

Calendar of Events

Sunday, December 2, 2023

Hillcrest In Person Social Hour

Sundays, following service, Bard Hall.
Coffee and tea provided.

Virtual Social Hour

Sundays, 11 am, bit.ly/FirstUUSocialHour.
Meeting ID 824 042 297.
Password: FUUSD

River of Life Dedication – Sun. Dec 3rd

December 3, Sunday, 11:15 am, Memorial Garden & Patio.

Board Chat

December 3, first Sundays, 12:30 pm,
bit.ly/FirstUUBoardChat. Meeting ID: 863
0218 5062 Passcode: 203946.

Hillcrest Song Circle

December 3, first Sundays, 2 pm — 4 pm,
Room 323. Bring your guitar/and or voice.
Wombated@gmail.com or
cmack5913@gmail.com.

Open Heart Sangha

Sundays, 4 pm — 5:30 pm, Bard Hall.
margewur@gmail.com.

Uptown / Downtown Neighborhood Group

December 3, Sunday, 6 pm,
home of Armin and Rhea Kuhlman. Contact
Rhea rheakuhlman2@gmail.com or
619-915-5214.

ZUUMERS

December 3, first Sundays, 6 pm, online.
For more information and link,
please contact Claudia at
obata.claudia@gmail.com.

Monday, December 4, 2023

Women's Choir

Mondays, 7 pm — 8:30 pm, Bard Hall.

Tuesday, December 5, 2023

Young Adult Group

Tuesdays, 5:30 pm — 7 pm, Room 114b.
Young Adults aged 22-35 are gathering in
room 114b every Monday. Contact Lara.

Public Power in San Diego

Tuesday, December 5, 5:30 pm, Bard Hall.
Want lower electric bills or more rooftop
solar? rheakuhlman2@gmail.com.

Wednesday, December 6, 2023

Chalice Choir Rehearsal

Wednesdays, 7 pm — 8:30 pm, Bard Hall.

Thursday, December 7, 2023

Food Pantry Midweek Bagging

Thursdays, 11 am — 12:30 pm,
South Bay Campus Room 105.
Join us putting together bags of
healthy food for Saturday's distribution.
foodpantry@firstuusandiego.org.

Upcoming Events

Memory Matters Gathering

December 8, second and fourth Fridays,
10 am — 11:30 am, online. This is a place for
those who worry about memory problems care
partners. Email hybertsen@att.net for the link.

Looking Glass Theatre's

Christmas Cookies & Chaos

December 8, Friday, 7 pm; December 9,
Saturday, 7 pm; December 10,
Sunday, 4 pm, Dec. 11, Meeting House.
Don't miss this show! \$10 at the door.
Contact info@lookingglasssd.org
with questions.

Women Together Meeting

December 9, second Saturdays,
12 pm — 2 pm, Common Room.
Contact Claudia obata.claudia@gmail.com.

30th Annual Posada Sin Fronteras

December 9, Saturday, 2 pm — 4 pm,
"Whiskey 8" Southeast of Monument Road and
Dairy Mart Road. Optional: UU Meet and
Carpool at South Bay Campus, 1:15 pm.

Kirtan And Chanting For Peace With Patita Pavana Of Spirit Soul And Friends

December 9, second Saturdays,
6 pm — 7 pm, Common Room.
Donation-based community event.

Rainbow Action Group's Koffee Klatch

December 10, second Sundays,
11:15 am — 12:15 pm, Room 323. All family,
friends and allies are invited.

Covenant of UU Pagans (CUUPS) of San Diego

December 10, second Sundays, 12 pm,
Common Room and Peace Garden. Contact
rose@firstuusandiego.org.

Welcome / Bienvenida-o to the First Unitarian Universalist Church of San Diego

Create community, nurture spiritual growth, heal the world.

Crear comunidad, fomentar el crecimiento espiritual, sanar el mundo.

December's Monthly Theme: The Gift of Mystery

"Coming Of Age"

Rev. Kristen Kuriga, Assistant Minister

Lara Anderson, Youth & Young Adult Coordinator

Tony Bianca, Director of Lifespan Faith Formation

Tomás Acosta, Collaborative Pianist

Sunday, December 3, 2023

10 am Hillcrest Meeting House with Patio Viewing



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619-298-9978

Visit www.firstuusandiego.org for more information

Bell / Campana

— Rev. Kristen Kuriga, *Assistant Minister*

Prelude / Preludio

“Despite the Storm” — Cathy Moglebust

~ Handbell Ensemble

~ Robie Evans, *Violin*

Welcome / Bienvenido

Tony Bianca, *Director of Lifespan Faith Formation*

Chalice Lighting / Iluminación del cáliz

“On Children” — Kahlil Gibran

~ Sebastian Hochgesang

Land Acknowledgment / Reconocimiento de la tierra

— Lily Brock

— Guppy Todd

Lighting of the Advent Wreath / Iluminación de la corona de adviento

Opening Song / Canción de apertura

“Come, Come Whoever You Are”

~ Handbell Ensemble

Coming of Age Ritual / Ritual de mayoría de edad

— Lara Anderson, *Youth & Young Adult Coordinator*

— Rev. Kristen Kuriga, *Assistant Minister*

— Everardo Aguilar, *Board President*

Church Hymn and Aspiration / Himno y Aspiración de la iglesia

Congregational Assent & Welcome / Asentimiento congregacional y bienvenido

Church Aspiration / Aspiración de la Iglesia

Offering Words / Ofreciendo palabras

Offering Music / Ofreciendo música

“Moment Musical, Op. 94, No. 3” — m. Franz Schubert

~ Tomás Acosta, *Collaborative Pianist*

Introduction to the Credo /

Introducción a los credos

— Lara Anderson, *Youth & Young Adult Coordinator*

Credos and Parent Message / Credos y mensaje de los padres

— Shan Bates-Lamparella

— Bran Bates-Lamparella

Song / Canción

“Teach Your Children” — Graham William Nash

~ Shan Bates-Lamparella

~ Bran Bates-Lamparella

~ Keith Mesecher

Credos and Parent Message / Credos y mensaje de los padres

— Guppy Todd

— Sebastian Hochgesang

— Lily Brock

Song / Canción

“Have It All” — Jason Mraz

~ Kate Collier, *Program Assistant*

~ Tony Bianca, *Director of Lifespan Faith Formation*

Credos and Parent Message / Credos y mensaje de los padres

— Kea Ciampi Straneo

— Clara Gaede

Blessing & Chalice Extinguishing / Bendición y extinción del cáliz

— Rev. Kristen Kuriga, *Assistant Minister*

Closing Song / Canción de cierre

“Circle Game” — Joni Mitchell

Coming of Age Youth

Postlude / Postludio

“Viva la Vida” — m. Guy Berryman, Jon Buckland

William Champion and Chris Martin (*Coldplay*)

— arr. The Inception Band

~ Robie Evans, *Violin*

~ Tomas Acosta, *Collaborative Pianist*

Church Hymn

From all who dwell
below the skies,
Let faith and hope
with love arise,
Let beauty, truth, and
good be sung,
Through ev'ry land,
by ev'ry tongue.

De todos bajo el gran sol,
Surja esperanza, fe, amor
Verdad y belleza cantando,
De cada tierra, cada voz.

Our Affirmation

We are Unitarian
Universalists, a people of
open minds, loving hearts,
and welcoming hands.

Somos Unitarios
Universalistas, personas de
mentes abiertas, corazones
amorosos, y manos que dan
la bienvenida.

Church Aspiration

May love be the spirit of this
church,
May the quest for truth be its
sacrament,
And service be its prayer
To dwell together in peace,
To seek knowledge in
freedom,
And to help one another in
fellowship,
This is our Aspiration.

Que el amor sea la doctrina
de esta iglesia, la búsqueda
de la verdad su sacramento,
y el servicio su oración.
Vivir juntos en paz, buscar la
verdad con libertad,
y ayudarnos mutuamente en
comunidad, a eso
aspiramos.

***Our sign language interpreter today is Paul Lambert*

*** Join us for In Person Hillcrest Social Hour after Worship*

*** Join us for Virtual Social Hour at 11 am*

<https://bit.ly/FirtUUSocialHour>