Fairhope Unitarian Fellowship Sept 21, 2025

ATTN: Special Event this week at FUF.

Sept 20: Stand Up Comedy Jam - FUF 7:30 pm. \$15, PG13

Join us for a night full of laughter! We'll have five fabulous comedians: Ed Tyll, Matt Nagin, D Bryson Bryne, James, and Carson Tayler, under one roof!

Potluck is on Sunday, September 28. We do not have a theme this month. The organizers are bringing various casseroles. It is not necessary, but please feel free to bring a dish to share.

Sunday Sept 21

Music 10:45 *Juanie Noland on piano:* Songs of Hope & Happiness, It's a Wonderful life, Look for the Silver Lining, When You Wish Upon a Star, Blowing in the Wind, On the Sunny Side of the Street, Put on a Happy Face, Happy Talk, Get Happy, High Hopes, This Land is My Land, Happy Days are Here Again

Sunday Program starts at 11:00

Greetings: President, Irene Wegner

Chalice Lighting: *Eloise Rogers*

Announcements / Joys and Sorrows

Greeting Our Guests

Reading: Nick Coulson

Moment of Silence

Music and Collection: Juanie Noland on piano, Imagine, John Lennon, Yoko Ono

Mike Turner:

"Celebrating the International Day of Peace in Poetry and Song"

Mike Turner celebrates the UN International Day of Peace (Sunday, September 21, 2025) with a selection of his original songs and poems to advocate peace and oppose war and violence.

Mike Turner is a songwriter/poet living in Fairhope. He was named 2025 Poet of the Year by the Alabama State Poetry Society. Mike has more than 450 poems published in over 100 literary journals and anthologies, and numerous original songs receiving radio and streaming play. His poetry collection, Visions and Memories, is available on Amazon.

6th Unitarian Principle: We covenant to affirm and promote the goal of world community with peace, liberty, and justice for all.

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 20 - Sept 26, 2025

Saturday: Sept 20 Stand Up Comedy Jam -FUF 7:30 pm. \$15

Sunday: Silent Meditation Group, 9:45 am **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

Wednesday: Fiction Book Group, 3:30 pm

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

on Church Street

9/28/25 Program:

Frye Gaillard: "Heroes and Other Mortals"

Frye Gaillard will select stories from his most recent book, *Heroes and Other Mortals*. This is a collection of inspiring profiles Gaillard has written throughout his career, telling the stories of activists, artists, musicians and others who worked to make the world a better place.

Frye lives in Mobile, Alabama, and is the writer-in-residence in the English and History departments at the University of South Alabama. He is the author of thirty books, the winner of the Lillian Smith Book Award and the Gustavus Myers Award.