

Last Day of Elementary RE and Youth Group

This Sunday, May 22, is our last Elementary RE and Youth Group session for the church year. Elementary RE (k-6th graders) will be celebrating our time together with games and play. Youth Group (grades 7+) will have music and ample snacks, and it will be an opportunity to make any final additions to their collaborative art project.

Our last **Antiracism Storytime** book for the RE year is [Meg, Jo, Beth, and Amy: A Modern Graphic Retelling of Little Women](#) by Rey Terciero. We'll be exploring the themes of identity, representation, family, LGBTQ+ issues, and friendship. For our last session, on Tuesday, May 24, we'll be meeting in person at UU Wausau from 6:30-8:00 pm, with pizza, a discussion of the final chapters (17-end), and games.

Blessings for Bridging

As part of our gift for our Bridging Sr. High youth, we'll include the congregation's messages of hope, words of encouragement, and blessings for the journey. To offer your blessing, go to [menti.com](https://www.menti.com) and use code **5709 9929** to enter them into our word cloud (a few keywords vs. full sentences works best). If you have trouble entering the Menti, you can also email your blessing to Jessica, jessica@uuwausau.org.

EarthWords for the week of May 22, 2022

Glance at the sun. See the moon and stars. Gaze at the beauty of the green earth. Now think. We are to work with nature. For without it, we cannot survive. (Hildegard of Bingen)

Please jot down your actions for Project SEA-Change on the scroll in the Atrium after the service.

Thank you from the Environmental Action Group (EAG).

Volunteers for Pride, June 4

On Saturday, June 4, UU Wausau will be hosting a "Leave a Blessing, Take a Blessing" booth at the River District's Pride Fest on the 400 Block! Members of the community will be invited to leave a message of love and support on a message board. In return, they get a rainbow blessing (face paint) from the UUs. And we need volunteers to staff our booth!



Specifically, folks for face painting (no experience necessary, simply painting a 'U' shape with a one-stroke, rainbow cake & water); to greet families and answer questions about UU Wausau; and for set up and take down our booth. Shifts are one hour each (but you can sign up for more) and we'll have folks there to help direct and provide support. Plus snacks, a UU T-shirt, and shade will be provided! **Check your inbox for the link to the signup.**

This Week @ UU Wausau

Mon, May 23	6:00PM	Women's AA
Tues, May 24	11:00AM	New Members class
	6:30PM	Qi Gong
	6:30PM	Antiracism Storytime (<i>in person at UU Wausau!</i>)
Wed, May 25	10:00AM	Knitting Group
	12:00PM	The New Yorker Noon Swoon
	6:30PM	Adult Choir
Thu, May 26	6:30PM	Tai Chi
Sun, May 29	10:30AM	Sunday Worship, led by the Rev. Brian Mason

This week, the church office is open from 9AM-2PM, Monday-Thursday.