

Unitarian Universalist Society of Sacramento

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UUSS Online Calendar

June 23 through June 29, 2008

Please check the sign board near the office for meeting locations.

Sunday, June 22

9:30am UUSS Food Bank Basket
9:30am UUSS Book Store
9:45am Child Care (Up to First Grade)
10am Service: Rev. Kraft
10am Children's Summer Classes
11:15am Celebration for Kate and Terry
1pm Public Forum: Dr. G. Vijayam
4:30pm Private Rental
5pm Summer Solstice Celebration

Monday, June 23

8am & 11am Loaves & Fishes
6:30pm Carbon Circle
6:30pm Private Rental

Tuesday, June 24

General Assembly 2008 - Florida
10am Ted's Web
7pm Religious Services / Worship Leaders
7:30pm Men's Group

Wednesday, June 25

General Assembly 2008 - Florida
10am Day Dreamers
4pm St. Johns Shelter
7pm Singing in the Summer

Thursday, June 26

General Assembly 2008 - Florida
9:30am Volunteers Mail out Unigram Newsletter

Friday, June 27

General Assembly 2008 - Florida
8am Private Rental

Saturday, June 28

General Assembly 2008 - Florida
8am Private Rental

Sunday, June 29

9am Green Sanctuary Task Force
9:30am UUSS Food Bank Basket
9:30am UUSS Book Store
9:45am Child Care (Up to First Grade)
10am Service: Joan Burke
10am Children's Summer Classes
11am Solar SUNDAY
4:30pm Private Rental

NOTE: UUSS Committee and Activity groups are open to all who are interested or curious. A complete listing of these groups can be found in our *Pathways* brochure, which is on the pamphlet rack near the Welcome Table and on our web page.

- Announcements & Events -

During our Summer Sunday Service schedule, lunches will not be served. In the fall the start time for the two services will be changed to 9:30am and 11:15am, and we will let you know what the new lunch schedule will be as we approach September. Coffee and tea will continue to be offered after the service throughout the summer months. Please gather for refreshments and conversation after this morning's service.

Children's Sunday Summer Religious Education Classes begin today at 10am. Parents, sign your children in at the Religious Education Welcome

table in front of the Fahs room. Classes are based on *Keepers of the Earth* written by Caduto & Bruchac. Native American stories instill a caring respect for the environment. After the service, come to the Fahs room to pick up your child.

UUSS Congregation Survey forms may be left in the office today and through the week. Forms are available in the office.

Today at 1 pm, Public Forum Presents: Dr Goparaju Vijayam. speaking on "Secular Approaches to Social Reform in India". Dr V. is Exec Dir of the "Atheist Centre" of Vijayawada, a

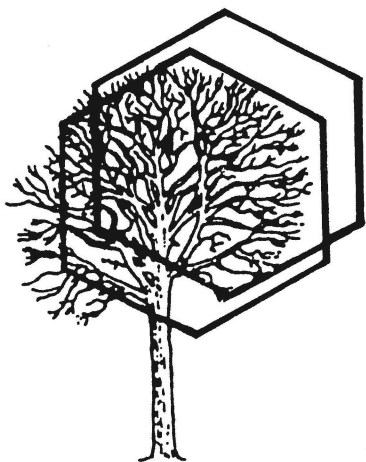
unique and successful organization which works in broad areas of social reform and welfare, including disaster response, health and education, eradication of injustice, Untouchable caste, and witchcraft. There will be open discussion after his presentation.

At 5pm this afternoon the CUUPs committee will hold a Summer Solstice Celebration in the Main Hall and on the Volleyball Field.

Next Sunday's Service: Joan Burke, Director of Advocacy for Sacramento's Loaves and Fishes. *In the Spirit of Love and Hospitality.*

Save the Date: June 29th following the 10 o'clock service, Green Sanctuary presents Solar SUNDAY, a demonstration (and tastes!) of solar cookers... met the chefs, learn the secrets and even get some hints on constructing your own solar cooker. It would be helpful if you brought your own plate and utensils, but paper plates will be available.

Everything You Wanted to Know About Eggs - Have you ever wondered what those labels on egg packaging like "natural" and "free-range" mean for the chickens? Come by the Green Sanctuary table in the Lounge area next Sunday, June 29th and we will tell you "egg"actly what they mean. You may be surprised!



A Memorial Service for Mike Weber will be held at UUSS on Tuesday, July 1st. Guest book signing and a slide show will be available at

10:30am. The Memorial Service will begin at 11am, with luncheon to be served at Noon, and an open microphone at 12:45pm for sharing memories.

The July 13th UUSS Film Club meeting will be held at Barbara Hugo's home in River Park on Sunday, July 13th at 5:30. Films for July are: *Surfwise* - opens 6/20 at the Crest, *Brick Lane* - opens 6/20 at the Tower, *Before The Rains* - at the Crest, *John Adams* (this is a dvd and can be rented at most video stores)
Questions? Call Shirley Hines at 444-6553

Climate Change and Water Justice. UULM is organizing a road trip, August 2-10, for young adult UUs, ages 18-25, to northern and central California to learn about water justice and climate change in California.. Information is posted to the kiosk, on the UULM website: <http://uulmca.org/programs/watertour.html> or phone Betsy Raymond at 441-0018 x 203.

Marriage Equality continues to be tested. As we approach the November elections, there will be a strong effort to pass constitutional limits on equal rights for everyone. The Unitarian Universalist Legislative Ministry has developed the Cottage Conversation --- a good way to gain perspective on the issue. I'll have one or more sessions at my home --please call or email so we can determine good times. Dorothy Mitchell 730-1099 dmitchellsac@yahoo.com .

- Ministers' Office Hours -

Rev. Kraft leaves for the General Assembly (annual gathering of the denomination) tomorrow. In July he will be on vacation. The office will know how to reach him in case of an emergency.

Rev Grant has left the campus and is preparing for her new ministry in Evanston.

Rev. Jones will be available in August.

Anyone wanting a name tag may fill out the request form in the hanging basket on the name tag board.

Copies of sermons are available on tape or CD (as well as in print form). Leave your request for a copy with the office volunteer..

State of California Homeowners & Renters Assistance claim forms can be submitted to the State Franchise Tax Board between July 1 and October 15, 2008. Forms will be available in the business office.