



Metro East Unitarian Universalist Congregation



Masonic Lodge – 90 Kriege Farm Road, Glen Carbon, IL

This Week's News 04/23/2025

NOTE: MEUUC has discontinued the use of PayPal for making financial contributions.
Please use Givelify to make online contributions.

NOTE: The Drag Comedy Show at the Moose Lodge on April 27 is limited to those 21 and older.
Also, the cost is \$20 in advance and \$25 at the door. If anyone prepaid \$25 please ask for a refund at the door.

Sunday, April 27, 10 a.m.

Speaker: Joy Hoeft

Title: *"Sharing Our Stories Through Music."*

This service will be filled with songs written by UUs sharing stories of our faith through music. Come, learn about some UU songwriters, and bring your voices, as we will be singing a lot.

RE Classes – PreK, Elementary and Youth. **Childcare** is available for those younger than PreK.

Potluck Lunch today. Please bring something to share.

We'll have to Set Up as well as Take Down in the sanctuary and fellowship hall today.
Volunteers to help would be appreciated.

Upcoming Worship Services

May 4: Eden Johnson – **May 11:** Rev. Dee Evans – **May 18:** Rev. Dr. Claudia Hall –
May 25: Rev. Dr. Claudia Hall

Church Info Newsletter Deadline for May: Sunday, April 27. Email what you want included in May's newsletter to [Mary Johnson](#).

Future Events

Sunday, April 27 – Sharon ShareAlike Drag Comedy Bingo Show – 3:00 p.m. (doors open at 2:30) at the Moose Lodge (7371 Marine Road) in Edwardsville. [DRAG BINGO | April 27, 2025](#) for tickets or use the QR code.



Thursday, May 1 – Anna Ds Women’s Lunch – 11:30 a.m. at **Fusion Taco** in Edwardsville. It’s in the same shopping center as Bella Milano but at the other end near where Wang Gang was before it closed. 1017 Century Drive, Edwardsville, IL 62025 [\(618\) 307-5656](#).

Sunday, May 4 - *THE GATHERING*

This group is expanding as we offer centering support to the women in our church and larger community. On May 4 we will be gathering for a Walk and Talk at Watershed. On June 1 we will be back at MEUUC for conversations on the theme of preparedness during uncertain times.

Saturday - June through October – 1st Saturday each month.



Looking at June through October. MEUUC will have a booth from 8 a.m. to noon on the first Saturday of the 5 months of the Goshen Market in downtown Edwardsville. Mark your calendars for 6/7/25, 7/5/25, 8/2/25, 9/6/25, 10/4/25. Volunteers will be needed as we give out free children's books to the community ... sometimes lemonade, watermelon, etc. too. If you have any children's books to donate, please contact [Peg Flach](#).

The RE youth have some ideas for participation this year too! Always a good time!

The phone number for MEUUC is 618-307-5287.

If you call the old number, it will transfer to the new number.

Eventually the email address, the homepage address, and the Facebook page will have the new name of our congregation. But for now, these things will remain the same.

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