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Communion of Names. Please write your Joys and Concerns in the book at the back of the sanctuary before the service begins in order to be incorporated in worship. All items will be passed to the Caring Committee.

What Did We Do in RE Today? The theme for October is Gratitude. Because a number of families have expressed concerns following last week's elections, this week all classes above preschool will focus on ways to live fairly and lovingly. **Preschool:** I Can Say Thank You. *Ask your child:* Why do you think people say thank you? **K-7th:** Children's Chapel (can you be an upstander instead of a bystander?) **Youth:** What is one concrete action you can take to stand for justice? **5th-6th Grade OWL:** No class this Sunday.

Boxtops for Barron. Barron Elementary is having a Boxtops for Education drive and has asked for our assistance. Boxtops 4 Education provides extra dollars to schools in exchange for product boxtops. This is an easy way for everyone to help out Barron Elementary. All you have to do is save the boxtop coupons from General Mills products! You can find the list of products on the bulletin board in Founders Hall and at <http://www.boxtops4education.com/earn>. **We will be placing a small collection box in Founders Hall for your boxtops.** Please place your collected boxtops there and we will be sure that Barron gets the boxtops for their program!

Our **annual Guest At Your Table**, a fundraiser for the UU Service Committee, has begun. We are asking each family to pick up a GAYT box at Church to "feed" with monetary donations over the next two months. These funds will be sent to the UU Service Committee to help with national and international crises such as the damage in Haiti after the hurricane. In January 2017 we will be collecting your donations made out to UUSC, preferably in a check form, to submit to this worthwhile cause. Any questions, ask Anne Smith or anyone on the Social Action committee.

If you ordered pies from our teens, pick them up this Sunday! Haven't ordered one yet? Fresh, homemade, delicious. Apple, Pecan, Pumpkin, Chocolate/Walnut. \$20 (\$25 for the chocolate walnut because of its extra-deliciousness). If you want one, it's not too late! Contact Danni Williams or Kathy Smith, DRE.

Annual Holiday Folksing Friday, December 2. The CUUC First Friday Folksingers invite you to their Annual Holiday Folksing on Friday, December 2nd at 8 PM at the home of Gail and Charlie Battista, 600 Homewood Drive, Plano, 75025. Bring a holiday snack to share and come sit around the fire and join the FFFS in singing your favorite holiday carols and songs. Just listening is OK too! Come kick off the Holiday Season by joining in the fellowship of the First Friday Folksingers holiday festivities. Bring your instruments and copies of any special music. A piano is available. Adult beverages will be provided. There is no childcare available. **Please RSVP to cbatti@aol.com or gcbatt@gmail.com by calling 972-517-0618 to let us know you'll be coming.**

The Pantry is busy collecting items for their Christmas Baskets to be distributed to the families in Plano registered to receive them. 300 families will receive the baskets. **You can see the list of items needed for Christmas Baskets on our website or copies of the list are attached to the God's Pantry Cart.**

Friday Night Flicks, November 25 – Hail Caesar! - 2016 - 1 hr. 45 min. - PG13 in Founders Hall at 7pm.

Check out the new Gratitude Resources on the bulletin board in Founders Hall. Or watch the church's Facebook page for regular updates, memes, articles, and suggestions about incorporating gratitude into your life.

The Church office will be closed Thursday, November 24 and Friday, November 25.

CUUC Calendar November 20 – November 27

Sunday, November 20

Children's Chapel (K thru 7th Grade)
10:30am Worship & Religious Education
11:45am Church Library
12pm Church Chats (Sanctuary)
NO OWL 5th/6th Grade Class
NO Faith Forward: Inquirer's Series

12:15pm Earth Spirit Group (Room G)
12:15pm Leadership Development Comm. Mtg. (Library)

Monday, November 21

7pm HoUUse Jam (Sanctuary)

NO Yoga Class

Tuesday, November 22

7pm Tibetan Buddhism Class (Sanctuary)

Wednesday, November 23

NO Choir Rehearsal

Church Library Closed

Thursday, November 24

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Friday, November 25

CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED

7pm Friday Night Flicks (Founders Hall)

Saturday, November 26

10am Holiday Decorating Party (Founders Hall and Sanctuary)

Sunday, November 27

10:30am Worship & Religious Education

11:45 am Church Library

12pm Church Chats(Sanctuary)

NO Faith Forward: Inquirer's Series

12:15pm 5th/6th Grade OWL (Room F)