

Unitarian Universalist Society of Sacramento

Sunday, December 24, 2023, in person and online

- Hymn** Wassail Song
- Words of Welcome**
- Music for Centering** Come Darkness Come Light
-Mary Chapin Carpenter
- Chalice Lighting & Reading**
- Story for All Ages** The Friendly Beasts
by Kim Mitzo Thompson, Karen Mitzo Hilderbrand
- Joys and Sorrows, Prayer and Silence** ended by music
- Gift of Music** #126 Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing
- Reading** The Follen Christmas Trees
-Rev Monica Jacobson-Tennessee
- Hymn** O Christmas Tree
- Shared Offering** for Sacramento Loaves & Fishes
Every Sunday we give half of the offering donations to a not-for-profit agency.
Donate by text at 916-619-0903, online at uuss.org/donate, or by check to UUSS.
- Offertory** Rebel Jesus
-Jackson Browne
- Spoken Response** May generosity bless our world.
May gratitude nourish our spirits.
- Homily**
- Hymn** We Wish You a Merry Christmas
- Extinguishing the Chalice**
We extinguish this flame, but we carry the light, love,
and commitment of this gathering into the days to come.
- Benediction**

SERVING TODAY AT UUSS

Ministerial Intern Rosemary Dodd - Rev. Lucy Bunch
Worship Associate Dawn Huebner
UUSS Choir Music Director Anthony Tavianini
Irina Tchantceva, pianist
Guest Musician Ashley Mulcaire
Terrie Taylor, altar

WELCOME TO GUESTS & NEWCOMERS!

Please complete a Newcomer Card to receive follow-up information and *Our Weekly Message* by email at uuss.org/newcomers or at the Welcome Table in the hall.

Find our Weekly Calendar at uuss.org/bluesheets/

Assisted listening devices are in the rear or in the Welcome Hall.
Our induction-loop system connects to a T-coil hearing aid.
Restrooms are out the sanctuary doors to the left. A single-person restroom is in the hallway to the right of the Library/Bookstore.

Rev. Dr. Roger Jones is on sabbatical leave,
September through January.

OUR CONGREGATION'S MISSION STATEMENT

We come together to deepen our lives
and to be a force for healing in the world.

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