The Blue Sheet

Unitarian Universalist Society of Sacramento Upcoming Activities & Announcements

Sunday July 19

9:45am-Nursery Care-SAUCC-Nursery 10:15am-Sunday Service-SAUCC- Sanctuary 890 Morse Ave 10:15am-Summer RE ArtWorks-SAUCC-Room A 10:15- RE: Summer SHYG- SAUCC-Room C 11:45am-Membership & Greeters Meeting-UUSS-Fahs Room 11:45am- Building Project Delivery Team-UUSS- Room 7/8

Monday July 20

10:00am-Adult Enrichment: Chair Yoga-UUSS- Fahs Room 7:00pm-Adult Enrichment: Mat Yoga- UUSS- Room 7/8

Tuesday July 21

10:00am- Ted's Web (open discussion group)-UUSS- Fahs Room

Wednesday July 22

1:30pm-Women's Support Group-UUSS-Room 11 5:30pm-Silent Meditation-UUSS-Room 6-All Welcome! 7:00pm-Threshold Choir-UUSS-Room 12

Thursday July 23

12:00pm- APM Team Meeting-UUSS-Room 12 7:00pm-Board of Trustees Meeting-UUSS-Room 12

Friday July 24

No Schedule Events, UUSS Office is Open

Saturday July 25

No Schedule Events, UUSS Office is Closed

Sunday July 26

9:45am-Nursery Care-SAUCC-Nursery 10:15am-Sunday Service-SAUCC- Sanctuary 890 Morse Ave

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 <u>Unigram</u> newsletter.

- RELIGIOUS EDUCATION -

Good morning UUSS Families at SAUCC!

Summer ArtWorks today with Jessica Katz! **Summer SHYG** meets in Room C. Next Sunday is our service for all ages. There is no RE scheduled. We invite you and your family to please bring fruit, flowers, vegetables or herbs from your garden to share at the July 26 service.

Happy day!

-Miranda Massa, Religious Education Coordinator

- <u>CURRENT & UPCOMING ACTIVITIES</u> -

Membership-Greeters- note change of meeting place: we meet **today** at 11:45 in the **Fahs Room** at UUSS. Important topic is the move back home: who, what, when!

UUrth Song Garden- Fresh organic garden produce from U.U. Garden available after service! Tomatoes, zucchini, basil, flowers. Drop by our stand in Pilgrim Hall **today** on your way home!

Celebrate the Harvest July 26. We will be celebrating the bounty of the summer harvest at our service next Sunday. Please bring fruits or vegetables from your garden to share.

Gen-X Boomers- Monthly planning meetings are the second Monday of the month. The next is August 10 at 6:30 in UUSS Room 6. This Sunday, July 19, after service is the annual potluck BBQ and pool party at Arden Park, 1000 La Sierra Blvd, Sacramento (about 10 minutes from Sierra Arden UCC). To be added to our email list, email gxboom@gmail.com. Friend us at www.facebook.com/gxb.boomers.

Earth Justice Ministry (EJM) "Confessions of an Eco-Sinner: Tracking Down the Sources of My Stuff", by Fred Pearce, is our book for our first discussion group meeting. We will meet for a potluck and discussion on July 30, 2015 6:00 – 8:30 pm in the Fahs Room. NOTE: this is a change in the date from what was posted in the Unigram. Open to all, invite a friend. Contact us at earthjustice@uuss.org for more information.

-BUILDING PROJECT UPDATE-

Building re-dedication ceremony will take place at 3:00 pm September 13 with a reception following. We need volunteers to help address and stamp invitations in early August. We also need people to provide snacks and volunteers to help at the reception. Go to Pilgrim Hall after the services the last three Sundays in Augusts to sign up. Contact Linda Roth at 916-921-2269 or nrheidi@comcast.net for more info.

Fill the Building- Every week we are bowled over by the generosity of UUSS members and friends as we work to "Fill the Building" before we move back to Sierra Blvd. in September. Check out how you can contribute. There is a table in Pilgrim hall every Sunday, or go to www.uuss.org/fill to access the wish lists as we update them. Thanks again for all your support. We can't wait to go home! –Mary Howard

Audio Visual Needs - It would be wonderful to have updated audio/visual equipment to enhance our new building. We have raised about half the funding we need. Come see how you can contribute to purchase speakers, microphones, consoles and controllers!

Sanctuary Chair Update- We have sold 296 as of this week. Have you bought yours yet? You can still purchase a chair, either by sending in a check to the office or going to the Fill the Building table on Sundays.

The Audio-Visual System is being installed by UUSS. Tim Anderson would appreciate weekend help and will provide training. To volunteer, send Tim an email to toanderson96@gmail.com.

The rolling welcome table counters and podium chairs for the UUSS entry hall, need to be refinished. To volunteer send John McMillan an email to mcmillanjohn@att.net to volunteer a few hours on a Sunday after services.

- <u>UUSS NEWS</u> -

Interfaith Council of Greater Sacramento Day of Dialogue, July 23. Greater Sacramento area faith and community leaders - and all who want to attend - to listen, learn and to discuss with others the topics pertinent to our days, times, congregations and homes. Theme: "When our friends/family/associates share points-of-view different than ours". We will have snacks and conversation at 6 p.m. with Q&A from 6:30-7:30pm. Location: Arden Christian Church, 4300 Las Cruces Way

20s & 30s Group- All aged 18-39 are welcome to join the 20s & 30s Group. Visit our website or on Facebook. Find these at uuss.org/20s30s.-Derek Czajka

Name Tags- If you ordered a permanent name tag, it is at the Greeters' Welcome Table at 10:00am.

- 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 susanlange.uu@gmail.com or call Home (916) 686-1206 Cell (650) 291-4603.

—Susan Lange

- THEATER ONE -

AUDITIONS- We will hold auditions for our Fall production, *The Last Days of Judas Iscariot* by Stephen Adly Guirgis on August 5 from 6 to 9:30. Ten men and five women with room for cross-gender casting. Described by Variety as having "expressionistic fantasy ... raw language and flamboyantly street savvy characters," this play is not for children. Performances from October 9th to 25th, with rehearsals through August and September. Directed by Lonon Smith.

- 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.

"Faith"- with Rev. Roger coming in August.

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

Members and Friends-We hope that you are getting the weekly email messages from UUSS and the Unigram. If not, you can always subscribe through Constant Contact by e-mail or contact a UUSS office staff member for help at office@uuus.org.

UUSS Office Hours—Room 9 at 2425 Sierra Blvd.

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

- CHURCH STAFF -

Staff Office Hours at 2425 Sierra Blvd.

Rev. Roger Jones: On vacation and study leave July 9-31. Staff can reach him in an emergency.

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

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

Michele Ebler: (Bookkeeper): On Vacation from July 20 to July 30, returning to the office on August 3.

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

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

Keith Atwater (Music Director): Starts Aug. 1. First choir rehearsal Wednesday, Aug. 12.

Barbara Lazar: (Accompanist): Sundays in July

Ina Jun (Accompanist): Resumes Sunday, Aug. 2.

Childcare Providers: Annie Green and Krystal Gollaher.

Custodians: Aaron Molina Sunday thru Thursday and Miguel Neri Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

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

Submit articles to <u>bluesheet@uuss.org</u> before 1:00pm on Wednesday.