

Racial Justice Task Force - November Newsletter

"Orange County Civil Rights: A History of an Enduring Struggle for Equality" On the 14th of October, We had a gathering of about 30 attend a special presentation from <u>Groundswell</u> (formerly OC Human Relations Council). They had a very compelling slide show about Orange County and it

underscored the importance of community building and learning skills to address the racial inequities and understanding of the diverse experiences we have had.

8th Principle Focus Groups - Nov. 2, 4, and 5

CLick here to <u>RSVP: Nov RJTF Small Groups</u>

We are more than HALFWAY to our goal: we have 23 sign ups- Will YOU JOIN THE DIALOGUE?

We want to rally a good percentage of our membership to attend so that the data we collect will reflect significantly where we are as a congregation.



Focus Group Details: Due to the need for in-depth conversation, the groups will be capped at 8 attendees.

- Zoom groups:
 - November 2 6:00 pm 7:30 pm
 - November 5 12:00 pm 1:30 pm
- In-person groups at Tapestry:
 - November 4 1:00 pm 2:30 pm
 - November 5 12:00 pm 1:30 pm

To help Tapestry UU become more of a beloved community, please sign up here: <u>RSVP: Nov</u> <u>RJTF Small Groups</u>

If you decide to join us (and we REALLY HOPE YOU DO!!), please make sure you complete the required pre-work:

1.Read the background at https://www.8thprincipleuu.org/background

2. Watch the video <u>https://www.uua.org/leadership/library/bipoc-and-8th-principle</u>

If you have any questions, please contact Liz Bear elizabear5@yahoo.com. Thank you for your cooperation and enthusiasm.