The Blue Sheet

Unitarian Universalist Society of Sacramento Upcoming Activities & Announcements

Sunday March 8- Spring Forward!

10:15am-Sunday Service-SAUCC- Sanctuary 890 Morse Ave 10:15am- RE Classes-SAUCC-Room A, Room B and Room C 10:15am- Stewardship Generosity Table-SAUCC-Sanctuary 11:30am- Membership Committee Recruitment- Pilgrim Hall 11:30am-Soup Sunday-SAUCC-Pilgrim Hall

4:00pm- Senior Minister's Installation-SAUCC-Sanctuary

Monday March 9

10:00am-Adult Enrichment: Chair Yoga-UUSS- Fahs Room 3:00pm-Auction Planning Committee-UUSS-Room 12 6:45pm-New Testament with Rev. Roger-UUSS-<u>Postponed</u> 6:30pm-Gen X/ Boomers-UUSS-Room 9 7:00pm-Adult Enrichment: Mat Yoga- UUSS- Room 7/8 7:00pm-Theater One rehearsal-UUSS- Fahs Room

Tuesday March 10

10:00am-Ted's Web (open discussion group) UUSS- Fahs Room 7:00pm-Theater One rehearsal- Fahs Room

Wednesday March 11

1:30pm-Women's Support Group-UUSS-Room 11 6:00pm-Finance Committee Meeting-UUSS-Room 12 6:00pm-Silent Meditation-UUSS-Room 6-All Welcome 7:00pm-Choir Rehearsal-UUSS- Fahs Room-All Welcome 7:00pm-Threshold Choir rehearsal-UUSS-Room 7/8 7:00pm-Theater One rehearsal-UUSS-Room 11

Thursday March 12

10:45am-Alliance Program-UUSS-Fahs Room All Welcome!
12:00pm-Executive Committee Meeting-UUSS-Room12 (Closed)
4:00pm-Herb Gardening-UUSS- Room 12
6:00pm- Committee on Ministry Meeting-UUSS-Room 12 (Closed)
7:00pm-Theater One rehearsal-UUSS-Fahs Room

Friday March 13

5:30pm-Games Night/ Potluck-UUSS-Fahs Room- All Welcome

Saturday March 14

9:30am-Religious Service Writing Workshop-UUSS-Room 12

Sunday March 15

10:15am-Sunday Service-SAUCC- Sanctuary 890 Morse Ave 10:15am- RE Classes-SAUCC-Room A, Room B and Room C 10:15am- Stewardship Generosity Table-SAUCC-Sanctuary 10:15am-Conclude Budget Pledge Drive-SAUCC-Sanctuary 11:20am-Kids Freedom Club Pancake Breakfast-Pilgrim Hall 11:30am- Membership Committee Recruitment- Pilgrim Hall 12:00pm-EJM Buddhism & Climate Change-SAUCC-Pilgrim Hall 2:00pm-Spiritual Activist Leadership Training-UUSS-Fahs Room

Check the white board at UUSS for Daily Lists of Meeting and Event Locations at our home base.

Visit our online calendar to view these and other scheduled activities. http://uuss.org

Learn details about all activities in the <u>Pathways</u> brochure and the monthly Unigram newsletter.

-THIS WEEK-

Rev. Roger's Ceremony of Installation as our senior minister, 4:00pm, today, 890 Morse Ave. We seek help in setting up for the event, tearing down or cleaning up afterwards, donations of food and/ or money, or just come.

-Ministerial Volunteer Team

Good morning UUSS Families and Volunteers at SAUCC!

Religious Education for Spirit Play, JHYG & SHYG with their volunteer teachers and friends. Childcare is available in the **Nursery**, from 10am to 11:30am for Kindergarten and younger.

Can you do a reading or two about Unitarian Universalism, play an instrument, sing, perform slam poetry, lead a meditation, lead other spiritual activities, guide children through fun interactive activities, or lead a yoga session? Can you make dream catchers, or gods eyes or art with natural items from our earth? As we prepare to spend the summer months in our rented space at SAUCC, RE is looking for artistic adult volunteers to share their time in Religious Education. We need a program for children in 1st-5th grades and a program arranged for our Jr. & Sr. High youth. Contact Miranda for more info.

Next Sunday: Religious Education Programs

Happy Sunday!

-Miranda Massa, Religious Education Coordinator

Soup Sunday- Join us for soup *today* in Pilgrim Hall, courtesy of Family Promise. Come after the service for soup and great company. Suggested donation is \$5. Coordinators are Peggy Makie and Cassandra Sove.

Games Night!! Friday in the Fahs Room at UUSS. Join this fun, *all ages event.* Doors open at 5:30pm, potluck dinner at 6pm and games at 6:30pm. Hosts provide games or you may bring a game you like to play and we will play it with you. All welcome! For info., contact Megan Snyder- snydermegan76@gmail.com, Carrie Cornwell- ccornwell@surewest.net, or Ginny Johnson-ginnyjuu@att.net.

20s & 30s Group- Our next group lunch is after the service on March 22. We will meet at coffee hour, which will be in the SAUCC courtyard. You will also find some of our group at this month's all ages *Games Night* on Friday. For more 20s & 30s news and information, contact us at 20s30s@uuss.org, or visit our group website at uuss.org/20s30s.

Gen-X Boomers – Planning meetings are 6:30pm the 2nd Monday each month. We meet tomorrow in UUSS Room 9. On March 28, we're planning a dinner to assemble care packages for Wind Youth Services. On April 25 there's a Paint Nite event. Check your email or Facebook for details. To be added to our email list, email gxboom@gmail.com. Friend us at www.facebook.com/gxb.boomers.

Alliance Group- Thursday at 10:45am in the Fahs Room. Tiffany Urness will give us a fascinating talk about interpreting dreams Refreshments will be served, bring your lunch for the social hour after the program. All are welcome. Bring a friend.

- CURRENT & UPCOMING ACTIVITIES -

UUSS 2015 Auction, "Winds of Change", Saturday, April 18 at Sierra Arden UCC in Pilgrim Hall, 5:00 to 7:30pm. Donations for the silent auction, raffle and cakewalk accepted through March 29. Our silent auction items will be limited to service items, such as dinner parties, outdoor activities, and professional services. Donation forms available at the Donations Booth in Pilgrim Hall. Please fill out a form for <u>each item</u> you are offering whether it is a silent auction item, a raffle basket, a cake, or even a gift card. You can donate online or get more info about the auction, at http://www.uuss2.org/auction. Save the date and donate now!

Theater One is holding auditions for Circle *Mirror Transformation*, directed by Mike Erwin, March 18 at UUSS 7:00pm to 9:00pm. The production runs May 8 - May 30, Fridays & Saturdays at 8:00pm & Sundays at 2:00pm. The role of Marty has been precast. Available roles: James, Theresa, Schultz and Lauren. For information, call Theater One at 916-524-1032.

Theater One presents "Getaway Service Guaranteed"- an original work by Lonon Smith. Five characters collide, fight, and shift alliances while waiting for the bus to come. Directed by Kent Gray, the cast includes Lisa Derthick, Lonon Smith, Jamie Hughes, Taylor Lewis, Bill Wilkins, Jason Vitaich, BJ Nash, and Deborah Shaloub. Runs March 27 through April 18 at the Ooley Theater (288h Street near T in midtown), Fridays and Saturdays at 8:00 p.m. and Sunday matinees March 29 and April 12 at 2:00 p.m. Tickets \$10. For more information, call Theater One at 916-524-1032.

UUrth Song ComUUnity Garden at our Sierra Blvd. home will open in April. \$20 for a plot. Garden for your family or with a friend. See Pat Skeels or Glory Wicklund at the Adult Enrichment table or email glorywicklund@comcast.net or patskeels11@gmail.com to reserve your spot.

Earth Justice Ministry- March 15, 12:00pm to 1:30pm Seeking Justice With Joy. Rich Howard, UUSS member, will lead this interactive session on some of today's current challenges, such as climate change, economic inequality and racism. In Pilgrim Hall after the coffee service and pancake breakfast hosted by the Kids' Freedom Club. All are welcome for the breakfast and presentation. Contact earthjusticeministry@uuss.org.

Attention all Newcomers and Visitors- Welcome! Please complete a newcomer card so we can be in touch with you. We will send you the Unigram Newsletter and an activities interest form. If you would like a permanent printed nametag, please fill out a name tag request form and we'll make one. We look forward to getting to know you.

UUSS all Ages Camp- Hold these dates! June 12 to 14 for our annual outing to *Camp Norge* in the beautiful Sierra Foothills. Accommodations include dormitory rooms, RV sites, and tent camping. More details to follow. To volunteer to help out or for information, call Christopher Jensen at 916-541-5750.

- OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE -

Friends in Deed- Our UUSS volunteers are able to help congregants with rides, visits, emails or phone calls. For assistance please fill out a request form at the Connections Central table on Sundays or email <u>uumakie2@gmail.com</u> or call (916) 844-7541. -Peggy Makie

American River cleanup—a mile-long stretch, 2nd Saturday morning of each month. Contact Chris Lord or the UUSS Office!

- ADULT ENRICHMENT-

If you need a ride or wish to offer a ride to any event, there is a sign-up sheet at the Adult Enrichment table in Pilgrim Hall.

Yoga Classes by Paige Labrie. Try a first class for free. Monday Classes are \$8 each if you sign up for a two-month series or \$10 on a drop-in basis. All Welcome!

Chair Yoga – Mondays, 10-11am-Fahs Room Mat Yoga – Mondays, 7-8pm- Room 7/8

Women's Support Group meets Wednesdays, 1:30-3:30pm. Please contact Lynn Carlson at apriliade@comcast.net or (916) 719-2304 to get a weekly reminder of the meeting.

USSS Senior Singles Group- Looking for new members. If you are a single senior, looking to meet other single seniors, come to our meeting Sunday after church coffee hour. Contact Peter Foss at (916)534-7767 for more information.

Presidential Reenactments developed by a Virginia couple, who made the costumes and wrote the dialogue, these DVDs are about 90 minutes long. I have seen 7 of the performances in Virginia and purchased 24. I would like to show them to a big group. If you are interested, sign up at the Adult Enrichment Table or call Peter Foss at (916)534-7767.

Check at the Sunday Connection Central table for activities and workshops offered for next few months.

UUSS Office Hours-Room 9 at 2425 Sierra Blvd.

Monday thru Friday 8:30am to 5:00pm

- CHURCH STAFF UPDATES -

Staff Office Hours at 2425 Sierra Blvd.

Rev. Roger Jones: Here Monday, but out of town Tuesday through Thursday this week for a clergy study group.

Rev. Lucy Bunch: Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday afternoons by appointment.

Miranda Massa: (RE Coordinator): Monday, Friday and Sunday mornings and by email.

Michele Ebler (Bookkeeper): Available Monday, Wednesday in the morning and Tuesday, Thursday in the afternoon.

Stanton Vedell: (Communications and Facilities Coordinator): Monday-Friday, this week, 9:30-6:00pm.

Elaine Cooper: (Receptionist): Monday-Friday, 8:30-5:00pm.

Meg Burnett: (Interim Choir Conductor): Choir Rehearsals Wednesdays- 7:00-8:30pm in the Fahs Room at UUSS.

Ina Jun: (Accompanist): Choir Rehearsals Wednesdays-7:00-8:30pm in the Fahs Room at UUSS.

Childcare Providers: Annie Green and Krystal Gollaher

Custodians: Aaron Molina and Miguel Neri

Contact the office for more information: Phone Number (916)483-9283 Email Address- office@uuss.org