The Blue Sheet

Unitarian Universalist Society of Sacramento Upcoming Activities & Announcements

Sunday August 30

9:45am - Nursery Care - Nursery

10:15am - Sunday Service - SAUCC - Sanctuary 890 Morse Ave

10:15am - Summer RE ArtWorks-SAUCC - Room A

11:45am - Building Project Delivery Team- UUSS - Room 7/8

12:00pm - RE: Coming of Age Orientation- UUSS - Fahs Room

2:00pm - Celebration of Life for Marie Flanagan - UUSS -

Memorial Garden
2:30pm - Building Dedication Prep Meeting- UUSS- Room 7/8

Monday August 31

10:00am- Adult Enrichment: Chair Yoga - UUSS-Fahs Room

6:30pm- Ideas and Experiences of "Faith"- UUSS-Fahs Room

7:00pm- Adult Enrichment: Mat Yoga - UUSS - Room 7/8

7:00pm- Theater One: The Last Days of Judas Iscariot-Rehearsal-

UUSS - Room 6

Tuesday September 1

10:00am- Ted's Web Discussion Group - UUSS - Fahs Room

7:00pm- Theater One: The Last Days of Judas Iscariot-

Rehearsal - UUSS - Fahs Room

7:00pm- Theater One Monthly Meeting - UUSS - Room 12

Wednesday September 2

1:30pm- Women's Support Group - UUSS - Room 12

5:30pm- Silent Meditation-UUSS - Room 7/8 - All Welcome!

6:00pm - Religious Services Comm. Meeting - UUSS - Room 6

7:00pm- UUSS Choir Rehearsal - UUSS - Fahs Room

7:00pm- Threshold Choir Rehearsal - UUSS - Room 12

7:00pm- Theater One: *The Last Days of Judas Iscariot* - Rehearsal

UUSS - Room 7/8

Thursday September 3

2:00pm-A.P.M. Team Meeting- UUSS - Room 6

7:00pm- Theater One: The Last Days of Judas Iscariot-Rehearsal-

UUSS - Fahs Room

Friday September 4

No UUSS Events Scheduled, UUSS Office is Open

Saturday September 5

No UUSS Events Scheduled, UUSS Office is Closed

Sunday September 6 Welcome Back to UUSS!!!

10:15 am- Nursery Care - Room 11

10:15am- Sunday Service – UUSS - Sanctuary

10:15am- Religious Educaion – Rooms 6, 7/8 and 12

9:30am- Earth Justice Ministry- UUSS - Room 9

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 and Volunteers at SAUCC!

Today is the last day of Summer ArtWorks. The group will explore the art of Origami this morning.

Our first day back at UUSS on Sierra Blvd. is next weekend, Sept. 6! I am still looking for a few parents or other members of our congregation to help RE out by bring fruit, muffins, juice, and/or cookies to the Fahs Room by 10:00am on Sept. 6.

New Religious Education forms will be available at the RE Welcome Table beginning next weekend. A new form is required each RE year to help support our program, staff, and your family. Please let RE Coordinator Miranda know if you have any questions.

The Kennedy-Auriemma family invites UU RE families to a potluck dinner Saturday Sept. 19 at 412 T street 4-8pm. Dinner: 5pm and games 6-8pm. Please bring a dish to share. Kids are welcome to bring a game to play inside or outside. Potluck dishes: A-J-salads or veg side dish, K-P main dish, Q-Z dessert. BYOB. Please RSVP to Ann Marie Kennedy at amkennedy100@hotmail.com.

Happy last day at SAUCC!

-Miranda Massa, Religious Education Coordinator

- CURRENT & UPCOMING ACTIVITIES -

Alliance Group- Thursday Sept. 10 at 10:45am in the Fahs Room. The first meeting of the new season is a luncheon. Our speaker, Rev. Roger Jones, will speak on the history of our Alliance Group. Call Vivian Counts at 483-8827 or e-mail her at viviancounts@yahoo.com to make a reservation before September 8th. We will have quiche, green salad and dessert for a \$3 donation.

- BUILDING UPDATE -

Fill the Building- Hooray!!! We have purchased all 350 of the chairs we ordered for our new building. What an accomplishment! There will now be enough chairs for everyone on Sunday morning-at least for a while. The new chairs with arms will not be arriving until later due to a problem with the manufacturer of those particular chairs. Donations continue to come in for audio visual equipment, office furniture, window coverings and many other items needed to fill our new home. Our team will continue to be present after church the next two weeks to answer any questions you have and accept your financial donations with much gratitude. We have raised over \$60,000 this past year thanks to your open hearts!

-Mary Howard, Chair, Fill the Building Team

- <u>USEFUL INFORMATION</u> -

Members and Friends-We hope that you are getting the weekly email messages from UUSS and 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.

- <u>IN LOVING MEMORY</u> -

In March we lost our long-time member **Marie Flanagan**, who died at age 93. Her family and friends will gather for a brief service in her memory at the memorial garden on Sunday, Aug. 30. We will gather at 2:00pm near the UUSS sign that fronts Sierra Blvd. Gifts in her memory may be made to the UUSS Endowment Trust.

- 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 at home- (916) 686-1206 or on her cell- (650) 291-4603.
-Susan Lange

Cleanup of UUSS's Mile of the Parkway - Saturday, Sept. 12, Jeff Voeller will lead the activity this time. You may sign in from 8:45- 9:00am in the parking lot at the end of Northrop Ave., next to the levee, near Panera off Howe Ave. If this is your first time, Jeff will brief you. We're done at 10:30am; coffee and conversation may follow at Panera.

- THEATER ONE -

Theater One is proud to announce its upcoming season. You won't want to miss out on these terrific shows, so mark your calendars now:

"The Last Days of Judas Iscariot", Oct. 9 - 25, 2015 (Note: Strong language. Not for children or the faint of heart.)

"Alice in Wonderland", Nov. 13 - Dec. 5, 2015
"Steel Magnolias", Feb. 12 - March 6, 2016
"The Odd Couple", May 6 - 22, 2016

<u>– ADULT ENRICHMENT</u>–

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.

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 Are 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 or (916) 719-2304 to get a weekly reminder of the meeting.

How She Moves Me: Reclaiming the Values of the Sacred Feminine: Sept. 22, 7:00 to 9:00 pm. Rebecca Pottenger, a UUSS Member and licensed therapist in Sacramento, explores how ancient goddess mythology provides a template for the integration of spirit and nature, masculine and feminine. Suggested donation is \$5 to \$20. Sign up by Sept. 20 at the Adult Enrichment Table in or email Rebecca Pottenger at rebecca@soulandearth.

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

- <u>CHURCH STAFF</u> -

Staff Office Hours at 2425 Sierra Blvd.

Rev. Roger Jones: Monday, Wednesday and Thursday afternoons and by appointment.

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

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

Michele Ebler: (Bookkeeper): Monday thru Thursday by appointment.

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

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

Keith Atwater (Music Director): choir rehearsal Wednesdays, 7:00-8:30 pm and by appointment.

Childcare Providers: Annie Green and Krystal Gollaher.

Custodians: Aaron Molina Sunday thru Thursday and David Molina Friday and Saturday.

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

Submit articles to bluesheet@uuss.org
before 1:00pm on Wednesday, 65 word limit.