

UUCG 2019 WELCOMING RENEWAL: MONTHLY OBSERVANCES

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In Welcoming Renewal, the Unitarian Universalist Association encourages Welcoming Congregations to acknowledge seasons and days important to LGBTQ+ communities because such recognition brings visibility and affirmation after generations of invisibility and erasure.

In 2010, President Barack Obama designated January as National Slavery and Human Trafficking Prevention and January 11th as National Human Trafficking Awareness Day. In so doing, he recognized the problems named as deserving national attention for solution.

According to the U. S. Center for Disease Control and Prevention, human trafficking “is a modern form of slavery that affects every community in the nation.”

For more information, check the national sex-trafficking website at www.rescuinghope.com.