

# The Blue Sheet

## Unitarian Universalist Society of Sacramento Upcoming Activities & Announcements

### Sunday July 26 All Ages Service

9:45am- Nursery Care - SAUCC - Nursery  
10:00am- Recycle Sunday - SAUCC - Courtyard  
10:15am- Sunday Service - SAUCC - Sanctuary 890 Morse Ave

### Monday July 27

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

### Tuesday July 28

10:00am- Ted's Web Discussion Group - UUSS - Fahs Room  
7:00pm- UU Readers Book Discussion - UUSS-Room 6

### Wednesday July 29

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

### Thursday July 30

6:00pm- Earth Justice Ministry Discussion Group-UUSS-Fahs Room

### Friday July 31

\*\*\*No Schedule Events, UUSS Office is Open\*\*\*

### Saturday August 1

\*\*\*No Schedule Events, UUSS Office is Closed\*\*\*

### Sunday August 2

9:45am- Nursery Care-SAUCC-Nursery  
10:15am- Sunday Service-SAUCC- Sanctuary 890 Morse Ave  
10:15am- Summer RE ArtWorks-SAUCC- Room A  
11:45am- Building Project Steering Committee- UUSS-Room 12

**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 Pathways brochure and the monthly Unigram newsletter.**

## - RELIGIOUS EDUCATION -

Good morning UUSS Families and volunteers at SAUCC!

Today we celebrate the bounty of the summer harvest at our service for all ages. There is no Summer RE or ArtWorks scheduled. For more information about Summer RE and ArtWorks in August please visit the RE Welcome Table.

**Spider webs, brown leaves, and dirt oh my!** The outside play yard used by the Nursery on Sierra Blvd has been lonely while we have been away. The yard is begging for a group of hardworking, not afraid to get dirty folks to tidy the space up before we return home. Clean spider webs & probably a few spiders, remove brown dried leaves, sweep, clean out bark, etc. Please contact Miranda at [miranda@uuss.org](mailto:miranda@uuss.org) real soon! Happy day!

-Miranda Massa, Religious Education Coordinator

**Spirit Play Volunteers!** Join us after service on Aug 16 for a meeting about the 2015-2016 Spirit Play. We encourage anyone who is interest in becoming a SP volunteer to attend this meeting. It will be held in Pilgrim Hall. If you can't make the meeting, but are interested in volunteering, contact a Spirit Play champion - Meghan Snyder, Alecia Sanchez, Carrie Cornwall, or Shannon Williams or our RE Coordinator Miranda Massa.

## - CURRENT & UPCOMING ACTIVITIES -

**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](mailto:earthjustice@uuss.org) for more info.

**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. To be added to our email list, email [gxboom@gmail.com](mailto:gxboom@gmail.com). Friend us at [www.facebook.com/gxb.boomers](http://www.facebook.com/gxb.boomers).

## -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](tel:916-921-2269) or [nrheidi@comcast.net](mailto: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](http://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 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 305 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](mailto: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](mailto:mcmillanjohn@att.net) to volunteer a few hours on a Sunday after services.

– **UUSS NEWS** –

**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](http://uuss.org/20s30s).-Derek Czajka

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

**“Walking the Walk” Justice Summit and Camp,** August 8-12 at Camp de Benneville Pines in the San Bernardino Mountains. This event brings together justice seeking UU's for rejuvenating worship, practical skill development, networking and community building. Workshops will help develop strategies to address climate change; work on housing insecurity; advance immigrant justice; tackle race, class and cultural divides, address wage inequalities and more. The four-day format allows time for recreation and reflection. Children, Youth and Adults- special rate for children and youth. To register: visit [www.uujmca.org/walkingthewalk](http://www.uujmca.org/walkingthewalk)

– **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.

– **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](mailto:susanlange.uu@gmail.com) or cal at home- (916) 686-1206 or on her cell- (650) 291-4603.  
–Susan Lange

– **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 [apriljade@comcast.net](mailto:apriljade@comcast.net) or (916) 719-2304 to get a weekly reminder of the meeting.

**Ideas and Experiences of "Faith"**- Monday nights with Rev. Roger Jones, Aug. 10 - 31, 6:30 to 8:00 pm. We will be in a classroom, yet to be decided at UUSS, 2425 Sierra Blvd. We'll consider various perspectives on faith: Buddhist, Liberal Christian, Unitarian Universalist, among others. Sign up by Aug. 9 in Pilgrim Hall at the Adult Enrichment Table, or call the UUSS Office. Sliding-scale donation of \$20 to \$50. Min. 8 people; max. 22. Please be here by 6:15 pm the first night.

**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@uuss.org](mailto:office@uuss.org).

<p><b>UUSS Office Hours—Room 9 at 2425 Sierra Blvd.</b> Monday thru Friday 8:30am to 5:00pm</p>
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– **CHURCH STAFF** –

**Staff Office Hours at 2425 Sierra Blvd.**

**Rev. Roger Jones:** On vacation and study leave, until July 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 until 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:  
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Submit articles to [bluesheet@uuss.org](mailto:bluesheet@uuss.org)  
before 1:00pm on Wednesday.