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> Special UUpdate June 15, 2019

Our New UUFN Minister

Your UUFN Board of Directors is excited to announce that we have a new half-time Minister: Reverend Donald Garrett! Thank you so much to the search committee of Gary Jackoway, Marie Laberge, Bev LaRock, and Guat-Lian Kreamer for their work to make this happen.



The Reverend Donald Garrett

Rev. Garrett, originally from upstate Central New York, has had a number of careers. He attended Berkelee School of Music majoring in Jazz Performance, and studied music composition at Bard College. Following a serious illness he turned to typesetting, a creative profession that lasted until he began ministerial studies in his 40's. He received a B.A. from the University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill (Phi Beta Kappa) in 1997 and a M.Div. from Duke University (Magna Cum Laude) in 2000. He has served churches in Greensboro, Hillsborough, Durham, Raleigh, and Wilmington, NC; Indianapolis, IN; Newport News, VA; and served The Unitarian Universalist Church of the Lehigh Valley in Bethlehem, PA as their settled minister from 2010-19.

Rev. Garrett will start mid-August.

UUpdate CORRECTION: Summer Solstice- Coyote Medicine Drum Circle Friday, June 21.7:00 – 9:30pm <u>NOT "Pot luck"--S'mores and fruit are</u> <u>free and provided!</u>



Summer Solstice Celebration outside, with fire ring, drumming and a fire ceremony. And S'mores and fruit.