

IN THE BUUF, The Newsletter of the
BUFFALO UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST FELLOWSHIP

JANUARY 2019



Compassion, Humanism, Idealism

*Our regular meetings are held at the Buffalo Community Center from September through May and begin at 7 p.m.
Please enter through the rear door.*



NEXT MEETINGS

Wednesday, January 9 A discussion of the book, Finding Purpose in a Godless World by Ralph Lewis, MD, led by Bill Weir. The Penguin review of this book states, “(it) presents an interdisciplinary view of how our purpose, morality, and meaning evolved. With recent ethno-sectarian conflicts seemingly on the rise throughout the world, whether for religious or other ideological reasons, a more global, humanistic vision is sorely needed.”

Wednesday, January 23



BUUF PROGRAMS - YOUR HELP IS NEEDED

We all know our active membership is dwindling. Several of our most active and committed members have died or moved away in the last year or so. In order to keep the BUUF going, we need the help of each interested person. **We need you to take responsibility for one evening’s program.**

You could ask someone you know to speak to the group about any topic – we’ve had programs about eating right, sustainable agriculture, politics, ancient history, Native American spirituality, Hinduism, Mormonism, and many others. We’ve had members tell about their travels. We’ve had members tell about conferences they’ve attended or interesting books they’ve read. And we’ve discussed the basics of our Unitarian Universalism – our Principles and our Spiritual Sources.

We’ve never heard from you about what you’re interested in!

Come to the meeting on Wednesday evening, or contact one of the Executive Committee members, and share your questions and your passions with the BUUF. The Executive Committee members are David Boyer, President; Louise Markve, Vice President; Duncan Fowler, Administrator/Treasurer; Marie Smith, Secretary.

David and Rosalie will be away during the winter months. The best way to reach him during that time is by email: DLBoyer@StCloudState.edu. The other elected officers can be reached at their email addresses, too: Louise Markve, loumar937@gmail.com, Duncan Fowler, DuncFowler@gmail.com, Marie Smith, buffalouufellowship@gmail.com.



BUUFalo GALS

The women of the BUUF meet the third Thursday of each month for lunch and conversation. Our next meeting will be Thursday, January 14 at 11:30 a.m., at a place to be determined. Louise Markve will contact us to confirm.



The reason we separate Church and State is because the Founding Fathers believed government should be guided by a balance of morality and reason, not blind religious faith. Practice your religion in freedom; just don't make everyone else practice your religion.

-- Kareem Abdul-Jabbar

