## Fairhope Unitarian Fellowship Sept 7, 2025

**Music 10:45:** *Mark Habib on guitar:* Gymnopedie #1 by Erik Satie, Mi Favorita, Argentinian Traditionalm, Un dia de Noviembre by Leo Brouwer, Theme from the "Godfather", by Nino Rota, Recuerdos de la Alhambra, by Francisco Tarrega

Mark Habib taught classical guitar at USA. This should be a musical interlude to hear.

Sunday Program starts at 11:00

**Greetings:** President, Irene Wegner

Chalice Lighting: Sandy Tormoen

Announcements / Joys and Sorrows

**Greeting Our Guests** 

Reading: Mary Anderson

**Moment of Silence** 

Music and Collection: Mark Habib on guitar, El Noi de la Mare, Miguel Llobet

Program: Baldwin Family Village, Kate Carver & Sarah Laurio:

"Transitional Housing for Homeless Women & Children"

Dumas Wesley Community Center approaches poverty, homelessness and inequity by offering long term transformation. By using a connected web of services: transitional housing, youth enrichment, senior wellness, emergency aid and workforce training as well as food, clothing and transportation-the center addresses a wide spectrum of human need. Dumas Wesley recently expanded its mission with the launch of the County's first housing program for homeless women and children in Fairhope.

Kate Carver has served in a number of key positions with the Salvation Army, the Mobile County Sheriff's Office and Volunteer Mobile. She is currently the Executive Director of the Dumas Wesley Community Center and has been leading the Center for 15 years. Sarah Laurio is Associate Executive Director of Dumas Wesley Community Center overseeing the Sybil Smith Family Village & Baldwin Family Village.

**2nd Unitarian Principle:** We covenant to affirm and promote justice, equity and compassion in human relations.

Pantry Habit *Thank you* for contributing to our Pantry. There is *always* a need for our Food Pantry! We particularly need pasta, hearty soups, canned green veggies and fruit. One reason people like it so much is that we don't require identification or proof of need. "Take what you need. Give what you can". This has worked well for us! Our neighbors appreciate our generosity! So, **THANK YOU** for your caring! **YOU DO**MAKE A DIFFERENCE!

This Week at FUF Sept 7 – Sept 12, 2025 Monday: Open Uke Jam, 2:00 – 4:00 pm

Tuesday: Men's group, Kind Café, Fairhope, 9:00 am

**Wednesday:** The Back Porch Folk Singers practice, 3:00-4:30 pm

**Thursday:** Thursday Club, 5:00-7:00 pm, Market by the Bay

on Church Street

Friday: Board Meeting, 12:30 pm

## 9/14/25 Program: Frank Barragan:

## "The work of the Alabama Coalition for Immigrant Justice"

Frank in conversation with Nick Coulson will talk about the history and role of the Hispanic immigrant community in this country. He will discuss the effect of the current administration's policies, and their impact on Hispanic communities. *Email questions you would like to have asked to* njcoulson@gmail.com.

Frank Barragan is the Community Engagement Coordinator for the Alabama Coalition for Immigrant Justice and a mainstay of the local Hispanic community.

## ATTN: Mark your calendars for September 14, 2:00 pm at the Fellowship, for a showing of the film "The Survivor"

The film will be introduced by Alan Haft, son of the film's subject, Harry Haft. The film is based on Alan's book. Here's the description of the film from Wikipedia.

*The Survivor* is a 2021 biographical drama film directed by Barry Levinson from a screenplay by Justine Juel Gillmer. Ben Foster stars as Harry Haft, a real-life survivor of the Nazi Germany Auschwitz concentration camp, where he boxed fellow inmates to survive. Vicky Krieps, Billy Magnussen, Peter Sarsgaard, John Leguizamo, and Danny DeVitoco-star. The film had its world premiere at the Toronto International Film Festival in September 2021, and was released on HBO on April 27, 2022. The film received positive reviews from critics, particularly for Foster's lead performance. The film was Emmy nominated for Outstanding Television Movie.