

Calendar of Events

Sunday, May 12, 2024

Board of Trustees

Candidates Meet & Greet

May 12, Sunday, after service, Patio.

Come meet the Board of Trustees candidates.

Ask questions and socialize!

Virtual Social Hour

Sundays, 11 am, bit.ly/FirstUUSocialHour.

Meeting ID 824 042 297. Password: FUUSD.

Food Pantry Food Distribution

Saturdays, 11 am — 1 pm, South Bay Campus.

Volunteers arrive by 10:30 am to staff a station.

foodpantry@firstuusandiego.org.

Rainbow Action Group's Koffee Klatch

May 12, second Sundays,

11:15 am — 12:15 pm, Room 323.

All family, friends and allies are invited.

Cosmos

May 12, second Sundays,

1 pm — 3 pm, room 323. The only prerequisite

is an open heart and mind.

Contact [James Long](mailto:James.Long) for information.

National Emergency for the Climate

May 12, Sunday, 3:30 pm, <https://bit.ly/ERClimate>.

Climate activist Jon Findley will present the case for

declaring a National Climate Emergency, and the

implications of such a declaration.

Open Heart Sangha

Sundays, 4 pm — 5:30 pm, Bard Hall.

margewur@gmail.com.

Monday, May 13, 2024

Coping With Chronic

Conditions Support Group

May 13, 1:30 pm — 3 pm, zoom. Contact

[Chris Smith](mailto:Chris.Smith) prior to attending 619-300-7477.

Caregivers/Allies Support Group

May 13, second Mondays & fourth Tuesdays,

4 pm — 5:30 pm, zoom. For additional information

about participating contact [Les Vivian](mailto:Les.Vivian).

Women's Choir

Mondays, 7 pm — 8:30 pm, Bard Hall.

Tuesday, May 14, 2024

Young Adult Group

Tuesdays, 5:30 pm — 7 pm.

Contact Lara for location info.

Wednesday, May 15, 2024

Chalice Choir Rehearsal

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

Thursday, May 16, 2024

Food Pantry Midweek Bagging

Thursdays, 11 am — 12:30 pm,

South Bay Campus Room 105.

foodpantry@firstuusandiego.org.

Finance Committee Meeting

May 16, Thursday, 6:30 pm, link in the members

area of the [website](#).

Upcoming Events

Philippine Partner Church Presentation

May 18, Saturday, 10 am, Bard Hall, and

<https://bit.ly/UUSeniors>. Church members Liz

Jones and Rich Zemlin will share their experiences

visiting our partner church and review our current

projects with the church.

Waking from the Dream of Zionism

May 19, Sunday, 11:30 am, Common Room. Join the

Palestine-Israel Justice Team of First UU for a talk by

Rabbi Alexis Pearce. She will discuss her own

journey of learning about Israel's history and the

suffering of Palestinians, and her changing

relationship to Zionism. Questions? Email us at

pi.justice.team@gmail.com.

Spiritual Agnostics Film Study and Discussion Group

May 19, Sunday, 11:30, Room 323. The film will be:

"*Journey Into Buddhism; Vajara Sky Over Tibet*" from

the trilogy of John Bush.

Our Grief Journeys

May 23, Thursday, 1:30 pm — 3 pm, Room 323. This

is a safe, supportive space for sharing our grief &

loss, co-facilitated by Marcia Biller and Karen

Thurston.

Burrito Project

May 23, Thursday, 5 pm — 8 pm starting in the

Common Room. Join the Young Adults to make and

distribute burritos to those experiencing food

insecurity. Email lara@forstuusandiego.org for info

and to join.

Front Street Productions Presents!

May 25, Saturday, 7 pm, Meeting House. Front

Street Productions presents "Chiméera Ensemble"

orchestra concert. You will hear well known classics

along music by with Latin American composers. You

must register to attend this open-seating show

through Eventbrite. Contact [Robie Evans](mailto:Robie.Evans).

Youth Book Club

May 26, Sunday, after service, 11 am — 1:30 pm,

Room 114A. For our next youth book club meeting

we'll be discussing "*One of Us is Lying*." For info and

to participate email lara@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.

May's Monthly Theme: Pluralism

"She Who Hears the Cries of the World"

Rev. Kristen Kuriga, Assistant Minister

Marge Wurgel, Worship Associate

Sunday, May 12, 2024

10 am Hillcrest Meeting House with Patio Viewing



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Hillcrest: 4190 Front St. San Diego, CA 92103
South Bay: 970 Broadway Chula Vista, CA 91911
619-298-9978

Visit firstuusandiego.org for more information

Bell / Campana

— Rev. Kristen Kuriga, *Assistant Minister*

Prelude / Preludio

"Come to My Garden" — lyrics Marsha Norman, music Lucy Simon

Call to Worship and Chalice Lighting / Llamado a la adoración y encendido del cáliz

Gathering Hymn / Himno recopilatorio

#123 "Spirit of Life" / #31 "Fuente de Amor"

Words of Welcome & Land Acknowledgement / Palabras de bienvenida y reconocimiento de tierras

— Marge Wurgel, *Worship Associate*

— Rev. Kristen Kuriga

Church Hymn & Aspiration / Himno de la iglesia & Aspiración

Time for All Ages & Affirmation / Tiempo para todas las edades y afirmación

"What is compassion?"

— Tony Bianca, *Director of Lifespan Faith Formation*

Offering Words and Announcements / Ofrecimiento de palabras y y anuncios

Doors of Change

Offering Music / Ofreciendo música

"Elizabeth's Lullaby" — Dennis Alexander (b. 1947)

Reading / Lectura

From "She Who Hears the Cries of the World" — Christina Feldman

Meditation Hymn / Himno de meditación

#1048 "Ubi Caritas"

Meditation / Meditación

Special Music / Música especial

"Sunrise, Sunset" from *Fiddler on the Roof*

— m. Jerry Bock, w. Sheldon Harnick
~ First UU Women's Choir

Sermon / Sermón

"She Who Hears the Cries of the World" — Rev. Kristen Kuriga

Closing Hymn / Himno de clausura

#354 "We Laugh, We Cry"

Blessing and Extinguishing of the Chalice / Bendición y extinción del cáliz

Postlude / Postludio

"You'll Be In My Heart" from Disney's *Tarzan*

— w. and m. Phil Collins, arr. Roger Emerson
~ First UU Women's Choir

Musicians

Tomás Acosta, *Collaborative Pianist*

Andrea Spiero, *Staff Musician*

First UU San Diego Women's Choir

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>