

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**  
**Week of June 9, 2019**

Officer of the Day: Phil Harriman  
Listening Devices: Dan Reid

**SHARE THE OFFERING:** The Living Room located on Cleveland Avenue near College, welcomes homeless and at-risk women and children into a warm and safe environment during the day. Caring staff offer lifelines during times of crisis.

**CONGREGATIONAL MEETING TODAY AT 11:** . Our semi-annual meeting, your attendance is important! Please come.

**ADULT RE:** On June 27th, from 2:00 - 3:15 (Room 545), Phil Harriman will describe the astounding 20 year (1Phone # Deleted) trip taken by the Cassini-Huygens space probe to the planet Saturn. The probe produced spectacular pictures of a moon landing, a possible site for water-based life in the Saturn system, and Saturn's rings and other satellites. Future offerings include a second class by Phil on genetically modified foods (Augst 22, 2:00 - 3:15), and the start in August of Rev. Chris' West County Theology class, based on the UUA curriculum, " Faith like a River: Themes from UU History".

**SHARE THE OFFERING NOMINATIONS ACCEPTED TODAY:** Nominations are being accepted for a favorite 501(C)3 non profit organization that you would like for A4SJ to consider for Share the Offering. We are just starting to schedule the next few months. A small table will be near the sanctuary entrance. Can also be left in the A4SJ mailbox, include your name and contact info. as well as the name of the organization you are nominating. Can also contact Mary Louise Jaffray at mljaffray@jaffray.us or Phone # Deleted. Submissions made in the next 3 days will receive priority, but can be made year round and will be added to an ongoing list for consideration at future scheduling meetings.

**CUUPS MEETING TUESDAY:** The trees are full, the meadows alive, and the sun is at its peak in the sky. The Solstice approaches. The Wheel of the Year turns once again. Litha, an ancient Germanic name for Summer, is the time to celebrate its warmth. **You are invited to come join us at our meeting for our celebration of Litha on Tuesday, June 11, from 5:00 to 6:30 in the Courtyard.** For more information: Email Deleted See you there. Blessed Be!

**TOUR OF CATHOLIC CHARITIES:** To learn more about their programs and their new project, Caritas Village, there will be a tour of Catholic Charities on Friday, June 14. We will meet at The Family Support Center at 465 A St. at 12 noon. Free parking lot nearby. Space is limited and you must sign up with Judy Ervice at judy.Email Deleted

**OWL SEXUALITY EDUCATION OPEN HOUSE June 9 at 10:30 am -** Come to the Board Room on June 9 between 10:30-11:00 am (before attending the Congregational Meeting!) for an informal look at Our Whole Lives (OWL), which UUCSR will be offering to grades K-1, 4-5, 7-8 and 10-11 in 2Phone # Deleted. All adults are welcome to join us for a chance to take a look at the materials, see when we will offer classes to specific grade levels, meet some of our facilitators and ask Jen Freese, Director of Religious Education, any questions you have. Guardians are welcome to sign children and youth up at this time, as well.

**ECODESK:** Come learn about the transition to carbon neutral transportation: what is being developed, what can we do - individually and, to influence the big picture, collectively.

**CARING CONNECTIONS COMMITTEE:** Our volunteers offer short-term help for UUCSR members who are experiencing a difficult transition, such as recovery from surgery or the death of a loved one. We are happy to announce a new service: help for caregivers. Let one of our volunteers stay with the person you are caregiving while you take a couple of hours to run some errands or simply take some time for yourself. Other services we offer include a ride to Sunday services or a medical appointment, a home or hospital visit, a friendly call or card, occasional shopping for essential items, a loan of a medical item like a wheelchair or walker, and preparing and/or delivering a meal. We have a list of referrals for services we can't offer. Please stop by our table on Sundays to sign a card, request help or volunteer. For information, contact committee chair Mac Freeman.

**UU SATURDAY SAUNTERS:** Tolay Lake Regional Park calls us in June to open grasslands with trails leading to sweeping views, as well as the seasonal lake for which it is named. Lots of history, both agricultural and Native American. Meet Saturday June 22 at 9:30 at 4th and Farmers near the Redwood Credit Union Office in Santa Rosa to carpool or at the main parking area off Lakeville Highway at 5869 Cannon Lane at 10:15. Bring water, snacks or lunch, picnic tables at trail head. Dogs are allowed on leash. I hope you'll join us in exploring this newer park in the Southern end of Sonoma County. For more information and to sign up contact Gretchen P, gretchen@sonic.net, 707-Phone # Deleted.

**SAVE THE DATE of JULY 20.** UUCSR is privileged to be the chosen venue for a reprise of "Wretch Like Me," David Templeton's one-man show. He originated this show at the Glaser Center in 2009 and will kick off a tenth anniversary run here as a fundraiser for us. David is well-known in the Bay Area as a writer, newspaper journalist, theater critic, playwright, radio journalist, producer and stage performer. The Fundraising Advisory Committee will be providing concessions and ticket takers. To help host this event, please contact Dee Ray, Email Deleted

**OFFICE VOLUNTEERS:** Our UU office volunteers are inviting you to join our team. Your time and energy is wanted and needed! Contact Bertha Jean desk coordinator at [Email Deleted](#), 707-Phone # Deleted.

**SILENT DRAWING MEDITATION GROUP:** **Friday afternoons from 2 to 4 in the Board Room.** Bring your drawing supplies and ideas; still life set up provided. This is a silent meditation group, donation requested, \$5 non members, \$2 members. For information contact Judy Hutchinson Phone # Deleted

**SPIRIT MOVES BODY MOVES:** SUMMER BREAK! June 19<sup>th</sup> cancelled. Join us in September on the 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesdays (Sept. 4 and 18) from 1 to 2 pm in Rm. 545. "The body says what words cannot", Martha Graham.

**THE UU UPDATE:** UUCSR monthly newsletter: Submissions for the following month are due **by noon the Monday which follows the 3rd Sunday.** Send to [newsletter@uusantarosa.org](mailto:newsletter@uusantarosa.org). Submissions for July newsletter are due by **12 pm Monday, June 17.**

**THE ANNOUNCEMENTS & ORDER OF SERVICE INFORMATION** deadline is Wednesday at noon. Send to [announcements@uusantarosa.org](mailto:announcements@uusantarosa.org). WE HAVE ONLY 1 PAGE FOR ALL SO PLEASE BE BRIEF!