



First Unitarian Fellowship of Nanaimo, BC, Canada

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## Spirit Play Curriculum Training



The Spirit Play Curriculum is a 'New Model' for offering Religious Education within Unitarian Universalist Congregations for three to ten year olds. The program is an adaptation of the original Godly Play, developed by Reverend Jerome Barryman, and used by Christian Congregations Curriculum. This methodology is based Maria Montessori's theory of children's learning processes. The curriculum incorporates hands-on, aesthetic story and art materials to help the children make sense of life's religious questions and spiritual experiences. The stories come from our six Unitarian Sources and our seven Unitarian principles.

**Training Day:** Saturday, April 29<sup>th</sup>, 2017 from 9am to 5pm  
and  
**Optional Sunday Service presented by Joy Silver**

[www.ufon.ca](http://www.ufon.ca) 595 Townsite Road, Suite 1, Nanaimo BC V9S 1K9

**\$120 Canadian** per person - includes lunch, Curriculum CD, and Handbook

Presenter: **Joy Silver, Registered Spirit Play Trainer**

### You will:

- Experience a Spirit Play model classroom
- See Spirit Play stories modeled for you
- Be introduced to the Philosophy of Spirit Play based on Jerome Berryman's and Maria Montessori's Work
- Become familiar with and present one story
- Hear about success stories and how to begin a Spirit Play Program
- Receive a packet of materials including a CD of Spirit Play story scripts and basket layout ideas

For further information, contact Registrar. Sharon Fulton at [sharonfulton@shaw.ca](mailto:sharonfulton@shaw.ca)

**Registration deadline March 15, 2017**



# Spirit Play Training Registration Form

## Saturday, April 29<sup>th</sup>, 2017

at the  
**First Unitarian Fellowship of Nanaimo**  
595 Townsite Road, Suite 1, Nanaimo BC V9S 1K9

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City/Town: \_\_\_\_\_

State/Prov: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code/Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of congregation: \_\_\_\_\_

RE or Montessori experience:

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What is your familiarity with Montessori, Godly Play, or Spirit Play philosophy and/or practice?

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We will be providing lunch and snacks. Do you have special dietary needs?

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Do you need home hospitality? (Please check days that apply)      Friday       Saturday:

Do you require child care?

Please list name(s) and age(s) of child/children: \_\_\_\_\_

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There will be a \$10 cost per child to cover expenses payable on day of training

Non-refundable Registration Fee enclosed \$ \_\_\_\_\_ per person

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***(If the training becomes full, you will be informed and placed on a waiting list, with your full fee being refunded if no place opens for you.)***

Make cheque payable to the **First Unitarian Fellowship of Nanaimo** with **"Spirit Play"** in the memo line and post with completed registration to: Sharon Fulton **at church address above.**