

The Blue Sheet

Unitarian Universalist Society of Sacramento Upcoming Activities & Announcements

Sunday October 18 Congregational Meeting

9:30 am - Nursery Care - Room 11
9:45 am - Silent Meditation - Third Sunday- Room 6
10:15am - Religious Education- Rooms 6, 7/8 and 12
10:30am - Sunday Service - UUSS - Sanctuary
11:45am - Kids Freedom Club Autumn Bake Sale - Welcome Hall
11:45am - Congregational Meeting - Sanctuary
12:15 pm - Membership/ Greeters Meeting - Room 7/8
1:30pm - FRST Meeting - Library
2:00pm - Theater One Performs: *The Last Days of Judas Iscariot*
Sanctuary

Monday October 19

10:00am - Adult Enrichment: Chair Yoga - UUSS-Fahs Room
7:00pm - Theater One: *Alice in Wonderland* Rehearsal - Fahs Room
7:00pm - Adult Enrichment: Mat Yoga - UUSS - Room 7/8

Tuesday October 20

10:00am - Ted's Web Discussion Group - UUSS - Library
6:30pm - A Liberal's Investigation of EVIL - Fahs Room
7:00pm - Theater One: *Alice in Wonderland* Rehearsal - Sanctuary

Wednesday October 21

1:30pm - Women's Support Group - Room 12
5:30pm - Silent Meditation - Room 6- All Welcome!
7:00pm - UUSS Choir Rehearsal - Sanctuary
7:00pm - Threshold Choir Rehearsal - Room 7/8
7:00pm - Theater One: *Alice in Wonderland* Rehearsal - Fahs Room

Thursday October 22

7:00pm - Board of Trustees Meeting - Library
7:00pm - Theater One: *Alice in Wonderland* Rehearsal - Sanctuary

Friday October 23

8:00pm - Theater One Performs: *The Last Days of Judas Iscariot*
Sanctuary

Saturday October 24

8:00pm - Theater One Performs: *The Last Days of Judas Iscariot*
Sanctuary

Sunday October 25

9:00am - Recycle Sunday Boxes - Welcome Hall
9:30 am - Nursery Care - Room 11
9:45 am - Reading Reflection - Forth Sunday- Room 6
10:15am - Religious Education- Rooms 6, 7/8 and 12
10:30am - Sunday Service - UUSS - Sanctuary
12:15 pm - Coming of Age Monthly Meeting - Fahs Room
2:00pm - Theater One Performs: *The Last Days of Judas Iscariot*
Sanctuary

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.

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

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

- RELIGIOUS EDUCATION -

Good morning UUSS Families,

Our Room 11 Nursery is a fun place for our youngest to play. Krystal and Annie are there to take care of children ages zero through preschool.

Kinder – 2nd grade Spirit Play meets in Room 10. Room 10 families; please pick up your children on the parking lot side in order to bypass the Nursery Room traffic. Thank you!

Our 3rd – 5th graders have a new group name – True Reflections and they meet in Room 7/8.

Senior High Youth Group (SHYG) meets in Room 12. **JHYG** does not meet again until October 25.

Child care is extended today for young children so adults can attend the Congregational Meeting

Freedom Club members are holding a fund-raising bake sale after service! Your donations for these handmade seasonal goodies will go directly to freeing slaves.

This weekend our **Coming of Age** youth are in Santa Rosa participating in their first retreat of three during this program. Send them good wishes!

Happy Sunday,

-Miranda Massa, Religious Education Coordinator

- CURRENT & UPCOMING ACTIVITIES -

Congregational Meeting- Today at 11:45am. We will vote and choose 12 Community Partner organizations to receive half of every Sunday offering in calendar year 2016. Current recipients are automatically listed on the ballot. Sign in and receive your agenda and ballot right after the service.

Save the Date - annual UUSS seeded pot luck Thanksgiving Day Dinner, 11/26, 2pm. Potluck dish & \$5/person. Sunday Signups start 10/11/15 11:30-12. Organizer: Laurie Jones laurievaljo@gmail.com.

Vivaldi "Gloria" - UUSS Nov 1, starts at 3:00 pm. Come to listen or sing along. See music committee members in Welcome Hall for more info or just come. Admission is \$12.00

Everyone welcome to a meeting in the Fahs room, Sunday, Nov. 1 at 12 noon. Your Communications Chair invites you to come with your thoughts and curiosities. This is a place to share and discuss.

- EARTH JUSTICE MINISTRY -

Interfaith Climate March, Sunday, November 1. Join UUSS Earth Justice Ministry at this march and rally where we will join other faith communities to support the U.N. Climate Change Conference in Paris and California's efforts to reduce greenhouse gas emissions. Get a flyer at the Connections Table, contact earthjustice@uuss.org or go to www.sacsfbcn.globalbcan.org/actions

- USEFUL INFORMATION -

Excused Absences-- Music Director Keith Atwater serves UUSS ¼ time and is off today. He invites you to choir practice in this room on Wednesdays, 7:00-8:30 p.m. Rev. Lucy Bunch is out of state until October 25.

Lost and Found at UUSS- If you have misplaced an item, and you think it was left at the church, contact the office at 916-483-9283. The Lost and Found tub can be found in the hallway by the office.

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.

UUrth Song Garden - If kale, lettuce, chard, root vegetables and bok choy are your favorites to grow, stop by our table **today** to ask about a winter plot in the Garden (\$20), or contact Pat Skeels at patskeels11@gmail.com.

This is the last week for the current art show. The art committee was pleased to show art by Anna Andrews, Carol Baxter, Dave Dawson, Barbara Hugo, Dixie Laws, Patricia Pratt, Patty Taylor and Chuck Todd. Info. regarding the next art show will be in the Nov. Unigram. Contact Patricia Pratt at quiltspat@aol.com for sales or information.

Landscape \$\$\$ News--Our drive to raise \$4,000 for County landscaping requirements has raised \$2,375!

Drought-tolerant, insect-friendly plants will fill in the empty spaces around our building and the garden near the street. Get a cute sticker for your name for a donation of \$5 or more. From now to Nov. 1, every *new* gift of at least \$10 for new plants will be matched--up to \$500! We can raise \$1,000 in 2 weeks! (Thanks to donors for the matching offer.) Help end this drive with a bang! Thanks for your generosity.

– **THEATER ONE** –



Theater One's presentation of "The Last Days of Judas Iscariot". Showing now through Oct. 25, Fridays and Saturdays at 8pm, Sundays at 2pm in the UUSS Sanctuary. More information at (916) 923-2889 or at actorsue@aol.com. Strong language, not recommended for children.

– **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

– **SUNDAY MORNING SPIRITUAL PRACTICES** –

Join Us Before the Service

9:45- 10:15 every Sunday (except 5th Sundays)
1st Sunday - Labyrinth walk- meet at Labyrinth
2nd Sunday - QiGong & Tai Chi Chuan, meet at Labyrinth
3rd Sunday - Silent Meditation Classroom 6
4th Sunday - Reading a reflection on poetry and prose
Room 6

**Member Friends Newcomers Join in for -
Exploring Unitarian Universalism**

Third Sunday of the Month 9:30 – 10:15 before service in the Fahs Room

November 15 – Principles and Sources of our Tradition

December 20th – Faith – what does it mean to a UU?

January 17th – Social Justice – How do we live our values?

– **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.

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.

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

Office Hours

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

– **CHURCH STAFF** –

Staff Office Hours

Rev. Roger Jones: Off on Monday. Office Hours: Tuesday 4:30 to 6:30pm, Wednesday & Thursday 1:30 to 6:30pm and by appointment.

Rev. Lucy Bunch: Out of state until October 25.

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

Michele Ebler: (Bookkeeper): Monday thru Friday 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.

Ina Jun (Accompanist): at UUSS on Sundays.

Childcare Providers: Annie Green and Krystal Gollaher, Sundays.

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