

Fairhope Unitarian Fellowship UPDATE, March 15, 2026

Welcoming Music 10:45 am: Lew Toulmin, baritone ukulele and vocals; Phil Strniste, guitar and vocals; Heather Nutting, violin. IRISH MUSIC

11 am Meeting

Greetings and call to Gather: President, *Mary Anderson*

Welcome

Announcements

Chalice Lighting: *Ken Kralik*

Offertory Selection: *TBD*

7th UU Principle: Respect for the interdependent web of all existence of which we are a part.

Moment of Silence

Reading - *Sheena Patrick*

Introduction of Program -

Program: *Ken Hudson*

Diane Thomas “Ticking Time Bomb at Plant Barry”

Diane will present an overview of the threat of 21million tons of toxic coal ash next to the Mobile River in the Tensaw Delta and possible permanent pollution unless action is taken now.

Diane was born and raised in Little Rock, Arkansas received her PhD in Clinical Psychology in 1973 and practiced for 20 years. Some of her volunteer activities include Chairman of the City of Fairhope Personnel Board, Read Aloud Baldwin, and Coal Ash Action Group for the last three years. One of her most notable accomplishments was hiking on the Appalachian Trail when I was 58.

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. Personal care items are a big need too. 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!**

UPDATE:

Wednesday, March 18, 2026 – A showing of the film Sallie’s Ashes, 6:00 - 7:30 pm.

This film is a second part of the talk our Speaker, Diane Thomas will make on Sunday, March 15, 2026.

This Week at FUF March 15 - March 21, 2026

Monday: Open Uke Jam, 2:00 - 4:00 pm

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

Tuesday: Board Meeting, 4:30 pm

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

Wednesday: A showing of Sallie’s Ashes, 6:00-7:30pm

Thursday: WOW, Women of Wisdom 11:00

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

Program Next Week, March 22, 2026

Tom Czekanski “The Civil War in Baldwin Co. Alabama, a Brief Overview”

Mr. Czekanski will provide a brief overview of historic events in Baldwin County Alabama during the Civil War from the occupation of Fort Morgan to the Battle of Mobile Bay and the Surrender of Ft. Blakely, the last major battle of the war.

A retired museum curator, Tom has been employed by Beauvoir, The Last Home of Jefferson Davis, The Louisiana State Museum and The National WWII Museum. He participated in Civil War reenactments for over 15 years as both a Confederate and Federal Soldier recreating battles at historic sites across the country including many locations in Baldwin County. He is currently enjoying retirement in Silverhill with his spouse Annette Chioma.