

The Window

A Weekly Publication



First
Unitarian Universalist
Church of San Diego

Our Mission

Our mission is to create community, to nurture spiritual growth, and to act on our values to help heal the world.
Nuestra misión es crear comunidad, fomentar el crecimiento espiritual y vivir nuestros valores para ayudar a sanar el mundo.

Our Eight Principles

We, the member congregations of the Unitarian Universalist Association, covenant to affirm and promote:

1. The inherent worth and dignity of every person;
2. Justice, equity, and compassion in human relations;
3. Acceptance of one another, and encouragement to spiritual growth in our congregations;
4. A free and responsible search for truth and meaning;
5. The right of conscience, and the use of the democratic process within our congregations and in society at large;
6. The goal of world community with peace, liberty, and justice for all;
7. Respect for the interdependent web of all existence of which we are a part;
8. Building a diverse multicultural Beloved Community by our actions that accountably dismantle racism and oppressions.

September's Monthly Worship Theme: Welcome

Hillcrest Campus Location
4190 Front Street
San Diego, CA 92103
619-298-9978

South Bay Campus Location
970 Broadway, Suite 104
Chula Vista, CA 91911
619-271-5017

Hillcrest Services 10 am Sundays

September 17, 2023
"Days of Awe"

Rev. Justine Sullivan & Hillel Rubin

September 24, 2023
"The Year Ahead"

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Livestream of the Hillcrest Service

September Generosity Offering UUA Disaster Relief Fund

In the month of September our generosity offering partner is the UUA Disaster Relief Fund. From climate-driven natural disasters like wildfires and hurricanes, to widespread human caused disasters like the collapsing infrastructure that we saw in Flint's water crisis, our congregations, our people, and our communities sustain the impact. Support of the Disaster Relief Fund allows the UUA to make grants to congregations, members, and communities in the wake of disaster, like the recent devastating wildfires in Maui. You can learn more about the fund here: www.uua.org/giving/areas-support/funds/disaster-response. You can donate on our [website](http://www.uua.org/giving/areas-support/funds/disaster-response), under gift designation select "Generosity."

The deadline for the next issue is:
September 20 (**Weds**) at 8 am

If you would like an
announcement placed
in the Window email:
rose@firstuusandiego.org

**Submission maximum is
60 words**

What's Happening?

South Bay Job Posting!

First UU Church of San Diego is hiring for a bilingual South Bay Ministry Assistant. The Assistant collaborates with Ministers and lay leaders to support the South Bay Campus with administrative support, volunteer coordination, communications, and logistics. 8 hours per week, \$20-22 per hour, Sundays required in-person from 9 am-1 pm, schedule negotiable for other hours. For the full job description and how to apply click [HERE](#). Please share with anyone who you think may be interested in applying.

Sharia's Closet

Past Generosity Offering partner Sharia's Closet is worthy of a donation! The emergency clothing provider has a matching funds opportunity [right now](#).

First UU SJET members visited Sharia's Closet in late 2021 and fell in love. If you haven't visited, Shamine Linton describes the [mission](#). Sharia's Closet Partners [describe the impact](#) of emergency clothing on their clients.

Why is there a Big Box on the Patio?

It's wonderful news! Jerry Thiebolt, our memorial wall and garden artist, will soon be installing our Memorial Garden's River of Life (path) and the Big Box contains what will be needed to accomplish this. Do you remember when many of us created our own designs on the many clay "bricks" back in 2018? Well, Jerry has kept them safe and is now ready to install these in a footpath going from the center of the memorial garden to our fountain. Robie has created a book of brick pictures that were taken when the bricks were created so you'll be able to look in the book, find pictures of your creations, then once the River of Life is complete, go and find your brick(s)! The book of brick pictures will be in the library in the Welcome Center.

Book Room!

Welcome! The Book Room is back in business; with fresh paint, new flooring, and a slew of good books! Cheers to Hugo - for painting; to Adrienne Kaplan, Valerie Jaques, Deirdre Lonergan, and Rose Van Oss - for purchasing and laying the floor; to Gail Edwards, and Rose Van Oss for shelving. To those generous people who donated much-needed money - sincere, and grateful thanks.

The book room will open half an hour before service and half an hour after service on Sundays.

Podcast

Listen to "The First Source" a podcast created by Tony Bianca in conversation with First UU congregants around issues of spirituality, church life, faith and life in general. Episode 7, an interview with new Assistant Minister, Rev Kristen Kuriga is available [HERE](#)!

Call into Zoom by phone at 1-669-900-6833

Animal Ministry Seeking Supply Donations!

The UU Animal Ministry of San Diego is seeking donations of fabric scraps, old sheets, pillows, blankets, clothes, etc. to be used in the crafting of pet beds that will be donated to local shelters. There will be a collection bin on the patio each Sunday until October 29. In November we will be holding a pet bed assembly party. Please watch future Windows for further information about the assembly party. Thanks so much!

Theatre Opportunity!

Roustabouts Theater has been rehearsing "The Savoyard Murders" in the Common Room and are offering a BOGO deal for First UU! To purchase tickets, visit <https://www.theroustabouts.org/savoyard> and use the code THEATERFRIENDS. Tony Bianca will be at the Sept 17, 2 pm show, but BOGO tickets are available for all shows.

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September 16, Saturday, 10 am, Bard Hall and Zoom at <https://bit.ly/UUSeniors>. Rev. Dr. Arvid Straube will lead a discussion on the future of Unitarian Universalism. Hosted by UU Seniors. Coffee and tea available at 9:45 am, in Bard Hall - come early and socialize! If you miss the program, the recording will be available on the website.

Hillcrest In-Person Social Hour

September 17, Sundays, following worship, Bard Hall. Join your community in Bard Hall after the service for coffee, snacks, and conversation.

Virtual Social Hour

September 17, Sundays, 11 am, bit.ly/FirstUU [SocialHour](#), Meeting ID 824 042 297. Password: FUUSD.

Update your confidential Personal Emergency sheets.
www.firstuusandiego.org/caring.html

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Bard Hall Art Guild

presents

Harvest of Art

*A celebration in paint, textile, ceramic and mixed media
of the beauty of the re-birth of Autumn*

September - October 2023

Artist Reception - Sept. 21, 6 - 8 PM



Work by
Aiden Marsh
Alexander Nichols
Betty Hageman
Bonita Johnson
Brendan Kerr
Carolyn Woodbury
Jacqueline Han



James Ferguson
Julie McKane
Katie Boskoff
Lori Lesage
Marla English
Therese Belanger
Thomas Tirado
John Keasler



**Bard Hall Gallery in the
First Unitarian Universalist Church of San Diego**

Social Justice Forum

Sunday, September 17, Sunday, 11:30 am — 12:45 pm, Bard Hall. Want to learn more about what our church and members are doing to fight for different social justice causes in our community, and how you can get involved? Join us for our Social Justice Forum and hear about it from the folks who make Action Teams and affiliate organizations run! Featuring presentations by the South Bay Food Pantry, Climate Justice Action Team, Rainbow Action Team, Reproductive Justice Action Team, Organizing 4 Justice, and more. Hosted by Social Justice Executive Team. All are welcome. Light snacks provided.

Open Heart Sangha

September 17, Sundays, weekly, 4 pm — 5:30 pm, Bard Hall. The Open Heart Sangha, practicing mindfulness meditation in the tradition of Thich Nhat Hanh. All are welcome! Contact Marge, margewur@gmail.com.

Friends of de Benneville Pines Meeting

September 17, Sunday, 5:30 pm — 8 pm, Andy and Marie French's house. Ingathering 5:30 om — 6 pm, Potluck Dinner 6 pm — 7 pm, Business meeting 7 pm — 8 pm. In-person only, no ZOOM. All Camp lovers welcome. For more information, contact John Schaibly at 858-997-3378.

Handbells

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Board Meeting

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Chalice Choir

September 20, Wednesdays, 7 pm — 8:30 pm, Bard Hall.

Bard Art Guild "Harvest" Reception

September 21, Thursday, 6 pm — 8 pm, Bard Hall. Meet the talented artists of Bard Hall for refreshments and good conversation. We are also seeking artists for our upcoming "holiday" show.

Memory Matters Gathering

September 22, second and fourth Fridays, 10 am — 11:30 am, online, with Kathy Gilbert, LCSW, and Gay Hybertsen, LCSW. This is a place for those who worry about memory problems and their care partners. The gathering enables members to learn to deal with the consequences of memory loss. Email hybertsen@att.net for the link.

Front Street Productions Presents!

September 22, Friday, 7:30 pm, Meeting House. Front Street Productions presents "Nishi La Tremenda – Opera Deconstructed." Anishka Lee-Skorepa is no stranger to our chancel stage. Her singing voice will focus on deconstructing opera into its most basic elements, with dynamic instrumentation and storytelling front and center. An artist with a foot in both worlds in the San Diego/Tijuana region. Don't miss this! You must register to attend this open-seating show through [Eventbrite](#). For more information, contact [Robie Evans](#).

Take it Away Day

September 23, Saturday, 8:30 am — 5 pm, Hillcrest Patio. We're cleaning out our spaces and need your help on. To help move things to the patio from 8:30 am — 11 am, contact tony@firstuusandiego.org. Come any time from 11 am — 5 pm to take any items you'd like for FREE!

Steps to Membership Meeting

September 24, fourth Sundays, 11:15 am, Room 323. Join Rose Littler-Riedel to learn about membership at First UU. Find out what membership is all about.

Bisexuality Day!

September 24, Sunday, during Social Hour, Patio. Rainbow Action invites all our allies and friends to come join us to help Celebrate Bisexuality Day! We'll have special treats, stickers, and information to help you better understand and support our Bisexual community. Please stop by and enjoy the party!

Investigating Abrahamic Religions Study Group

(Previously the UU Christian Study Group)

September 24, fourth Sundays, 12 pm, Room 321. Director of Lifespan Faith Formation, Tony Bianca, will lead a discussion of the first two chapters of *Genesis*. What happens when you think about the creation stories from a non-literal perspective? Is the snake really a villain? And what's that second forbidden tree all about? Come join us and find out!

Fall Transgender Inclusion Workshop

September 24, October 1, 8, 15, 22, 29, and November 5, Sundays, 1 pm — 2:30 pm, Zoom. Sign up now! Contact Les GrantSmith looscann@gmail.com or Louise Titlow lmittlow@gmail.com.

What's Happening?

Coping With Chronic Conditions Support Group

September 25, second and fourth Mondays, 1:30 pm — 3 pm, URL bit.ly/CopingCCGroup, or call 669-900-6833 with meeting ID 681-036-9317. New participants contact Chris Smith prior to attending at 619-300-7477 or email to discuss our covenant, mission statement, and password.

Fourth Monday Meeting of UU Men's Fellowship

September 25, fourth Mondays, potluck 5:30 pm, Morley Field (in front of the tennis courts).

Caregivers/Allies Support Group

September 26, second Mondays & fourth Tuesdays, 4 pm — 5:30 pm, zoom. The Caregivers/Allies Support Group is welcoming prospective new participants. For additional information about participating contact Les Vivian.

Organizing for Justice Meeting

September 28, fourth Thursdays, 6:45 pm, online. Please contact Newt Ferris for further information.

Chula Vista Art Fest

September 30, Saturday 12 pm — 9 pm, Chula Vista City Hall. Join us at the Chula Vista Art Fest! Visit the First UU exhibit, and explore the wonderful artists of Chula Vista! Contact rose to volunteer or for more info!

UU Animal Ministry of San Diego

October 1, first Sundays, 12 pm, Peace Garden. Join us as we work together to create an animal memorial garden. Bring garden tools, small live plants, stepping stones, pet memorial items, or just bring yourself! We will have plenty of tools to share. Contact rose@firstuusandiego.org.

Board Chat

October 1, first Sundays, 12:30 pm, bit.ly/FirstUUBoardChat, Meeting ID: 863 0218 5062 Passcode: 203946. Chat with a member of the Board.

Hillcrest Song Circle

October 1, first Sundays, 3 pm — 5 pm, Common Room. As always, bring your guitar/and or voice. We have music books but you may bring a song you would like to teach the group or a song you would like to perform for the group. Wombated@gmail.com or cmack5913@gmail.com.

ZUUMERS

October 1, first Mondays, 6 pm — 7 pm, online. We are a neighborhood group without borders. Join us for interesting conversation and sharing. Visit with old friends and meet new ones. For info and Zoom link, contact Claudia at obata.claudia@gmail.com.

Rainbow Action Group's Koffee Klatch

October 8, second Sundays, 11:15 am — 12:15 pm, Room 323. Our in-person Koffee Klatch will be upstairs in Room 323, so bring some refreshments and join us. All family, friends and allies are invited.

Covenant of UU Pagans (CUUPS) of San Diego

October 8, second Sundays, 12 pm, Common Room and Peace Garden. Join us as we create a natural ritual space in the Peace Garden! Bring garden tools, small plants, decor, or other items. We will also have items to share. Indoors we will have items used for divination and crafting magikal items. Contact rose@firstuusandiego.org.

UU Humanist Book Discussion Group

October 10, second Tuesdays, 6 pm, Room 320. For our first meeting we will discuss the [*The Good Book: A Humanist Bible*](#). Contact rose@firstuusandiego.org.

Finance Committee Meeting

October 12, Thursday, 6:30 pm, link in the members area of the [website](#). Non-committee members do not take part in discussions or have a vote.

Women Together Meeting

October 14, second Saturdays, 12 pm — 2 pm, Common Room. Come see old friends, meet new friends, and experience sharing and caring. Bring your favorite poem(s) and share why it is special and meaningful for you. For more information contact obata.claudia@gmail.com.

Worship Arts Workshop

October 14, Saturday, 9 am — 2 pm, Hillcrest Campus. Join the Ministers and Staff of First UU for this day focused on the various skills, arts and processes involved in planning and leading worship! This workshop is open to all! Register <https://form.jotform.com/232135155979059>

Kirtan And Chanting For Peace

October 14, second Saturdays, 6 pm — 7 pm, Common Room. Donation-based community event. Come and engage in the spiritual practice of Kirtan, a nondenominational practice that has been passed down since time immemorial and a constant in all paths and religions. Getting together as a group is a fun way to do this and we can sing mantras (transcendental spiritual sound vibrations) using all kinds of instruments and genres of music. Dancing and movement is highly encouraged!

The Keyboard Extravaganza

October 21, Saturday, 7 pm, Meeting House. Barbara Scheidker and Ken Herman will present Keyboard Extravaganza, a concert that joins all the First Unitarian Universalist Meeting House keyboards in delightful combinations. We will perform music for two organs, works for organ and piano, piano four-hand compositions, and to top it off—our own unique arrangements for dueling toy pianos. Where else could you experience this keyboard opulence? Our program will include exciting music by Antonio Soler, Franz Joseph Haydn, W. A. Mozart, and Maurice Ravel as well as contemporary composers Paul Halley and Charles Callahan and some tunes from the Great American Songbook. A freewill offering will benefit First UU's Partner Church program.

South Bay Campus

South Bay Neighborhood Group Potluck

September 24, Sunday, 2 pm — 5 pm, 2530 Coyote Ridge Ter, Chula Vista. Great conversations and good food. Bring your favorite food and drink to share. Bring an object or photo to talk about. RSVP to hosts: uuyankee@gmail.com, cbwoodbury@gmail.com, 619-370-9622, 619-370-9623.

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Gracias y Bendiciones

Saturdays, 9:45 am — 10 am, South Bay Campus. Every Saturday morning led by Social Justice Coordinator, Chris, and musicians from our FUUSD and South Bay worship teams. Saturday's services are bilingual.

South Bay Worship Gathering

Sundays, 10 am, South Bay Worship Hall. Join the South Bay community for Worship every Sunday.

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Sundays, 11:45 am — 1 pm, South Bay Campus. Contact Lorelei@firstuusandiego.org.

Social Justice

Reproductive Transparency Now

October 24, Tuesday, 6:30 pm — 8 pm, Zoom. Reproductive Transparency Now is a volunteer-run organization based in Chicago, focused on protesting and raising awareness about anti-abortion crisis pregnancy centers (CPCs), which are creating harmful barriers to abortion access in all 50 states. Representatives will talk with us about some of the deceptive tactics used to prevent individuals from accessing abortion and other reproductive care. This program is free and open to all ages, but we do accept free-will donations to help support our programming. Sign up [HERE](#) for zoom information.

Aids Walk

September 30, Saturday, [Join our team](#) for more detailed information. Come join Rainbow Action in participating and supporting the AIDS Walk. HIV is spreading to youth and young adult communities of color because of cultural reasons and lack of education. You can donate to help local HIV/AIDS service providers and educational outreach, honor or memorialize a beloved at our Unitarian Universalists Team page at:

<https://donate.thecentersd.org/team/520467>.

Family & Lifespan

Sunday RE

This Sunday, Sept 17th, we'll start our Fall RE Program with three Groups: Chalice Children (PreK - 1st); Riddle & Mystery (2nd - 5th) and Heeding the Call (Jr & Sr High). Our Coming of Age program will also begin this Sunday from 12:00 - 2:00 PM for those registered.

Support Our Youth

Shan and Bran Bates-Lamparella are performing in the musical "Bring It On." To get 2-for-1 tickets use the code brandonb [HERE](#).

Young Adult Group (ages 22 - 35)

Tuesdays, 5:30 pm — 7 pm, Room 114b. This is an open, welcoming space to share meaningfully, play games, consider social and climate justice issues, and plan events. If you are interested in gathering with us, contact Youth and Young Adult Coordinator, [Lara Anderson](#).

Youth Outing

September 16, Saturday, 9:30 am, South Bay Food Pantry. Youth aged 12-17 planned our next outing. We will meet at The Hillcrest Campus at 9:30 am where we will be carpooling to the South Bay campus. We will be present for a service, serve the community, and then enjoy a meal together. Expect your child(ren) back at Hillcrest for pick-up at 2:30 pm. Email lara@firstuusandiego.org.

Coming of Age

Announcing: "Coming of Age" will be offered to youth in grades 8 — 11. Five week program, including a (supervised) overnight experience, a social justice project and a ceremony in which youth will present a statement of faith. Youth meet with a mentor and religious education team while parents meet with an education team on:

- September 17th from 12 pm — 2 pm
- September 24th from 12 pm — 2 pm
- October 8th from 12 pm — 2 pm
- October 22nd from 12 pm — 2 pm
- November 5th from 12 pm — 2 pm

The overnight experience at church is on November 4th. The ceremony will take place during regular service hours on December 3rd. Contact: lara@firstuusandiego.org



South Bay Food Pantry News

You are the Pantry!

Food and diapers (and more) go to 400+ families each week through intensive efforts of a gazillion volunteers. Join us some Saturday morning? Prefer smaller groups or weekday volunteering? Available Friday or Saturday evenings? Or early Sunday mornings? Contact foodpantry@firstuusandiego.org to get on board.

The South Bay Food Pantry...

is located at 970 Broadway, Suite 101, Chula Vista 91911. Open to the public Saturdays 11 am — 12:30 pm. Contact foodpantry@firstuusandiego.org or 619-271-5017.

Food Pantry Collecting Supplies for Unsheltered Folk

Thanks for the plastic bags! The pantry can always use easy-open, no-cook food, hygiene items (soaps, toothbrushes & toothpaste, baby wipes, hand sanitizer), and adult diapers/briefs and other incontinence supplies. Drop off at Hillcrest on Sunday morning - the bin is now at the back of the meeting house.

How to Donate to the South Bay Food Pantry

Donate online or by check payable to FUUSD with "SB Food Pantry" in the memo. Mail to 4190 Front St., 92103.

Looking Glass Theatre Presents

WEEKEND REVUE STAGE & SCREEN

A PAY-WHAT-YOU-CAN MUSICAL FUNDRAISER

donate at the door — suggested donation \$20

Fri, Sept. 15 @ 7 pm

Sat, Sept. 16 @ 7 pm

Sun, Sept. 17 @ 4 pm



LookingGlassSD.org

Free parking!

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Hillcrest In Person & Simultaneous Livestream Worship

In person or [online](#) at 10 am! Outdoor viewing available.

South Bay Worship

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Our Staff

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<http://www.firstuusandiego.org/uus-of-the-south-bay>
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Contact the Main Office (Hillcrest Campus):

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