

UU Humanist

Association

You're Invited to the Annual Meeting & "Schempp Schindigg"

Friday, June 27, 6:30 – 9:00 pm

Rhode Island Convention Center **Hall D**, <u>1 Sabin St, Providence RI 02903</u>

Parking at North Garage Parking Lot, <u>99 West Exchange St, Providence RI 02903</u>

\$10 Flat Rate Parking Coupon



Help us celebrate a lifetime of achievement in the service of Separation of Church & State as we name **Ellery Schempp** our *Religious Humanist of the Year*. Ellery's landmark Supreme Court case, *Abington v. Schempp*, removed prayer and Bible reading from public schools. After a very brief business meeting we'll hear from David Niose of the American Humanist Association, representatives from Americans United for Separation of Church & State and then Ellery himself.

Live music will be provided by a jazz duo including our own freethinking friend, <u>Jon</u> <u>Dreyer</u> on bass, and Harvey Diamond on keyboard.

Light food will be served and there will be a cash bar. **Please spread this invitation far and wide!** This event is in conjunction with the UUA General Assembly but the celebration is open to the public. Members of dozens of N.E. freethought groups and UU congregations, including Ellery's UU Bedford, will be there. There is no charge (though donations will be accepted for the food and musicians).

Humanism is a progressive philosophy of life that, without supernatural beliefs, affirms our ability and responsibility to lead ethical lives of personal fulfillment that aspire to the greater good of humanity. The lifestance of Humanism – guided by reason, inspired by compassion, and informed by experience – encourages us to live life well and fully.

The Unitarian Universalist Humanist Association (HUUmanists) is committed to Humanist principles of reason, compassion, and human fulfillment enumerated in the Humanist Manifestos and in the seven Principles of the Unitarian Universalist Association. We seek (1) to promote a broad acceptance of Humanism in our society, particularly throughout the Unitarian Universalist Association and its congregations, and (2) to provide an active interface between Unitarian Universalists and the secular community.



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