



The Unitarian Church in
Westport (TUCW)
6-7th gr. 2016-2017

Building Bridges

Adapted for 6-7th grade

<http://www.uua.org/re/tapestry/youth/bridges>

FALL SEMESTER

SEPTEMBER 2016 (Theme: Covenant)

- 11- 🕊️ *Homecoming Service –in Sanctuary*
18 - #1 **Treasure Everywhere**
25 - #2 **UU: The Journey Starts at Home**

OCTOBER (Theme: Healing)

- 2 🕊️ **Animal Blessing Service** Bring Pet or Picture of Pet
9 (Columbus Day) #4 **Hinduism: One God, A Thousand Faces**
16 - 🚗 *off-site* – Hindu Temple, Queens, NY
23 - #3 **Indigenous Religions: The Earth**
30 - #5 **Judaism: Birth of Abrahamic Tradition**

NOVEMBER (Theme: Story)

- Fri. Nov. 4 - 🚗 off-site - Temple Israel, Westport- 6:00pm Meet
Rabbi, 6:30pm Service also invited to stay for Shabbat dinner following*
6 (Clocks fall back) #6 **Judaism: People of the Law**
13- #7 **Intro to Eastern Religions + #8 Taoism**
20 - 🕊️ *Go to Thanksgiving Service – in Sanctuary*
27 - *Vacation – child care only - welcome in Sanctuary*

DECEMBER (Theme :Presence)

- 4- #9 **Buddhism: Waking Up**
11 - #10 **Buddhism: Right Living**
18- 🚗 *off-site? Tibetan Buddhist Center Redding?*
Sat. 24th 🕊️ Attend Christmas Eve services at TUCW
25 - *Christmas Day - Vacation – All welcome in Sanctuary
option - 🚗 Independently off-site visit another
Christian Church with family or friends (bring name of
church & impressions back to group Jan. 8th)*

JANUARY 2015 - (Theme: Prophecy)

- 1 - No Group today – **Independently 🚗 off-site Visit
another Christian Church with family or friends** (bring
name of church & impressions back to group next week)
8 - # 11 **Christianity 1**

NOTE: Sessions as of 7-28-16 dates for 2016-17
Subject to change

Contact the REAssisttucw@uuwestport.org or
Team Leader to to get connected & specific
information for the trips.

SPRING SEMESTER

JANUARY 2017 cont'd - (Theme: Prophecy)

- 15 (M.L.King,Jr. Wkd) Go to Sanctuary service
22 – # 12 **Christianity 2** (Martin Luther's 95 Theses)
29 – 🚗 *off-site Visit Mt. Aery Baptist Church,
Bridgeport*

FEBRUARY (Theme: Identity)

- 5 (FYI Super bowl Sunday) # 15 **1800's Five New
Religions (Mormon here)**
12 - #16: **Evangelical Christianity**
19- *vacation – child care only- welcome in Sanctuary*
26 – #17 **Quakers: Lamb & Lion**
MARCH (Theme: Risk)

- 5 – #13 **Islam - Peace by Surrender**
*Fri. Mar. 10 - 🚗 off-site -1:00pm Al-Aziz Islamic
Center, Bridgeport(service + pizza afterwards with hosts)*
12 (clocks spring ahead)# 14 **Islam-Contemporary issues**
19 – #20 **Cults**
26 – #19 **Atheists & Agnostics still go to church**

APRIL (Theme: Transformation)

- 2 # 18 **Humanists**
9 -*Vacation – child care only*
16 – *Easter/Passover – ½ hr in Sanctuary & opportunity to
assist in activities for younger children*
23 – #21 **Neo Pagan: The Sacred of Creation** (possible
[Guest here](#))
30-#22 **Wider & Deeper Reflect on Year.**

MAY (Theme: Embodiment)

- 7 – 🕊️ **Youth Service + 9th CoA Credo's – in Sanctuary**
14 (*Mother's Day*) (*Bridging ceremony*) Go to service
21 – Go to Camp Jewell Wkd – no group in Westport
28(*Memorial Day wkd*) **10 am services start – no group**

**JUNE 4 (Theme: Zest) 🕊️ Lifespan Faith Development
Celebration & Flower Service-10:00 am in Sanctuary**