ThisWeek@UUSS Unitarian Universalist Society of Sacramento

Sunday March 19

- 9:30am Nursery Care Room 11
- 9:30am Exploring Unitarian Universalism Fahs Room Principles and Sources of Our Tradition
- 9:45am Silent Meditation 3rd Sunday Room 6
- 10:30am Sunday Service All Ages Service Sanctuary
- 11:30am Newcomers Meet-and-Greet Library
- 11:45am Songfest Main Hall (Come down by the piano after the service, request your favorites! Pianists, guitarists and ukuleles also welcome! Contact <u>music@uuss.org</u>.
- 11:45am Auction Ticket Seller Training Fahs Room
- 12:30pm Website Training with Dirk Tuell Library
- 2:00pm Theater One Presents Stephen Sondheim's musical comedy *Company*, directed by Michael Erwin and musically directed by May Tucker - Main Hall
- 6:00pm Memorial Service for Doreen Sinclair Main Hall

Monday March 20

- 10:00 am Chair Yoga & 7:00pm Mat Yoga Fahs Room Yoga by Paige Labrie - Try a first class for free Classes are \$8 each if you sign up for a two-month series or \$10 on a drop-in basis All Welcome!
- 1:30pm Party Bridge Room 7/8 All skill levels welcome. Contact <u>partybridge@uuss.org</u>
- 4:30pm Earth Justice Ministry Meeting Room 6 Contact: <u>Earthjustice@uuss.org</u>

Tuesday March 21

10:00am - Ted's Web Discussion Group - Library Contact: <u>tedsweb@uuss.org</u>.

10:00am - Art Removal - Main Hall The art is for sale and 30% of the sale goes to UUSS. It has been a joy to present Vinay Sharma's art. The next art reception will be Friday, April 14. Contact: <u>art@uuss.org</u>

- 6:30pm Mah Jongg Room 6 Contact <u>mahjongg@uuss.org</u>
- 6:30pm Easing Awake Meditation Library With Doug Kraft. Contact: <u>doug@dougkraft.com</u>

6:30pm - Resilience Gatherings - Room 12

Every first and third Tuesday of the month. This 45minute session will include singing, readings, silence, prayer, and candles of hope and encouragement. Can't make it to church, join us live on the web: <u>uuss.org/resilience</u>

Wednesday March 22

- 1:00pm Women's Support Group Library All are welcome. Contact <u>women@uuss.org</u>
- 2:00pm Spring in Your Step Dance Class Main Hall
- 4:00pm St. John's Shelter Offsite Contact - <u>stjohns@uuss.org</u>
- 6:00pm Showing Up for Racial Justice Meeting Main Hall
- 7:00pm UUSS Choir Rehearsal Fahs Room Contact <u>music@uuss.org</u>

Thursday March 23

- 1:00pm UUSS Ukulele Group Music & Theater Room. New beginners at 1:00 p.m. for individual tutoring. Slow jam 1:30 to 3:00. Ukuleles available to lend. Contact <u>ukes@uuss.org</u>
- 4:00pm Administrative and Property Management Team Meeting - Library
- 7:00pm Board of Trustees Meeting Library
- 7:00pm Gen. Y Oktoberfest Event Planning Meeting Room 9

Friday March 24

3:00pm & 7:00pm - Great World Religions - Library 8:00pm - Theater One Presents Company - Main Hall

Saturday March 25

12:00pm - Auction Meeting - Room 9 8:00pm - Theater One Presents Company - Main Hall

Church members who are leaders of UUSS activity groups may submit short articles of upcoming UUSS events for the next Blue Sheet Announcements at *bluesheet@uuss.org.* Deadline is noon Wednesday. We are streamlining the bluesheet with new word limitations. Please include a two-word heading plus the name and nature of your event, with day, time, location and a contact name and email. Maximum 25 words. The Blue Sheet is posted on the website and included as an insert in the order of service on Sundays.

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World's Great Religions: Ray Reynolds is offering a drop-in video and discussion group based on the Great Courses. Friday's from 3:00pm-4:00pm and 7:00pm-8:00pm in the library. Now thru April 14. For info., go to the AE table Sunday mornings.

Confronting Economic Inequality Monthly Book discussion: Sunday, March 26: *Elite by March Harris*. A historical review of issues of class in UUism and their relevance for our movement today.

Newcomer Orientation: On March 26, Newcomers and all those interested in taking the Orientation Tour of the campus please meet in the Library at noon.

Stewardship Campaign: Please turn in your pledge cards! We have only collected about half of the expected pledges. If your pledge will not change, we still need a card. Cards available after church or at <u>www.uuss.org/stewardship/giving-information</u>. Thank you for your generosity.

Interfaith Earth: *Dial Down the Heat: A Moral Response to Climate Change*, April 4, 7:00pm. @ St. Francis of Assisi Parish. Meet @ UUSS @ 5:45 for Spring Snacks, carpool option. Contact: <u>beckerbailey@sbcglobal.net</u>.

Auction Without Borders: Ticket sales start next week. We sold out last year –buy early and don't miss out! We need your donations of services, dinners, adventures and gift cards. Donations accepted through 4/9. See the table after church or <u>uuss.org/auction</u>

Sunday Morning Spiritual Practices
Join Us Before the Service
9:45am- 10:15am every Sunday (except 5th Sundays)
4th Sunday - Reflection on poetry and prose - Room 6

Exploring Unitarian Universalism Members, Friends & Newcomers Join us: 3rd Sunday of each Month 9:30am – 10:15am, Fahs Room **April - Faith: What Does It Mean to a UU?**

Ways to Serve

UUSS Office Help Needed Do you have bookkeeping or accounting skills that you can offer in service to UUSS? Please contact Rev. Lucy if you can help in May-June when our bookkeeper is away. Contact <u>lucy@uuss.org</u>.

Together We Share - We can help the 240,000 "food insecure" adults and children in our area by placing canned food, cereal, peanut butter, fruit, vegetables, eyeglasses, clothing and household items in the RED GROCERY BASKET at the main entrance on any Sunday. Contact <u>share@uuss.org</u>.

New Landscape Upkeep Team - First week of each month, our group spend 1-3 hours pulling weeds, dead-heading the rose shrubs, checking the irrigation and replacing broken emitters, replacing dead plants, or pruning plant. Tools are available if you need them. Contact <u>landscape@uuss.org</u>.

Religious Education

Hello UUSS Families. We are so happy to see you and your family this morning. Today is an **all-ages service**, there are not RE classes - the kids will be with us in the sanctuary for our Fire and Blessing service. There is a craft table set up for the kids to color chalice cards inside our sanctuary. Thank you for spending your morning with us.