



News and Notes

What's Happening This Week?

Sunday, October 19

9:15 & 11am Worship Service
10:25am Children's Choir Rehearsal
10:30am Writing to Prisoners in Solitary
12:15pm LCC Training for Leaders
5pm Movie Group 3
5pm Newcomer AA meeting
**Newsletter deadline

Monday, October 20

7pm Chalice Circle 3M

Tuesday, October 21

7pm Chalice Circle 3Tu
7pm Music Ministry

Wednesday, October 22

6pm OverEaters Anonymous
7pm Facilitator Chalice Circle
7:30pm Meditation Group

Thursday, October 23

7:30 Choir Rehearsal

Friday, October 24

7:30pm Movie Group 1

Saturday, October 25

10am Chalice Players rehearsal

6pm Halloween

Haunted House Potluck



Sunday, October 26

8am Chalice Players Rehearsal
9:15 & 11am Worship Service
10:25am Children's Choir Rehearsal
12:15 pm Dharma Workshop
5pm Newcomer AA meeting



Special Collection Today! October 19th

At the two services there will be a special collection for the **Social Justice Fund of Ventura County (SJF)**. SJF is a social change, grant-making, and educational organization created and guided by Ventura County donors. SJF has been established to advance equality and opportunity for all. Members of CVUUF have been generous supporters of the fund since its inception in 2004.

Don't Forget!



Daylight savings is November 2. Set your clock back one hour at bedtime, Saturday November 1.

Chalice Players Presents:

"Not Finished Growing Our Souls!"

Don't miss the CVUUF Chalice Players presentation on Sunday October 26th, at both services. The program is a montage of scenes and music about racial justice presented by members of the Fellowship.

Conejo Valley

Unitarian Universalist Fellowship

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Sunday Service is held at 9:15 and 11:00, with Coffee Hour in-between.

Children's Religious Education is held during the 9:15 am service.

Childcare is provided during the 11:00 am service. Visitors are always welcome!

Auction News: Check out the auction website. go to www.cvuuf.org and click on the auction from the home page.

From here you can see the 46 items already donated and donate your own item. You can also fill out a donation form every Sunday between now and Nov. 2nd in the Fellowship Hall.



Consider doing a dinner for the best possible guests, our UU fellow members. This year's boutique will feature kitchen items and a bake sale. To contribute to the bake sale, contact Jenny Schipae rednearly@att.net or Christina Houlberg clh805@gmail.com. This is our biggest fun and fund-raiser of the year. Plan to attend and volunteer to help. You can volunteer online as well. If you can not attend and want to bid on something.

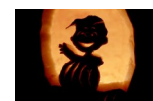
Contact Jo Ann Van Reenan at vanreenanj@juino.com



Halloween Party Pot Luck

Saturday Oct. 25 5-9pm

Bring something yummy or gross, Costumes encouraged. Belief in the Great Pumpkin or any other supernatural or natural or subnatural or supernatural or nocturnal or super-nocturnal being not required. Attendance not required, but doesn't it sound nice? Think about it!



If you'd like to have your announcement included in *News and Notes*, send info to: NewsandNotes@cvuuf.org The deadline is Tuesday evening. **News and Notes is now available on-line.**

Upcoming Events

Manna Needs:

Boxed Potatoes Vegetable Soup
Canned Chili Canned Stew
Pancake Mix Tuna
Ramen/Cup o' Noodles
Hamburger Helper
Pasta Sauce
Shampoo/Conditioner
Your help is greatly appreciated!



Hospitality Team

Lynne Herron, Claudia Borgeois, Marcy Wingard, Daune Hess, Thelma Williams

Sound & Lighting Team

Rick Barton

Ushers

Don and Nancy Cooper, Barry Blades, Hilary Rosen

Upcoming Community Forum:

“Ode to My Mother” Sat Dec. 6 7:30pm

“This is a fascinating true story of a most extraordinary Saudi woman as told through the eyes of her children and grandchildren. Heartwarming and inspiring, the film will be introduced and discussed by its producer Ferial Masry of Thousand Oaks.”

Caring Community



Our caring thoughts are with these:

Margie Fetter as she returns to Phoenix for cancer treatments..

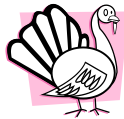
All caregivers offering support to loved ones who are suffering, recovering, and healing.

Friends and strangers who are battling illness in many forms.

If you are in need of pastoral care, a listening ear, a ride to church or care while you're ill our pastoral care team and neighborhood networks are here to help. Call the office for more information.

Thanksgiving Pot Luck Update :

Good News for Thanksgiving. Hilary Rosen has agreed to coordinate the traditional potluck feast and one turkey has been donated. If you want to attend, please contact Hilary. Hilary@tdjax.com



Drop-in Book Club Join us for lively discussion as your interest and time allow on the second Monday of the month at 7:30pm @ Youth Lounge.

For more info contact Candy Gantka 805 492 4401 or Arlene Bloom 805 300 9173

November 10 “The Dinner” by Herman Koch

December 8 “David and Goliath” by Malcom Gladwell (non-fiction)

“Long Strange Trip”



UU History Film Series with Rev. Lora Brandis

“Long strange Trip” is a set of six DVDs detailing the history of Unitarian and Universalist thought from the beginning of the Christian era to what we know today as Unitarian Universalism. Each film is approximately one hour in length and is Close-captioned. Rev. Lora will facilitate a discussion after each film, shown on

Wed. 10/29 Part III: American Unitarianism
Wed. 11/5 Part IV: Universalism
Wed. 11/12 Part V: Evolution
Wed 12/3 Part VI: Unitarian Universalism

Wednesday Evenings in the sanctuary according to the following schedule (please note that these are not consecutive dates):

Feel free to drop in at any time to learn more about a part of our history you have always been curious about. It is not necessary to register for the class or attend each session. Come and join in the discussion and find out about how the history of Unitarian Universalism informs your own personal faith history.

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Free Tickets: “The Hazda, the Last of the First.”

This amazing new documentary is about the Hadza, East Africa's last remaining true hunter-gatherers and perhaps the original “indigenous people”. They have lived sustainably on their land for over 50,000 years. Thursday October 23rd at Broad Stage in Santa Monica. The film starts at 7:30 with a Q&A with the director and others to follow. There will be a red carpet (but dress is business casual!) before the screening with an opportunity for photos so plan to show up early. Contact Christal M. Litz for reservations. (213) 321 2446 or crystalmlitz@usa.net



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