Fairhope Unitarian Fellowship Sept 28, 2025

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 28

Music 10:45: The Back Porch Folk Singers: If I Had a Hammer, Passing Through, Guantanamera, Catfish John, This Old Earth

Sunday Program starts at 11:00

Greetings: President, Irene Wegner

Chalice Lighting: Suzanne Tormoen

Announcements / Joys and Sorrows

Greeting Our Guests

Reading: Mia Manifold

Moment of Silence

Music and Collection: The Back Porch Folk Singers, Sing Along

"I'm Gonna Sit at the Welcome Table"

Frye Gaillard: "Heroes and Other Mortals"

Frye Gaillard will talk about 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.

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 28 –Oct 4, 2025 Sunday: Silent Meditation Group, 9:45 am

Sunday: Potluck: 12:15 pm

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: Non-fiction Book Group, 9:30 am **Thursday:** WOW, Women of Wisdom, 11:00 am

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

Next Week: October 5

Dr. Suzanne Tormoen: The Chalice

The flaming chalice is the official logo of the Unitarian Universalist Association (UUA). It is enshrined in stained glass at the head of our fellowship hall, and our most significant symbol. But what is its meaning and significance? Suzanne will unpack its history & relevance to the Unitarianism.

Suzanne has been a Unitarian since Junior high school and loves the Fellowship, which is an important part of her life. She is a physician in internal medicine in Fairhope after working in Mobile and has a Masters in nutrition. She studied martial arts with Yōseikan Budō for 5 years. She likes to garden, walk, do yoga, cook and be civically minded. She has 2 sons, 3 grandchildren, and 3 siblings.