Valuing ALL Families: An Interfaith Community Witness Event

Join UUA President William Sinkford & Interfaith and Community Leaders
Standing on the Side of Love with Immigrant and Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual, & Transgender Families

As a welcoming association, Unitarian Universalists value all individuals and their families. Today both gay, lesbian, bisexual, transgender and immigrant families face discrimination and legal barriers to keeping their families together.

Speakers:
Rev. William Sinkford, President, Unitarian Universalist Association

Testimonials & information on what we can do from UUs and members of Florida Immigrant Coalition, Equality Florida, Fairness for All Families, and Greater Fort Lauderdale LGBT & Friends Interfaith Clergy

Our current immigration system keeps families apart, both through a huge backlog in family-based immigration, and through the unjust detention and deportation of immigrant mothers, fathers, brothers and sisters. We call for comprehensive family-based immigration reform.

Florida is the last state to have a complete ban on gay adoption, and a state ballot initiative drive to outlaw same sex marriage will be coming up in the November elections. In fact, the amendment will ban all recognition and benefits for unmarried couples, straight and gay. It will block civil unions, domestic partnership and repeal existing protections and family benefits relied upon by millions of Floridians. Vote No on 2!

When: Friday, June 27th 5:00pm—6:30pm
Where: Stranahan Park
Across from City Hall in downtown Ft. Lauderdale

Shuttles leave right in front of the Conv. Ctr. at the entrances of Hall B & C at 4:30, 4:45 & 5:00 and return at 6:30, 6:45. 7:00 & 7:15 so you can eat at the rally or back at the Conv. Ctr.

Bring your family and come have a picnic while we hear testimonials and learn about what we can do working together for family values that value ALL families!

Come witness and stand on the side of love!

There will be music, food vendors, nearby restaurants, and kid-friendly activities.

Sponsors: Unitarian Universalist Association, General Assembly Planning Committee, UU Church of Ft. Lauderdale, River of Grass UU Congregation, UU Florida State Advocacy Network, Interweave, DRUUMM (Diverse & Revolutionary UU Multicultural Ministries), Greater Fort Lauderdale LGBT & Friends Interfaith Clergy, ACLU, Florida Immigrant Coalition, Equality Florida, Fairness for All Families & Others