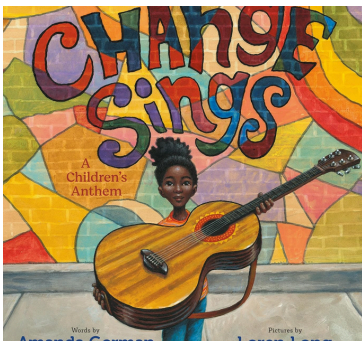


JUNE NEWSLETTER FLOURISHING TOGETHER

Dear families and friends, As we move into **June**, our Religious Education program is excited to bring our learning outdoors as we work together to transform our grounds into a **Summer Home We Share**. Throughout the season, we will continue exploring our UU Big Ideas as guiding values for how we learn, play, and build community. Weather permitting, we will **gather outside** for ritual and storytelling, then transition into **station-based activities** that invite creativity, curiosity, and connection through art, experiments, and friendship-building. We can't wait to continue this **joyful journey** of learning, creating, and **growing together** in a space where all can flourish.



Sunday, June 7th
WE WORK TOGETHER TO TRANSFORM OUR WORLD INTO A BETTER PLACE FOR EVERYONE.

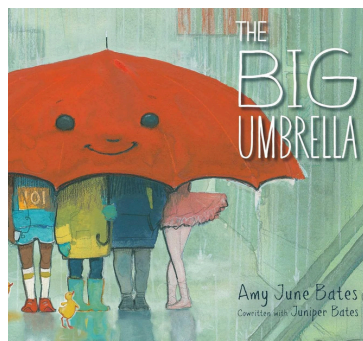


Book: "Change Sings, A Children's Anthem" by Amanda Gorman

Questions:

- What can we do to transform or change our outdoor space to create a Summer Home We All Share?
- What are some of the ways we can transform our outdoor space for ritual?
- What would it take to build a village in our outdoor spaces?

Sunday, June 14th
YOU ARE LOVE AND YOU ARE LOVED. LOVE IS AT THE CENTER OF OUR SUMMER HOME WE SHARE.

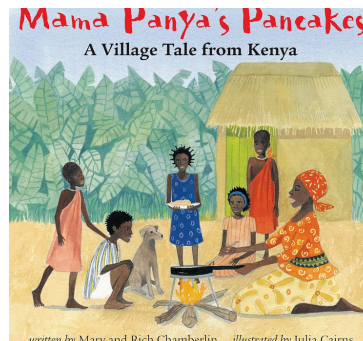


Book "The Big Umbrella" — Amy June Bates & Juniper Bates

Questions:

- Is there will be enough room for everyone in the Summer Home We Share?
- Who do you think we will share our summer home with? How can we make sure we are leading in love for all creatures as we build our home?

Sunday, June 21st
WE CREATE THE SUMMER HOME WE SHARE WHEN EVERYONE SHARES SOMETHING.

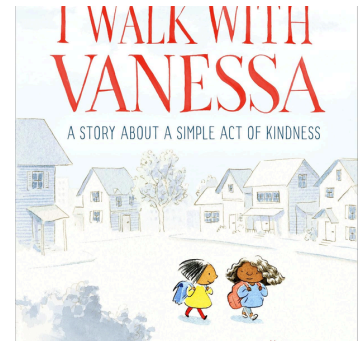


Book "Mama Panya's Pancakes", written by Mary and Rich Chamberlin

Questions:

- Can you name a time at UU when we gather in friendship hall and everyone brings something?
- Have you ever been worried about not having enough to share or that there may not be enough for you if you share?

Sunday, June 28th
WE SHOW LOVE BY WHAT WE DO. LOVE IS AT THE CENTER.



Book: "I walk with Vanessa: A Picture Book Story about a Simple Act of Kindness"

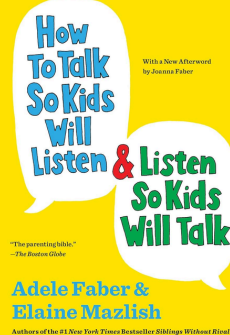
Questions:

- We believe that love is embodied in what we do and how we treat others. We try to live so that our actions show love for the world. We try to keep love at the center. What are some actions that show love for other people, for our community, or for the world?

SUMMER HIKES!!

You're invited to join us on summer hikes starting the last Saturday in June from 10am to 12pm running through July and August. Hiking locations will be carefully chosen to ensure they are family friendly. For more information you can reach out to Erin Placey or Ted Welsh

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Summer Discussion Dates: TBD following Soulful Suppers on Wednesday. To learn more or sign up talk with Angela Mason or Erin Placey



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