

Conejo Valley  
Unitarian Universalist  
Fellowship  
August 2, 2015



# News and Notes

## What's Happening This Week?

### Sunday, August 2

9:15 & 11:00am Worship Service  
12:15pm CCL/CAT Meeting  
12:15pm Membership Comm  
2pm Gaming Afternoon  
5pm Newcomer AA meeting

### Monday, August 3

6:30pm Finance Committee  
7:15pm Opal Covenant Group

### Tuesday, August 4

6pm Free Meal Commitment

### Wednesday August 5

6pm OverEaters Anon  
7pm Stewardship  
Committee Meeting  
7:30pm Meditation Group

### Thursday, August 6

9:45am Jonquil Women's Grp

### Friday, August 7

### Saturday, August 8

2:30pm Emerald Covenant Grp  
7pm Movie Group

### Sunday, August 9

9:15 & 11am Worship Service  
12:15pm The Dharma Workshop  
5pm Newcomer AA meeting

### Art for Sale this month only!

Enjoying the photo's by Don Parker? You can take one home, with a donation. Thank you artists of CVUUF! If you have some art to show, share and display Contact Annie Barker at [anniebarker@gmail.com](mailto:anniebarker@gmail.com), or pick up an agreement from Jessica in the office.



Read the book and join us for a lively discussion the 2nd Monday of the month at 7:30pm @ Youth Lounge. For more info contact Candy Gantka [805 492 4401](tel:8054924401) or

Arlene Bloom

August-The Sacrifice by Joyce Carol Oates

Sept- Switch: How to Change Things When Change is Hard by Chip Heath and Dan Heath

**We Need YOU!** Looking for a way to get involved with the fellowship? Most opportunities only require a couple hours once a month.



Hospitality -Penny Smith ;  
Ushering -JoAnn Van Reenan ;  
Sound and Lighting-Bart Allan  
Communications- Jake Holland  
Teaching Children's RE- Sam  
Dickerson ([dre@cvuuf.org](mailto:dre@cvuuf.org))

Among the volunteers that are needed to arrange an excellent Sunday service are sextons. These folks arrange the candles, bowls, put out the signs for our visitors, etc. If you are interested in helping on a regular basis, please contact

Tom Powers, [805-493-1103](tel:8054931103) or  
[thomasbpowers@live.com](mailto:thomasbpowers@live.com)

### Conejo Valley

#### Unitarian Universalist Fellowship

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[www.facebook.com/CVUUF](http://www.facebook.com/CVUUF)

Sunday Services: 9:15 and 11:00,

Fellowship in-between.

Children's Religious Ed. during the 9:15 service

Childcare is provided during the 11:00 am

service. Visitors are always welcome!

Office Hours: Wed, Fri 9:00-1:00

### Come Join us for the annual UU Campout!

This year we will be camping at the La

Jolla Group Camp site in Point Mugu State Park. The site is reserved from Thursday August 13, 2015 at 2:00 P.M to Sunday August 16, 2015 at 12:00 noon. The total cost will

be \$25 per adult. There will be a potluck dinner Saturday night and sharing food at other meals. It's time for adventure in the great outdoors. Join us for camping, marshmallows and more fun!

Look forward to seeing you there." Contact:

Heather Boursse at [HBoursse@gmail.com](mailto:HBoursse@gmail.com)



### Annual Night in Oaxaca

#### Join Us for Fun, Food and Friends

August 15 6-9pm Oxnard Performing Arts & Convention Center . \$55 per Person, \$100 couple for more information. Or Contact Maria Ornelas [maria@rasnowpeak.com](mailto:maria@rasnowpeak.com)

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

## Upcoming Events

### Manna Needs:

Toilet Paper Mac & Cheese  
Pasta Sauce Mustard Catsup  
Salad Dressing  
Cookies & Crackers  
Juice, Coffee, Tea,  
Chocolate drink  
Cooking Oil 16oz



Your help is greatly appreciated!

### Hospitality Team

Lynne Herron, Mary Martin, Phoebe Rivera,  
Jenny Schipae

### Sound & Lighting Team

Jake Holland

### Ushers

Claudia Bourgois, Jo Ann Van Reenan,  
Pat Meredith, Bea Ornstein

### Save the Date!

CVUUF Fundraising Event

**Saturday August 29th**

**Live Karaoke 5pm**

\$15-Adults, \$5-Kids

*Mark Your Calendar!*



### Caring Community



*Our grateful, caring thoughts are with these:*

*Chuck Thomas has been home from the Hospital for about a week.*

*Lorella Hess takes the Bar next week (no calls please)*

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.

E-mail: [pastoralcare@cvuuf.org](mailto:pastoralcare@cvuuf.org) or  
[Neighborhood@cvuuf.org](mailto:Neighborhood@cvuuf.org) to reach your neighborhood leaders.

### Chalice Circles Scheduling Survey

From August 3-17 we will be collecting survey information regarding the scheduling of this coming year's Chalice Circles. Please participate either on-line or at the Program Table in Fellowship Hall, Sunday August 9th or 16th. The Facilitators would like everyone's suggestions. The survey data collected will be used in preparing the schedule - registration for Chalice Circles will take place in September. (Participants will be able to register for a Chalice Circle even if they do not participate in the survey.) For more information, please contact Carol Flanagan at [ChaliceCircles@cvuuf.org](mailto:ChaliceCircles@cvuuf.org).

On Your Summer Travels...Be sure to *collect a tiny bit of water* for our traditional Water Communion on September 13th!



### Helping to Guide Our Children and Youth

During this year of transition, please consider volunteering as a teacher in our Religious Education program. Here are some things to know about this important ministry:

- We need you two Sundays each month, for an hour at a time.
- The commitment would be through June 2016, but as Sam Dickerson says, "time flies when you're having fun – and our kiddos are fun!"
- You will not be asked to create lesson plans; that will be done by the new R.E. director, and all needed materials will be provided.
- You will never teach alone, but will have the support of a co-teacher or the DRE.

There will be a Teacher Orientation on Saturday, Sept. 12<sup>th</sup>, 10:00-noon.

Offering guidance to our children in their spiritual development is one of the greatest gifts we can offer. If you can participate or have questions, please contact Sam Dickerson ([samsquarepants79@aol.com](mailto:samsquarepants79@aol.com)), or any member of the R.E. Committee (Leeanne Christianson, Liza Diniakos, or Tom Wolf). Thank you!

### Staff Office Hours

**Rev. Anne Felton Hines**  
Consulting Minister  
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**Samantha Dickerson**  
Summer DRE  
805-492-8751 [Dre@cvuuf.org](mailto:Dre@cvuuf.org)  
by appointment

**Jessica Lesko**  
Office Administrator  
805-492-8751 [admin@cvuuf.org](mailto:admin@cvuuf.org)  
2nd & 4th Sun 10-3, Wed & Fri 9-4

**Gregory Whitmore**  
Music Director  
805-492-8751 [choirdirector@cvuuf.org](mailto:choirdirector@cvuuf.org)  
by appointment

### Song List Posted on Facebook!

Check out the possible song list for Live Karaoke-submit your suggestions by August 14th for the best chance of inclusion!

### OFFICE HOURS:

Reverend Anne will be available for office appointments this week on Wednesday, Aug. 5th, 2-6 p.m.; Mondays are her day off. Please e-mail her at [minister@cvuuf.org](mailto:minister@cvuuf.org) for an appointment.

### MICOP Back to School

**Donations** Please bring new backpacks and school supplies for elementary and middle school age children of the Mixteco Indigena Community Organizing Program.

Drop off **through August 16** at the Religious Education office upstairs in Fellowship Hall. Contact Maria Ornelas for more information.



### Administrator's New Hours:

Church office hours have increased from 9am—1pm to 9am—4pm, Wednesday and Friday. Please give the office a call if you plan to stop by, lest Jessica run an errand!



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