

# COMMUNITY

## Seven Epicenters of the Unity Movement

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### OUR NEW YEAR'S ISSUE OF COMMUNITY

Happy New Year! I'd say that most people I know are happy about the year 2016 being IN THE PAST. And the truth is 2017 Is The Future, while Truth with a capital "T" tells us that 2017 is actually NOW. And that all IS in Divine Order. Whatever pained you, worried, frightened, disappointed or for that matter gave you hope and new energy is Spirit's call, calling to become all that you are, and to offer your gifts of time, talent and treasure to doing that which is yours to do! Charles Fillmore would hope that THIS would pop you out of bed fairly sizzling with Zeal. That you would enlist your other eleven (thirteen, fifty-seven or however many you've been provided with) God given powers to do so!

My absolute favorite song for months now is Eddie Watkins Jr.'s *I Am a Place* in which he says "We are a place where God is, moves and breathes and has its

being, We are the place where GOD SHOWS UP", caps are mine. When I was younger "to show up" meant to stand with your truth, find the courage and integrity to do what was yours to do.

I am writing this on New Year's Day after doing a joint service of the Burning Bowl and White Stone Ceremonies with my beloved Rev. Laura Hartley. The Denial/Affirmation, Release/Receive, Black/White sides like a coin of these two foundational Unity Rites are the very best way to launch a new year. I need to remind you, as Laura did with me when I was overly zealous about a dramatic approach, that we are not talking Black Hat/White Hat, but as with the ancient Yin/Yang symbol we must go forth knowing that all that is white has a black seed within and more importantly all the darkness has a luminous seed at its center as well.

### INTERFAITH NEWS

January 2017 is South Carolina's Interfaith Harmony Month and I (Jim) and my dear friend and fellow Prayer Chaplain, Andrea went up on 12/30 to Columbia to participate with Interfaith Partners of South Carolina (IPSC) and Gov. Nikki Haley's launch of this proclamation. This is the fifth year in a row.

Lowcountry support and participation includes Unified Interfaith Community Coalition's Blessing Service in Beaufort on January 8th and Rev. Jack Bomar's United Church will be a part of that. We at Unity of Hilton head will hold an Interfaith Prayer Service on January 15th, 2017.



### HIGHLIGHTS:

- ♥ *HAPPY NEW YEAR!*
- ♥ *Ladies & Gentlemen, Mr. Ed Grieve*
- ♥ *An Article from Interim Minister Rev. Nat Carter of Unity of Hilton Head*
- ♥ *An Article from Rev. James King of Unity of Greenville*
- ♥ *Updates: UMMAS' Kanuga retreat & Unity's SE Regional*
- ♥ *Two Interfaith articles*
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- ♥ *Calendar for January/February*



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## THE STORY OF THIS NEWSLETTER

This newsletter is the confluence of several streams. It began as a suggestion by Rev. Nat for a newsletter serving multiple churches based on a similar one that he published in the northwest. The seven church/centers came because of connections that your editor has made with folks primarily through SEE classes, it is a rather arbitrary selection in that several SC churches are not among them and the two

out of state churches are the only ones from their states. The **CommUnity** churches are geographically diverse, ranging from Unity of Savannah in the Coastal Empire of Georgia, up through the Lowcountry of South Carolina, on into the Grand Strand area of coastal South Carolina, stretching on into Brunswick County, NC, and our lone representative of the Upstate region of SC, Unity of Greenville.

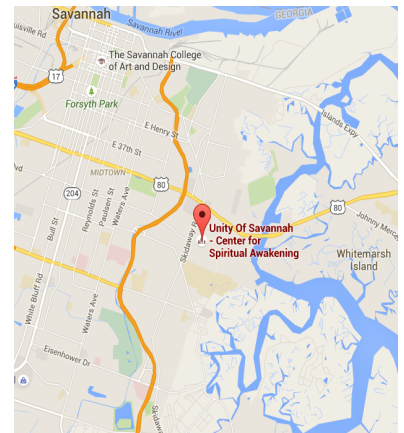


## UNITY OF SAVANNAH, GA

Rev. Dale Worley has been a student and practitioner of Unity Truth teachings since 1996. In January of 2010, he joined the ministerial team at Unity of Savannah as Associate Minister and Minister of Creative Arts. In September 2011, Dale became a Licensed Unity Teacher. In January of 2014, he became Senior Minister, a dream and life goal that has been nearly 10 years in the making, and on March 13, 2013, he

was licensed as a Unity Minister through Unity Worldwide Ministries Field Licensing Program. Dale graduated from the Field Licensing Program at Unity Village on March 19, 2015, and was ordained at Unity of Savannah March 22, 2015 by Rev. Shawn Moninger of Unity Center of Norwalk, CT. He currently serves as Vice President of UMMAS.

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## UNITY OF HILTON HEAD, SC

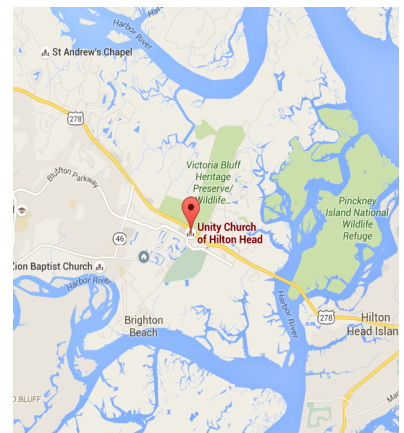
We are fortunate to have Rev. Nat Carter as our Interim Minister, a transitional ministry specialist with Unity Worldwide Ministries. Rev. Carter serves as a guide as we transition to a new minister and identify our future goals. His contract runs through April 2017.

Rev. Nat taught a course titled Consciousness Created Change based on Eric Butter-

worth's *The Creative Life: Seven Keys to Your Inner Genius*. He had asked us to create and manifest a project, this newsletter is my effort to meet the requirement.

He is now finishing a series of talks and discussions based on *The Lord's Prayer* finding new meaning in the language Jesus spoke, by Paul W. Meier.

[www.unitychurchofhiltonhead.org](http://www.unitychurchofhiltonhead.org)



## UNITY OF MT. PLEASANT, SC

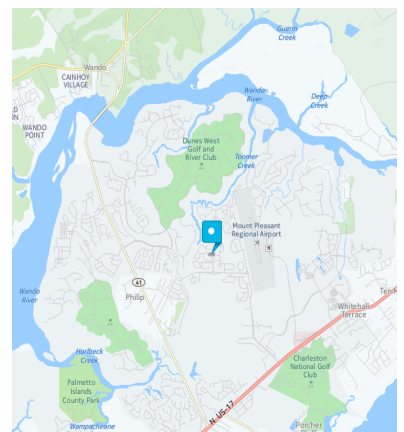
Kimberly Renollet Heck is the Spiritual Leader of Unity of Mt. Pleasant and is on a ministerial path through Unity Urban Ministerial School.

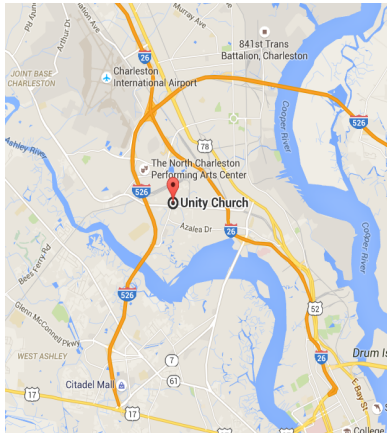
In the past few months she has conducted a Burning Bowl Ceremony, a White Stone Ritual Service, explored Louise Hay's Book, *You Can Heal Your Life*, led participation in James Twyman's 'The Great Abra-

hamic Pulse' among many other things!

A congregant says "From my very first visit I felt at peace and at home here. I've only been a part of Unity for two years now, but I've enjoyed every moment. It's the most accepting and loving environment I've ever experienced." Just what I would expect to hear about Kimberly's house!

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## UNITY OF CHARLESTON, SC

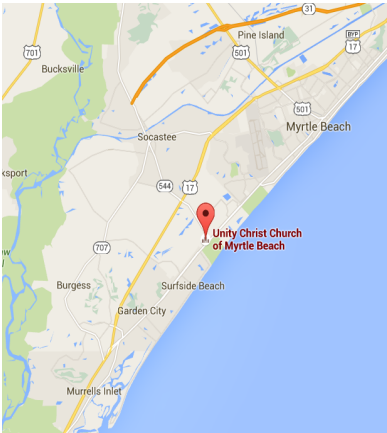


Rev. Ed Kosak has been at Unity Church of Charleston since July of 2002. He took over from founder Rev. MaryAnn Finch who was there for almost 20 years.

Walking out the door that day, he consciously said to himself: "I'm gonna be a Unity minister someday!" He was ordained in June of 2002 and has been in Charleston ever since. Ed's personal mission statement is: "Facilitating the spiritual and emotional transformation of those I serve, and to promote unity in our diversity."

Ed is a former high school teacher and clinical social worker. He did therapy for 16 years in various settings. He found Unity in 1989 when he walked into Unity of Chicago and experienced a wonderful medita-

[www.unitychs.org](http://www.unitychs.org)



## UNITY OF MYRTLE BEACH, SC



Rev. Margaret Hiller took over the ministerial duties at Unity Christ Church of Myrtle Beach in April of 2005. She has over 20 years in ministry, presenting in churches, hospitals, colleges, and mental health agencies. Her wisdom and zest for life flow into humorous and heart-connected Sunday messages about current life issues.

peutic Psychology and has vast experience in many areas of counseling. She and her husband, David, co-authored the book *Dare to Dream: Healing Fears, Creating Miracles and Living Your Dreams*. She and David travel extensively in the United States conducting worship services and presenting a variety of workshops.

Margaret holds a Master's degree in Thera-

[unitymyrtlebeach.org](http://unitymyrtlebeach.org)



## UNITY OF WILMINGTON, NC



Rev. Mindy Tucker's ministerial career began as Education Minister for her church of origin, Unity Church of Hawai'i. Prior to Rev. Mindy's tenure at Unity of Wilmington, she spent two years as Senior Minister in Hartford, CT.

ness Administration from the University of Hawai'i. After 20 years of corporate service, Rev. Mindy re-engaged in Truth studies and became a Licensed Unity Teacher in 2008 and an ordained Unity minister in 2013. Rev. Mindy is in a loving, committed relationship with her partner, Dr. Nickie Golden, who is also a Unity Minister.

After receiving a Bachelors of Arts in History from the University of Southern California, Rev. Mindy earned a Masters in Busi-

[unitywil.com](http://unitywil.com)



## UNITY CHURCH OF GREENVILLE, SC



Rev. James King knew at an early age that he would become a minister. He had been involved with three non-denominational churches in Indiana, and has been the Spiritual Leader at Unity Church of Greenville since 2004. He was ordained as a Unity minister earlier this year. Music—writing and playing—is a passion for James. He is the author of the books *Dancing with the Universe: Lessons in Synchronicity* and *Jesus*

*Never Said That!: But What He Did Say Could Change The World.*

James has served on the Board of Directors for the Greenville Interfaith Forum and is President of the Board of Directors for Unity Ministers of the Mid-Atlantic States (UMMAS).

[www.unitychurchofgreenville.org](http://www.unitychurchofgreenville.org)

## LADIES & GENTLEMEN, MR. ED GRIEVE

BY JIM TAYLOR

Ed joined Unity of Hilton Head after seeing how perfectly his deep and abiding interest in Esoteric Christianity fit with Unity Principles. Born in Pittsburgh where he started selling magazines at a very young age, he found he had a real knack for sales. Except for a stint in the United States Army Ed has never had a job in anything but sales. Now in his eighties he still maintains a real estate practice. Ed and his wife Donna have two sons, one of whom passed away a few years ago. Ed has a great natural voice for singing and has performed extensively, he acts as well, and has been featured in a number of Sun City productions.

Also from a tender age Ed has heard the calling of spirit and has spent decades studying various spiritual traditions and practicing various techniques. Over forty years ago Ed was introduced to "The Work" as it is known by the followers and students of the Russian Mystic G. I Gurdjieff. Known more formally as "The Fourth Way". Gurd-

jieff taught that the work he proposed differed from the three established traditional paths or schools, those of the mind, emotions, and body, or of yogis, monks, and fakirs respectively, and was meant to be pursued by people fully engaged with the world, those with jobs, families and responsibilities. Ed very early on discovered that the world was his primary teacher.

Ed spent a few years attending Unitarian Universalist Congregation of the Low Country and often spoke to the congregation or presented classes to them, especially on the work and impact of Ralph Waldo Emerson, a very important figure for Unitarians. How many of you knew that Emerson was important to our founder Charles Fillmore, so much so that he named his second son Waldo? Ed has also presented Sunday messages and classes to Unity of Hilton Head. Ed is not slowing down and because our little church is close to his heart he serves through community outreach, marketing, and teaching of course.

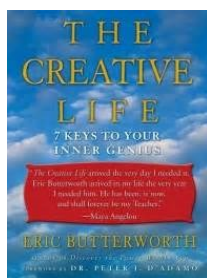
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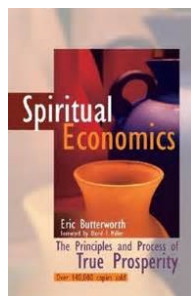
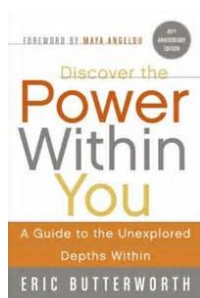
## Quotes from Eric Butterworth

“A true desire is not to have but to be. We are whole creatures in potential, and the true purpose of desire is to unfold that wholeness, to become what we can be.”



“The goal should not be to make money or acquire things, but to achieve the consciousness through which the substance will flow forth when and as you need it.”

“Things may happen around you, and things may happen to you, but the only things that matter are the things that happen in you.”



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One breath can speak volumes.”



Rev. Nat Carter

#### HOW TO CONTRIBUTE

Stories run about 500 to 700 words, features on highlighted people should be between 200 and 400 words.

When you have articles that you are ready to submit, please email them to your church administrator who will place them with your editorial team for consideration.

This is a limited space and each church center needs to prioritize what they wish to share in these pages.

## BREATHING OUR RESOLUTIONS

BY REV. NAT CARTER

There's a story in scripture about a woman diligently cleaning house, removing trash, clutter and negativity until finally there was space and order. The problem, however, was that she created a vacuum and stopped there. Circumstances obligingly filled that space with whatever happened to be around her including more clutter, trash and negativity. She was worse off than before her original house cleaning.

That might well be our story with New Year's resolutions. Often times we resolve to stop doing something, to get rid of over eating, overworking, over worrying, over sleeping or other things that limit our lives. Through determination, will and grace we can be free of most anything we choose to release. We may be clear about what we don't want. We must be equally clear about what we would want in its place. What is the positive side of the emptying that we do? We must consciously fill the void with what we want, with constructive alternatives to what was removed. It's like breathing; we must breathe in after breathing out. After releasing what is no longer needed by our bodies with an exhalation, we inhale the vitality of a fresh breath. So it is with our New Year's resolutions. Both inhalation and exhalation are required. Each resolution requires a partner, the other side of the breath.

Is there something we want to be, do or have in the new year? Is there room for it? It's been said it's difficult for a person focused on fame and fortune to grow spiritu-

ally. Some surrender is required, not only for the purpose of being teachable but also to create the space to be able to fit in something new. There are so many things going on in our lives, swirling around in our minds, clogging up our hearts that even divine inspiration has difficulty finding a place within us. The resolution to do something new and good is best paired with the release of a limiting thought pattern, habit or knot of emotional energy blocking the path to that particular goal. We must breathe out before we can breathe in.

Many spiritual traditions have practices of conscious breathing and prayer to move us closer to the good we seek.

We can give the two directions of our breathing a few words to say: I let go of....., I let God....., I release....., I receive....., Our minds and hearts can listen to those words and be reminded of the two sides of our resolution.

We can focus on a few deep exhalations with a longer prayer of release, forgiveness, confession or statement of freedom. This is followed with some conscious inhalations paired with words of affirmation, gratitude or commitment to the positive quality we desire.

Whenever we remember our resolution, we breathe deeply in each direction to be conscious of both sides of what is required. One breath can speak volumes.

One New Year's resolution is not enough. Make it two. Breathe them into being.



## THE PEACEMAKERS CHALLENGE...

**H**ave you ever been misunderstood?  
Have you ever been at odds with someone?

Ever have a disagreement that led to conflict that never got resolved?

If you are alive and breathing it is highly likely that you have been in a conflict with someone else at sometime or another. Conflict is actually a normal and natural experience with human beings. It is almost impossible to keep it from happening. Our phrasing, tone of voice, forgetfulness, assumptions, presumptions, are just a few reasons for conflict. There are many human failings that we can blame or point out and I'm sure you have had some unique experiences of your own.

The major reason we create conflict is because most people are unconscious about what they do, say and think much of the time.

If you really want to be a peacemaker and reduce conflict in the world then you will want to make it a priority in your life. It will have to become more than just a nice thought in your mind. You may not be able to create world peace by yourself but you can make a difference in your sphere of influence. Your slice of the world is connected to every other part and is affected by what you choose to do.

You are a very powerful and influential being who DOES make a difference.

It matters when you choose to forgive instead of holding grudges. It matters when you resolve conflict with others. You are the answer to peace in the world by taking

responsibility with everyone you deal with on a daily basis. Your seemingly small piece may be exactly what is needed to add to the overall energy to reach a critical mass and create more "heaven on earth".

I invite you to make a pledge to God and to yourself to be available as a peacemaker.

That means you resolve every conflict that you can whenever it arises. It means that peace is important in your life and you are willing to face conflict and find a way to reconcile with others. As soon as you can - do it before it festers and grows into something that becomes a karmic situation that will arise in another way, shape or form to be faced again and again.

Whether it is someone close such as a family member or someone in line at the grocery store - be the healer and let compassion and humility flow through you. It not only feels good inside you but it is a wonderful surprise for the person that you are peacemaking with!

Not everyone may respond positively but they won't soon forget a person who truly forgives and endeavors to make peace with them.

In the past we have given lip service to the peace process but now it is time to actually put our hearts and our energies toward peace on earth.

Consider yourself challenged to BE the peacemaker that you know YOU can BE..

In peace....

James

Rev. James King



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**Rev. James King**

**"We must see that peace represents a sweeter music, a cosmic melody, that is far superior to the discords of war."**

**- Martin Luther King, Jr.**

“I am the place  
where God lives,  
moves and  
breathes and has  
its’ being,

I am the place  
where God shows  
up, you are the  
place where God  
lives...”

Eddie Watkins Jr.



## UPDATE ON UNITY SE REGIONAL AND KANUGA

In our last issue of **CommUnity** I reported on the UMASS Retreat at Kanuga in September and the Unity SE Regional Conference last October.

From a personal perspective I must say that both events affected me deeply and continue to yield spiritual insights and opportunities. I am very much looking forward to attending both events in 2017.

I was commissioned to capture on video both of Rev. Jack Bomar’s Keynote talks at Kanuga as well as Eddie Watkin’s Jr.’s two performances, and finally the first annual UMMAS Choir performance which was wonderful, under the baton of Rev. Dale Worley and accompanied by a large and enthusiastic band of singers. This proved more challenging than I had anticipated. My video skills and equipment were pretty well honed to events where I had control of the lighting and sound and boy did I learn a lot! Consequently the items I’ve posted are not as well made as they should be. I’ve since tithed heavily to obtain the additional equipment and software I need to do this work justice. Soooo I’m providing links to one of Rev. Jack’s knockout talks, as Rev. Margaret had said this man can preach! Also a link to the video of the UMMAS Choir

and finally a video I took the following month at the Unity SE Regional of Eddie Watkins Jr. performing *I Am A Place*. I will be providing the other promised videos but I’m building a new PC to install the new software on which will be necessary to fix the raw footage. Also I’ll be providing two short videos which are intended to be used for promoting the 2017 Kanuga event.

One of the ways that Kanuga is still resonating for me, and now many others, is that Eddie provided me with the sheet music for *I Am A Place* and it will be heard regularly in Unity of Hilton Heads Sunday services. Thank you God!

Also, Rev. Jack has since assumed Senior Minister position at United Church in Beaufort. One of the Interfaith groups that I am involved in is Unified Interfaith Community Coalition of Beaufort, SC (UICC). When I invited Rev. Jack to our meeting he jumped in with both feet and he, myself and a few others met at his church to plan UICC’s Interfaith, Intercultural Blessing service January 8th to support and align ourselves with the statewide efforts that are underway due to IPSC’s partnering with Gov. Nikki Haley in making January 2017 SC’s Interfaith Harmony Month.



**Rev. Jack Bomar’s Keynote**  
09/21/16 at Kanuga  
<https://vimeo.com/188761463>

**The fabulous UMMAS Choir**  
Performing at Kanuga 09/23/16  
<https://vimeo.com/184377035>



**Eddie Watkins Jr.’s**  
Performance of *I Am A Place*  
<https://vimeo.com/188483331>  
visit his website:  
[www.eddiawatkinsjr.com](http://www.eddiawatkinsjr.com)

## ICONS AS VISIONARY SYMBOLS FOR INTERFAITH WORK

Even though I grew up in a Mormon community in semi-rural Utah my mother's love of art exposed me at an early age to Icons. I did not find them in churches but in books and found them beautiful and moving perhaps because I sensed the divinity behind them, not because I knew anything of Saints and the role of iconography in religion. As I grew older I saw Icons from many cultures and religions particularly Buddhism and Hinduism. Several years ago while at a Contemplative Aging retreat at Mepkin Abbey I had a conversation with Sister Annie, a Franciscan Nun, about St. Francis. This led to a discussion of the work of a colleague of hers, Sister Kathleen Warren, who produced a movie and book called *In The Footsteps of St. Frances* which led me down a fabulous rabbit hole, but that's another story. The cover for the movie was an exceedingly luminous Icon of St. Francis and Sultan Malik al-Kamil. I used that Icon to illuminate Rev. James King's evocation of St. Francis' prayer at the end of his article in the last issue of **CommUnity**. The artist is Brother Robert Lentz and these are

links to his website and to Trinity Stores where some of his is are on sale.

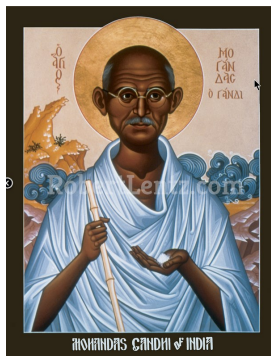
<http://robertlantz.com/>  
<https://www.trinitystores.com/store/artist/Robert-Lentz>

Brother Robert has certainly stretched the bounds of western iconography. Here is a quote from him "The majority of my critics are uncomfortable with the way I move back and forth between the cultures in which I have had to live since childhood. They want tidy, black-and-white worlds that I have never known. From childhood I have had to deal with a Technicolor world in which I was never quite sure why there were so many fences. Byzantine icons stay safely behind Byzantine walls and look out at the rest of the world. Catholic images are hemmed in by Catholic fences. My icons ignore walls. They belong wherever there is life."

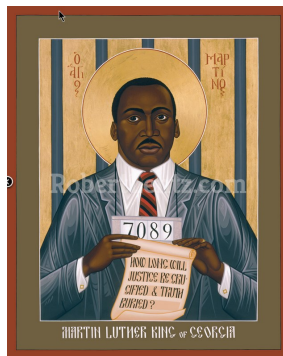
There are dozens of his images available online. Here below are wondrous examples of his work which I view as a deep contribution to our Interfaith work.

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Br. Robert Lentz,  
OFM



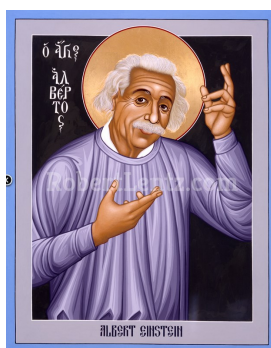
Mohandas Gandhi



Martin Luther King



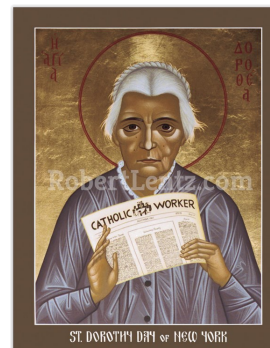
Black Elk



Albert Einstein



Harvey Milk



Dorothy Day



**Unity of Hilton Head**  
 invites you to  
**An Interfaith Prayer Service**  
 Sunday, January 15th, 2017  
 10:00-11:00 AM

**Scaquins Ballroom**  
 1300 Fording Island Road  
 Bluffton, SC

our Acknowledgment of  
**South Carolina's Interfaith Harmony Month**

as proclaimed by  
**Governor Nikki Haley**  
 in conjunction with  
**Interfaith Partners of South Carolina**

Prayers from  
 Judaism, Baha'i, Islam, Hinduism, Christianity and other faiths.

For more information visit [unityofhiltonhead.org](http://unityofhiltonhead.org) or call (843) 682-9377

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**Unified Interfaith Community Coalition of Beaufort**

Join us in celebrating our 1st Annual  
**Interfaith, Intercultural New Years**  
 Blessing Service

All are Welcome to attend

Potluck opportunity to break bread together!

**Sunday**  
**January 8th 2017**  
**4:00-6:00 PM**

**Faith Roll Call**

- Grace Chapel AME
- First Presbyterian
- St. Marks Episcopal
- United Church
- Unitarian Universalist Fellowship of Beaufort
- City of Beaufort
- Pain Center
- Sea Island Freshwaters
- Port Royal United Methodist
- Waters Edge United Methodist
- Beck Baptist
- Baptist Church of Beaufort
- Community Outreach
- St. John's Lutheran Church
- Bible & Faith
- Bethel Congregation

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## JANUARY 2017 SC'S INTERFAITH HARMONY

The Interfaith Harmony Month (January 2017) Launch, and the Recognition of Gov. Haley by IPSC (Interfaith Partners of South Carolina) was held this Friday, December 30th, 12:00 Noon at the S.C. State House Rotunda, Columbia. IPSC at that time released a statement recognizing Governor Nikki Haley for proclaiming January as S.C. Interfaith Harmony Month these past five years. Governor Haley is of East Indian parents and was raised in the Sikh religion. There was a large turnout and coverage by two television stations.

Perhaps at no time in the history of this country and of the world has understanding and cooperation among the various faiths been more important than it is now. The Interfaith movement has as an origin the Parliament of the World's Religions which took place in Chicago in 1893. The modern Parliament began again in 1993, once again in Chicago, and has since taken place in South Africa, Spain, Australia and in Salt Lake City, UT in 2015. Some of the founders of IPSC were involved in planning the 1993 event and many have attended the Parliament. In further recognition of Governor Haley I'd like to note that the Sikhs have provided lunch for each of the modern Parliament of the World's Religions. 150 of them flew from London, England to feed nearly 10,000 of us each day in SLC. At their Amritsar Temple in India they feed 250,000 people three meals every day.

In the 1970's IPSC began as an ecumenical dialogue between Christians and Jews and it has grown to become the largest and most inclusive organization of its type in our state. Currently there are representatives of 10 faithpaths in IPSC and it is chaired by Dr. Will Goins, who also serves as the Native American Spirituality representative. IPSC has been very active in the Midlands and Upstate, and we are now forming a local chapter in the Lowcountry. So far we have the commitment and involvement of several faith leaders including Methodist and Baptist Ministers from the

mainline Christian denominations, Rabbis, Baha'is, and Unitarian Ministers. We will be gathering for our first meeting sometime in January. If you are a faith leader who is interested in this work please contact us through the links at the end of this article.

In alignment with, and as part of the statewide activities surrounding Interfaith Harmony Month, Unity of Hilton Head is offering an Interfaith Prayer Service on January 15th beginning at 10 AM, where Armenian Christian, Jewish, Baha'i and Hindu and Native American prayers will be offered and is open to the public. It will be followed by light hors d'oeuvres in our social hall. Please come and be a part of the blessings we'll collectively send out into the world.

Another important Interfaith organization in the Lowcountry is the Unified Interfaith Community Coalition in Beaufort. My involvement with them began at the Grace Chapel AME in Beaufort last June when my Unity minister and I attended the very moving Memorial Service for the Emmanuel Nine, which was hosted by Rev. Jeannine Smalls Pastor of Grace Chapel AME and founder of UICC. As a part of the statewide Interfaith Harmony Month UICC will be hosting an Interfaith/Intercultural Celebration with many churches and congregations, including Rev. Jack Bomar's United Church, on January the 8th at the First Presbyterian Education Hall in Beaufort from 4 to 6 PM, open to all, and will feature a potluck opportunity to break bread together.

Links:

Jim's website: [interfaithadvocate.org](http://interfaithadvocate.org)

IPSC: [interfaithpartnersofsc.org](http://interfaithpartnersofsc.org)

UICC's Facebook page: [www.facebook.com/Unified-Interfaith-Community-Coalition-of-Beaufort-1021288934644076/](https://www.facebook.com/Unified-Interfaith-Community-Coalition-of-Beaufort-1021288934644076/)

Parliament of the World's Religions: [parliamentofreligions.org](http://parliamentofreligions.org)

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## Unity of Savannah, GA

01/08	BURNING BOWL CEREMONY	10:30 AM
01/15	REV. EDWENE GAINES	BOTH SERVICES
01/22	ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING	12:30 PM
01/29	PRAYER CHAPLAIN ORIENTATION	12:00-1:00 PM
01/19-02/23	4 SPIRITUAL LAWS OF PROSPERITY	6:30-8:30 PM
2/24-5	PRAYER CHAPLAIN TRAINING <small>FRIDAY EVENING AND ALL DAY SATURDAY</small>	NOTE

## Unity of Hilton Head, SC


01/01	BURNING BOWL/WHITE STONE CEREMONIES JIM TAYLOR & REV. LAURA HARTLEY	10:00 AM
01/08	LETTERS TO GOD	10:00 AM
01/15	INTERFAITH PRAYER SERVICE	10:00 AM
01/22	MOVIE SHOWING: THE TWELVE POWERS	NOON
01/26-03/02	TWELVE POWERS CLASS, JIM TAYLOR	10:30-NOON

## Unity of Mt. Pleasant, SC

01/06	DELIA CHARIKER IS PERFORMING, SOUTH OF BROAD THEATER	8:00 PM
01/04-02/22	THE QUEST FOR PRAYER: COMING HOME TO SPIRIT ~ ELIZABETH CAIN	7:00 PM

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 <b>Unity of Charleston, SC</b>		
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01/08	WHITE STONE CEREMONY	9:15 AM
01/15	HOUSE OF HERU, MUSIC, BOTH SERVICES	BOTH SERVICES
01/22	LORNA AND BRUCE ROBERTS, MUSIC, BOTH SERVICES	
02/13	 VALENTINES DANCE	7:00 PM

 <b>Unity of Myrtle Beach, SC</b>		
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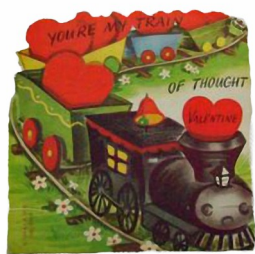
01/08	“INSPIRED BY JOY” – LESTA SUE HARDEE, MINISTERIAL STUDENT	11:00 AM
01/15	BOB SIMA-“THE SINGLE EYE OF THE HEART”, SUNDAY SERVICE PLUS EVENING CONCERT	11:00 AM/6:00 PM
01/24-03/28	RESILIENCE FROM THE HEART – THE POWER TO THRIVE IN LIFE’S	5:00-6:30 PM

 <b>Unity of Wilmington, NC</b>		
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01/01	PEAS AND GREENS POTLUCK LUNCH IN THE FELLOWSHIP HALL	10AM-NOON
01/08	WORKSHOP: CREATE THE LIFE YOU REALLY WANT, COST: \$99.00	10:00 AM-4:00 PM
01/28	INTEGRATIVE HEALING ARTS WEEKEND, \$40 ADVANCE (\$50 AT	9:30 AM-4:15 PM
01/29	SOUND HEALING WITH TIBETAN BOWLS (SUGGESTED LOVE OFFER-	2:00-3:00 PM
02/26	DR. MICHAEL RYCE, GUEST SPEAKER AND WORKSHOP	TBD

 <b>Unity Church of Greenville, SC</b>		
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01/04	POWER UP ~ THE TWELVE POWERS REVISITED WED	7:00 PM
01/24	NEW MEMBER ORIENTATION	7:00 PM
02/19	ANNUAL MEMBERS MEETING AFTER 2ND SERVICE	NOTE
02/26	THE METHOD FOR ABUNDANCE ~ BOB LANCER	2:15 PM



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