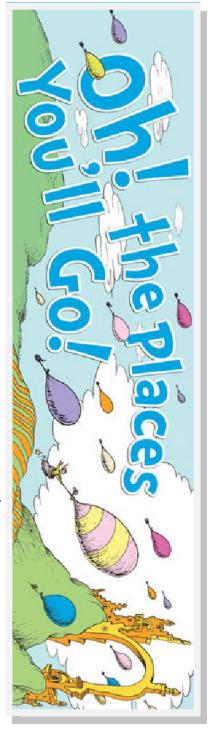
\$200 per person for a private bedroom (queen bed), private bath*

*LIMITED QUANTITY AVAILABLE

Cost per person covers both Friday and Saturday Learn more about Glen Lake at www.glenlake.org.

Further accommodations may be found by visiting the Glen Rose website at www.glenrosetexas.net/index.html. Many common hotels are available for your stay, including a La Quinta and a Holiday Inn Express. There are also several locallyowned and family-operated hotels and bed and breakfast options to add character to your visit.

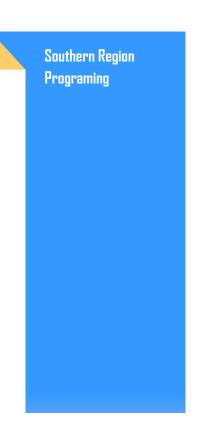
Glen Rose Inn & Suites - 866-393-8037 Glen Hotel - 254-898-2068



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From the North through Granbury

Take Hwy 377S from Benbrook. Continue through Granbury. After crossing the lake, exit off 377 onto 144S to GlenRose. After about 15 miles, turn right on Hwy 67S and go past the Sonic and Best Western. Turn left onto Hwy 144S at Vaughn's Exxon Station. Follow 4 blocks. Glen Lake is on the left as you make the curve.

From the East through Burleson/Cleburne

Take I35 south to the Hwy174 exit for Burleson. Go through Burleson, Joshua, and to the edge of Cleburne. Watch for a large sign saying "Gien Rose" and turn to the right on Loop 367. Continue west around Cleburne, merging into Hwy 67 to Gien Rose. As you come into Gien Rose, you'll see a big Exxon station on your left. Keep going up the hill and into Gien Rose. Go past the Sonic and Best Western. Turn left on to Hwy 144S at Vaughn's Exxon Station. Follow 4 blocks. Gien Lake is on the left as you make the curve.

From the West on Hwy 67

Continue on Hwy 67 almost all the way through Glen Rose. Shortly after the hospital (on your right), turn right on Hwy 144S at Vaughn's Exxon Station. Follow 4 blocks. Glen Lake is on the left as you make the curve.

From the South on Hwy 144

Follow 144N into Glen Rose. At the flashing light on the town square, turn right. Follow this road (Hwy 144N) approximately 1 mile. Glen Lake will be on your right.

From Waco

Take Hwy 6W to Valley Mills/Clifton. In Meridian, you'll curve off to the right at a flashing light. At the courthouse, there is a stop sign. Turn left on to Hwy 144N and go through Walnut Springs into Glen Rose. Follow 144N into Glen Rose. At the flashing light on the town square, turn right. Follow this road (Hwy 144N) approximately 1 mile. Glen Lake will be on your right.

The instructions and a map can be found at www.glenlake.org/directions.

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Tracks and Presenters

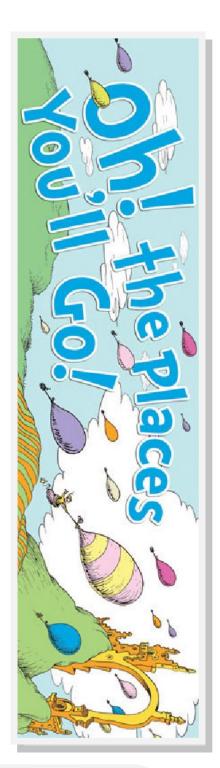
Advanced Conflict Training

Leader: Connie Goodbread, Congregational Life Staff for the Southern Region of the UUA

For: Ministers, DBLE Graduates, and Smart Church Consultants. This track is by invitation only. If you are interested in taking this training, please contact your regional staff member.

Building on years of experience and proven technique, Southern Region Staff Member Connie Goodbread will train leaders in advanced conflict management for congregations. Two Leaders from every state in the Southern Region will be asked to complete this training in order to build a team of highly competent and readily available conflict management associates in the South.







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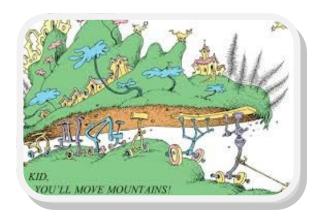
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Introduction to Leadership as a Spiritual Practice

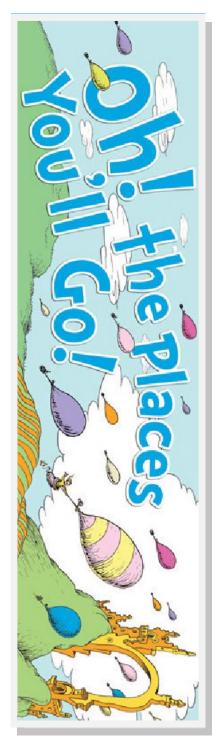
Leader: Maggie Lovins, Congregational Life Staff for the Southern Region of the UUA

FOR: Youth, Young Adults, New Lay Leaders in Congregations, Board Members, Committee Chairs, Nominating Committee Members, Those hoping to move into leadership roles within a congregation or the larger movement, Those preparing for DBLE in the next two years, and those who wish to start a Leadership Development Program in your congregation.

Exploring self-discovery techniques, systems theory, and how our UU Theology and Polity inform our work within a congregation, Maggie will lead you on a journey through the beginnings of leadership development. This track is specifically designed for people in congregations who have had no or little experience leading in a Unitarian Universalist setting. This track is ideal for Youth Leaders, Young Adults, and other new members who will be moving into leadership positions in the upcoming years. This track is also useful for those congregations who are starting a Leadership Development Program and would like tools and resources for training new congregational leaders.







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Renaissance Module: Youth Ministry

Leaders:

Every year thousands of youth attend Unitarian Universalist congregations. Ministry with these youth is a ministry of the whole congregation, with religious educators, ministers, and youth advisors playing key roles. One of the central outcomes of the UUA's Consultation on Ministry to and with Youth was to re-imagine youth ministry not as an isolated program within the congregation, but as a ministry that is integrated throughout our faith communities. The Youth Ministry Renaissance Module gives religious educators and other religious professionals who work with youth the tools to design and implement vibrant, congregationally-integrated youth ministries. Youth Advisors, Ministers, DREs, and Youth are all encouraged to attend this important educational experience.

Here is the schedule we will use for the module.

Friday:

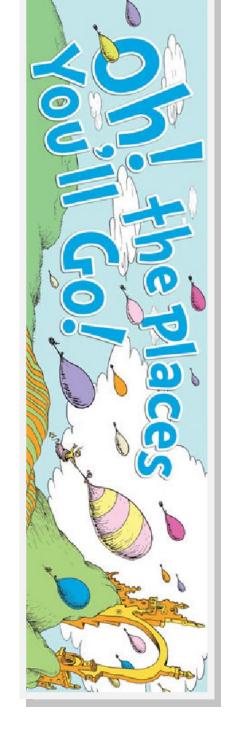
8:00 – 10:00 PM Module Session 1

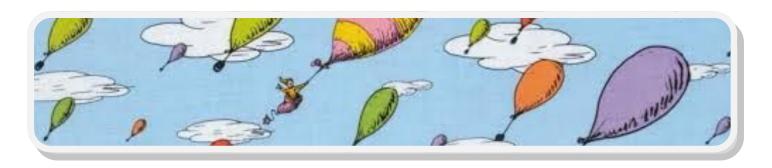
Saturday:

9:00 AM – 12:00 PM Module Session 2 1:00 PM – 5:00 PM Module Session 3 6:00 PM – 9:00 PM Module Session 4

Sunday

8:45 AM – 10:45 AM Module Session 5 1:00 PM – 3:00 PM Module Session 6





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Walking the Twin Paths of Stewardship

Stewardship is a funny thing. Perhaps more than any other part of our shared ministry, stewardship calls on the whole person, on both sides of our brain. It's not enough to have a good heart and a generous soul to have a healthy stewardship environment. On the other hand, just having great process, technical prowess, and strong administration will not succeed. Stewardship requires we have both a sense of mission with a spiritual grounding AND that we plan, train, and carry out our programs effectively.

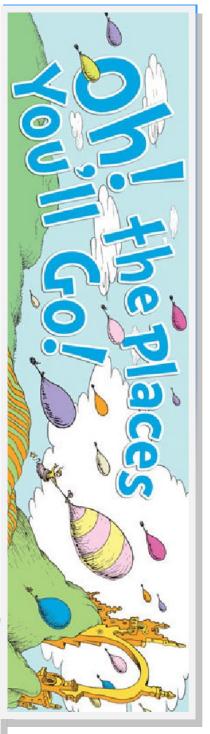
On this stewardship track, we will walk a bit on both paths that lead to stewardship. We will examine the UU experience with stewardship, how we perceive it, how we think about it, how we address it. We will seek to find our spiritual and moral grounding for stewardship. We will also take a look at what makes stewardship programs, budget drives, and capital campaigns successful. What techniques and procedures consistently deliver positive results and build community. Let's talk stewardship, shall we?

William R. (Bill) Clontz Stewardship Consultant

UUA Congregational Stewardship Network

Bill brings over forty years in leadership development and coaching, organizational effectiveness, and strategic planning to his mission as a UUA CSN Consultant. He has over twenty years of active participation in UU church leadership and steward-

ship, fifteen years of business development and portfolio management as a corporate officer, and three years of experience on corporate 401K advisory and continuity teams. Bill has served in his own congregation on the Board of Trustees, Program Council Convener, on the Endowment and Stewardship Committees, as Chair of the Leadership Development Team, led a Capital Campaign team, formed the Communications Council, and hosted a regional UUA FORTH conference attended by representatives from five states. He has served regional and national boards of professional and nonprofit organizations.



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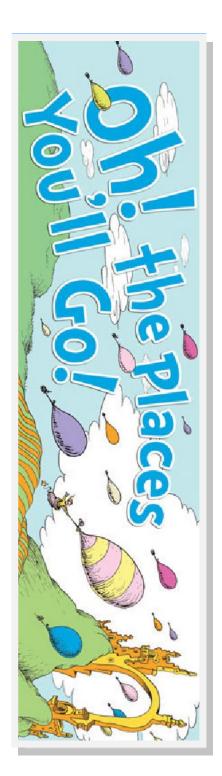
Young Adults and Allies

Leader: Elizabeth Mount

FOR: Youth, Young Adults, Young Adult Allies, Religious Education Professionals, Program Directors, Board Members, Committee on Ministry Members, Committee Chairs, Ministers, Administrators, Lay Leaders, and any person who loves their congregation.

What does it mean to be in intentional community with Young Adults? How can UU communities welcome Young Adult voices? How can Young Adults partner with other members of UU communities to bring about important change? Elizabeth Mount will explore UUYA culture in this thought-provoking week of dialogue as we examine how to partner with people of all ages and build strong multi-generational communities. For this workshop, congregations are asked to send a team consisting of at least one Young Adult and one Young Adult Ally.





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March to Selma

Leaders: Carrie Stewart, Right Relations Specialist for the Southern Region of the UUA, and Lewis Morris, Right Relations Specialist for the Southern Region of the UUA.

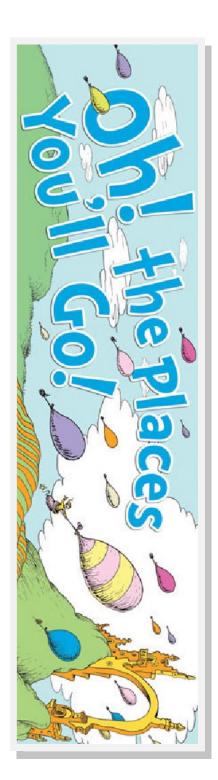
FOR: Youth, Young Adults, Board Members, Committee on Ministry Members, Committee Chairs, Ministers, Finance and Stewardship Committee Members, Administrators, Lay Leaders, and any person who loves their congregation.

As Christopher L. Walton wrote in his UU World article titled "So Nobly Started,":

The Unitarian Universalist Association was not quite four years old when the Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. sent an urgent telegram to its Boston headquarters on March 7, 1965, asking religious leaders and concerned citizens to join him in Selma, Alabama, where African Americans marching for their right to vote had been brutally attacked by lawmen. Two of the Unitarian Universalists who responded to King's appeal paid with their lives. In a way that few deaths do, the murders of the Rev. James J. Reeb and Viola Gregg Liuzzo helped change the course of history. But 36 years after the protests that culminated in the march to Montgomery, new aspects of the story are coming to light. How unfinished our relationship to the past is.







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Children's EvolUUtion Camp

Leaders: Sean Briscoe, Coordinator of Religious Education, and Rachel Finley, Director of Religious Education

FOR: Children ages 5 to 14

Exploring the principles of evolution, both on a planetary and cosmological scale, our EvolUUtion camp will delve into the secrets of creation itself! Using Connie Barlow and Michael Dowd's "The Great Story" as well as a trip to the Dinosaur tracks in Glen Rose, we're putting the Universal in Universalist! Children will have fun exploring the ever-expanding universe and the wonders of the planet as we grow in faith and connect with our

Seventh Principle, the interconnected web of existence of which we are all a part.





