

More Programs and Opportunities to Connect

Parent Lounge

10:45 on First Sundays

Parent Lounge is a great opportunity for parents to gather together to discuss a topic related to parenting. We meet every 1st Sunday of the month between services in Room 323.

Facebook

We maintain a private Facebook page for First UU parents. This is a great way to stay informed and connect with other First UU families. Contact the Religious Ed department for more information about how to join the group.

Multigenerational Services

These are held periodically on both campuses throughout the year. When you see that we are scheduled for a multigenerational service you can expect there to be story, song, movement, and ritual intended to engage all ages. No religious education classes are held on multigenerational service Sundays, but childcare is still available.

Social Justice Events

In partnership with our Social Justice Ministry Team, we offer quarterly, family-friendly service and justice projects. These are usually held off-site with partner agencies working within the community. Sign up for our newsletter to receive more information about upcoming projects.

To Do List:

Sign Up For Our Weekly Newsletter

Stay up to date with all the latest Family Ministry events, programs and announcements by signing up to receive our weekly email newsletter. Email Tony@firstuusandiego.org to be added to the list!

Register Your Child for Religious Education Classes

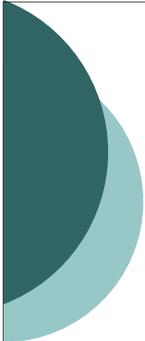
Registering your children gives us important information about their individual interests and needs. Knowing more about the children we serve allows us to create programming that is interesting and engaging.

Check Us Out Online

Visit the Family Ministry page on our website (<http://www.firstuusandiego.org/children>) and read our church newsletter, The Window, for weekly news and announcements. A link to the current issue of The Window can be found on our home page: <http://www.firstuusandiego.org>

Contact Us Anytime

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Children & Family Ministry Guide

2018-2019



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OUR MISSION

The Mission of the Children's Ministry Program is to nurture and stimulate our children's spiritual and personal growth by teaching and modeling the values that unite us as Unitarian Universalists.

Sunday Logistics

South Bay

Your entire family can go directly into the worship space as you arrive (to the left as you enter the door).

Hillcrest

1. If you're new, stop by the welcome table on the patio to get a name tag. You can also feel free to ask to speak with one of our Family Ministry staff or take a tour of the campus and classrooms.
2. There is also a table on the patio where you can sign in for religious education classes in advance to save some time at the children's dismissal.
3. Head into the Meeting House for Service. After the opening portion of our service, the children will be dismissed to meet their teachers on the patio and go to classes. If you haven't done so already, go out with them to sign them in. You may then return to service or accompany your child to class.
4. After service has concluded, you can pick up your child(ren) from their classroom and sign them out.

Sunday Programs For Children & Youth

Chalice Children 9:30 AM

3 & 4 Year Old's

Our youngest members explore our UU Principles through story, art and song.

Treasure Hunting 9:30 AM

5 & 6 Year Old's

Explore our UU Principles and discover the "treasures" that come from living by them and sharing them with others!

UU Explorers 9:30 AM

7 Years and Up

Option #1

Using written, visual and performing arts, we'll explore the spiritual and ethical tools children need to make choices and take actions reflective of their Unitarian Universalist beliefs and values. This class is open to all children ages 6 and up.

The Lab 9:30 AM

7 Years and Up

Option #2

Beginning in October 2018, students ages 6 and up will have a second option for 9:30 Religious Education. In a newly transformed Room 113, students will gather to explore our UU principles and values in a hands-on, student-driven, experiential learning environment. This class is open to students by registration only. Speak with a member of the Children's Religious Education staff for more details.

Childcare 9:30 & 11:30 AM

Infants to Age 4

Childcare is provided on Sundays during both services for our youngest children and is staffed by trained, professional caregivers. Children may be dropped off and signed in directly to the Nursery staff.

Youth Group

9:30 & 11:30 AM

Grades 7–12

Our Youth Groups meet during both the 9:30 and 11:30 services in room 114. Youth are required to register ahead of time in order to participate. Speak with Kåthe Larick for more details.

Our Whole Lives (O.W.L.)

Human Sexuality Program

Throughout the year, First UU offers human sexuality programs for children and youth of various ages. Students must be registered ahead of time to attend. Speak with Kåthe Larick for more details.

Children's Patio Area

All children are invited to enjoy our chalkboard wall and children's area on the patio. It's a great space to meet other families and build connections during social hour!