

The Window

A Weekly Publication



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.

October's Monthly Worship Theme: Heritage

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

South Bay Services
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October 29, 2023
"Making the World More Beautiful"
 Rev. Justine Sullivan, *Lead Minister*

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 Livestream of the Hillcrest Service

November 5, 2023
"We Remember Them"
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"Celebrating Día de los muertos"
 Rev. Kristen Kuriga, *Assistant Minister*

5th Sunday Generosity Offering
Partner Church — Romania

This special relationship with our Partner Congregation in Romania has lasted more than 25 years! We have the handmade cloth hymnbook covers, and the Weaving celebrating the 450th Anniversary of Unitarianism. In their new multi-purpose building is a social room, named "San Diego Friendship Hall," in recognition of our support. Today's Offering will help them help others. Donate on our [website](#), under gift designation select "Generosity."

The deadline for the next issue is: November 1 (**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?

Our Church Family

It is with a heavy heart that we share that **Rev. Dr. Carolyn Owen-Towle**, beloved minister emerita of this congregation, died on Monday, October 23. We will extinguish the chalice for Carolyn this Sunday, October 29 and Rev. Justine will be in Room 323 immediately following coffee hour (11:30 am — 12:30 pm) and on Zoom from 3 pm — 4 pm <https://bit.ly/3s5AL6u> to allow us the chance to be together, share memories, light a candle and offer prayers. The Celebration of Life is scheduled for Saturday, December 2 at 2 pm at the Hillcrest Campus.

Art & Collectibles Online Auction!

Do you have an antique, piece of art, or a collectible that you would like to re-home for a good cause? Are you downsizing? Are you a fabulous artist? We need your donations!

How It Works:

1. Submit your items using our simple form.
2. Keep the items until the auction closes.
3. You and the winner arrange pick-up or delivery.

Bid on Amazing Items

Our members are travelers and collectors! Don't miss this rare opportunity to find unique gifts for art lover and pick up antiques and collectibles with no dealer markups for the holidays. All proceeds go to the First UU general fund. Save the date...online catalog opens Black Friday, November 24th and runs for two weeks. **Submit your donations** and **sign up to bid**.

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 on Sundays until October 29.

10-17-23 Board Meeting Review and Digest!

- Approval of Rev. Dr. Everett Howe as a Community Affiliate Minister
- Update on the South Bay Lease
- Board Retreat Part II will happen on Oct. 28
- Gratitude expressed for South Bay Quinceanera
- Successful start to our 2024 Pledge Drive
- Need communications team to manage the message around Stay/Go
- Approval to bring staff up to UUA salary guidelines
- Discussed changes to a few areas of the Constitution including revising what constitutes a quorum for congregational meetings.
- "State of the Church" congregational meeting to be held on January 28th

Wisdom Circles

2023-2024 Wisdom Circle Registration is Now Open! Join us for a new year of inspiring conversations and fellowship. Each month offers the gift of connecting with members of our beloved community to discuss inspiring and important issues, and revel in the wisdom that emerges. Wisdom Circles will begin this November! To register, or to find more information, visit [HERE](#).

Meet our new South Bay Ministry Assistant!

Corina Macias is our new South Bay Ministry Assistant and will be with us on Sundays supporting the South Bay Campus with administrative, logistics, and communication support. See below for a note from Corina:

Hi, I'm Corina A. Macias, and I feel very blessed to be able to join the staff of First UU. A brief history; my parents immigrated to the U.S. from Mexico. My six brother's and I are the first born generation in the U.S. This has led me to pursue a career working as a Legal Assistant for an immigration law firm. During my free time I enjoy spending time with my nieces and nephews, playing with my three dogs, and cooking. My end goal is to work at a place where not only I can help others but where I can keep learning from others and keep growing as a person.

Spaces Left! D4\$ Lawn Bowling Adventure Nov. 18

Saturday, November 18th, 1 pm – 3 pm, Balboa Park. Anyone can come! Please donate \$25 to D4\$ to attend a fun-filled event. Lawn Bowling at the Lawn Bowling Club at Balboa Drive and El Prado. We will offer light snacks and beverages during play. For more information, contact **Robie Evans**.

Annual Pledge Drive Lunch – Nov. 5th!

Sunday, Nov. 5th, after worship, Bard Hall. Please join us for a Chef Tyger-prepared vegan chili and vegan cornbread lunch with fruit on Sunday, Nov. 5th in celebration of our 2024 annual pledge drive. We'll have a testimonial and give you all the deets on how our pledging is going. You won't want to miss this!

Sharia's Closet

Volunteer with Laurie at Sharia's Closet! Let's find a weekday afternoon to go together to sort and organize donated emergency clothing at Sharia's Closet near SDSU. Email Laurie Gerber gerbl@pacbell.net, to plan our outing. Sharia's Closet affirms the inherent dignity and worth of every person.

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 Assistant Minister, Rev. Kristen Kuriga is available [HERE!](#)

Do You Need to Add Your Group to the Window?

Send your info to **Rose** to be included in The Window!

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Halloween Ice Cream Social This Sunday, 10/29!

Help send a teen to Camp de Benneville. Bring cash to social hour this Sunday to enjoy a holiday treat.

Memory Matters Gathering

October 27, 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.

Hillcrest In-Person Social Hour

October 29, Sundays, following worship, Bard Hall. Join your community in Bard Hall after the service for coffee, snacks, and conversation.

Virtual Social Hour

October 29, Sundays, 11 am, bit.ly/FirstUUSocialHour, Meeting ID 824 042 297. Password: FUUSD. Come one, come all to virtual Social Hour, and share your thoughts about the service or whatever is on your mind each Sunday just after the service. Let's keep connecting!

Open Heart Sangha

October 29, 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.

Women's Choir

October 30, Mondays, 7 pm, Bard Hall. Join this warm and welcoming group of women who create community through joyful, spirit-filled singing. No prior singing experience is required.

Chalice Choir

November 1, Wednesdays, 7 pm, Bard Hall. Join us for singing and fun with First UU's largest musical ensemble. All God's critters got a place in the choir - come and take yours! No prior singing experience is required.

Emma's Revolution Celebration Concert for First Unitarian's 150th Anniversary

November 4, Saturday, 7:30 pm, Meeting House. Known for fearless, truth-telling lyrics and melodies you can't resist singing, Emma's Revolution is the award-winning activist duo of Pat Humphries & Sandy O. With one eye on the news, they consistently write songs about critical issues happening in the world and enthusiastically lend their voices to the movements those issues inspire. Their songs have traveled around the world inspiring countless social justice and environmental achievements. Admission free, and [registration](#) is required.

UU Animal Ministry of San Diego

November 5, first Sundays, 12 pm, Room 323. Join us as we create pet beds using the supplies donated during September and October! Pet beds will be donated to our local animal shelters. Contact rose@firstuusandiego.org.

Board Chat

November 5, first Sundays, 12:30 pm, bit.ly/FirstUUBoardChat, ID: 863 0218 5062 Passcode: 203946.

Hillcrest Song Circle

November 5, 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

November 5, first Sundays, 6 pm — 7:30 pm, online. We are a neighborhood group online. 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.

5th Tuesday Board Meeting now on 11-07-23!

November 7, Tuesday, 6:30 pm, [online](#). Due to the 5th Tuesday of October falling on a holiday we will be meeting on November 7 instead!

Neighborhood Group without Borders

November 8, second Wednesdays, 11 am — 1 pm, 4349 Adams Ave, San Diego, CA 92116. Susan Riegel Harding invites you to a brown bag lunch. We can chat, play games, or plant succulents, whatever we feel like doing. Meet new people while Neighborhood Groups are being formally organized. Coffee, water, and other beverages will be provided. Text RSVP to 619-987-6234.

Book Club

November 9, Thursday, 6 pm, Zoom. Join us for a discussion of "Testaments" by Margaret Atwood. It's the follow up to "The Handmaid's Tale." For questions or the link contact [Mina](#).

Women Together Meeting

November 11, second Saturdays, 12 pm — 2 pm, Common Room. Come see old friends, meet new friends, and experience sharing and caring. We will share our favorite travel memories and talk about special places we've been. For more information, contact obata.claudia@gmail.com.

Kirtan And Chanting For Peace

November 11, second Saturdays, 6 pm — 7 pm, Common Room. *Donation-based community event.* Engage in the spiritual practice of Kirtan, a nondenominational practice that has been a constant in all paths and religions. Getting together as a group is a fun way to do this and we can sing mantras using all kinds of instruments and genres of music. Dancing and movement is highly encouraged!

Rainbow Action Group's Koffee Klatch

November 12, second Sundays, 11:15 am — 12:15 pm, Room 323. Bring some refreshments and join us. All family, friends and allies are invited.

Follow us on Instagram [@firstuusd](#) and [@uus_south_bay](#)

What's Happening?

Covenant of UU Pagans (CUUPS) of San Diego

November 12, second Sundays, 12 pm, Common Room and Peace Garden. We will continue to work on the Peace Garden as we are able! Indoors we will have items for divination and crafting. We will discuss what we would like to do for Yule. Contact rose@firstuusandiego.org.

The Fight for Clean Water in San Diego

November 12, Sunday, 3:30 pm, <https://bit.ly/1stUUClimateJustice>. Phillip Musegaas, Executive Director of San Diego Coastkeeper, will discuss Coastkeeper's work to protect and restore fishable, swimmable and drinkable waters in San Diego County. Coastkeeper has been a major force in transforming the San Diego region into a leader in sustainable water management, protecting a healthy environment that supports high biodiversity.

Coping With Chronic Conditions Support Group

November 13, 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.

Caregivers/Allies Support Group

November 13, 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.

UU Humanist Book Discussion Group

November 14, second Tuesdays, 6 pm, Room 320. For our next meeting we will discuss [*Becoming More Fully Human: Religious Humanism as a Way of Life*](#). Contact rose@firstuusandiego.org.

Finance Committee Meeting

November 16, 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.

Swap Meet for Fun Things to Do

November 18, Saturday, 10 am, Bard Hall and <https://bit.ly/UUSeniors>. UU members Alice and Doug Diamond will lead a program on fun things to do around San Diego. It will be a swap meet for suggestions of free or low-cost activities, so have your own ideas ready. Hosted by UU Seniors. Coffee and tea available at 9:45 am, in Bard Hall - come early and socialize! All are welcome! The recording will be available on the website.

Board Meeting

November 21, Tuesday, 6:30 pm, online. Open to congregants. Link in the [website](#) member area.

Medical Equipment for Loan

Our church has an inventory of medical equipment for loan. If you would like to borrow a wheelchair, walker, crutches, knee scooter, toilet riser, bedside commode, etc., call Chris Smith 619-300-7477 or Peggy Holl 619-787-5770.

Steps to Membership Meeting

November 26, 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.

Investigating Abrahamic Religions Study Group

November 26, fourth Sundays, 12 pm, Room 321. We will explore a topic in Judaism. Join us!

Fourth Monday Meeting of UU Men's Fellowship

November 27, fourth Mondays, potluck 6 pm, Common Room. We meet for a potluck from 6 pm to 7 pm and a Monthly meeting from 7 pm to 9 pm. Visit the UUMF table on the patio or contact jcksdca@gmail.com for more info.

Tree Decorating & Sing-Along

December 15, 6 pm — 8 pm, Bard Hall. We'll decorate our tree and sing some holiday favorites around the piano with Drew! Bring your favorite holiday foods to share or just come along and join in the holiday cheer.



First
Unitarian Universalist
Church of San Diego

South Bay Campus

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

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

South Bay Neighborhood Group Potluck

October 29, Sunday, 2 pm — 5 pm, Peggy Holl's Home in Chula Vista. RSVP to Steve & Terry at tmwtmw222@gmail.com, 619-213-4913, or 619-213-4912 to be given the address. Please bring your favorite finger food or prepared food and drink to share.

Celebrating Día de los muertos / Day of the Dead at South Bay

We will have our Día de los muertos service on Sunday, November 5 at the South Bay Campus. As we honor and connect to our beloved dead, please bring photos, mementos, food and flowers to add to the ofrenda during the service.

Save the Date

Our Holiday Tamalada is returning on Saturday, December 9th from 1 pm — 6 pm. More details coming soon!

Social Justice

Pilgrimage to Heal Our Communities

October 26 — October 29. A four-day pilgrimage led by the Interfaith Movement for Human Integrity will be moving through the Central Valley/Southwest Border region of California starting Oct 26, and is holding its concluding event in San Diego on Sunday, Oct 29. The "Ceremony to Resist Borders and Bars" will be held at the Otay Mesa Detention Center from 10 am to 12 pm, and the community event "Building Community to Resist Borders and Bars" will be held near the fountain at Chicano Park (on National Ave) from 1 pm to 3 pm. See the flyer [HERE](#). More info [HERE](#).

Climate Action: Photos from The Anthropocene

James Balog: Photographs from the Anthropocene vividly shows the impact of our human activity on nature. The exhibit's innovative imagery is an eyeopener on our environmental destruction and climate change through wildfires, vanishing ice, technology, altered earth and endangered species. See what has changed, what's survived, and what is projected for the future. Visit now at MOPA (Photography Museum) San Diego Museum of Art in Balboa Park through March 10, 2024.



Cluster News

Mark Your Calendars for the next Concert at Summit!

DATE CORRECTION - November 25, Saturday, 7 pm, Summit UU Fellowship. A very "Merry" *Mean Mary* show! Joined by her brother, Frank James, Mean Mary will be playing crowd favorites along with some holiday classics, and a few of *Mean Mary's* brand-new Christmas originals! Tickets sold on the Summit Campus the Sunday before the concert, also at the door the night of the concert, and you can purchase them [online](#), choose the "Give to Concert Series" in the dropbox. SUUFVolunteer@yahoo.com.

Our Larger Faith

Primer Leadership Experience

October 25, Wednesday, 4 pm, online. The Primer LE is a self-paced experience with recorded lectures, supplemental materials, and one online group processing session. The topics covered in the Primer LE are UU Theology, Covenant, and UU History. This is appropriate for UU's of all ages. Learn more [HERE](#).

South Bay Food Pantry News

You are the Pantry!

Food and diapers go to 400+ families each week through intensive efforts of a gazillion volunteers. Join us Saturday morning, Friday or Saturday evening, or Sunday morning! Contact foodpantry@firstuusandiego.org.

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

The pantry can always use easy-open, no-cook food, hygiene items, and adult incontinence supplies. Drop off in Hillcrest on Sunday morning as you enter the Meeting House (there's a bin!).

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. Drop by or check ahead with foodpantry@firstuusandiego.org.

Food Distribution

Saturdays, 11 am — 1 pm, South Bay Campus. Volunteers should arrive by 10:30 am to staff a station. Children and youth under 18 may volunteer with a parent. Check ahead with foodpantry@firstuusandiego.org.

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.

Family & Lifespan

Sunday RE

This Sunday, October 29, we'll continue our Fall RE Program with three Groups: Chalice Children (PreK - 1st); Riddle & Mystery (2nd - 5th) and Heeding the Call (Jr & Sr High).

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](#).

Halloween Party

October 27, Friday, 6 pm — 8 pm, Hillcrest Campus. All are invited to join us for food, pumpkin painting, games, crafts, dancing and more. All ages are welcome. Costumes are encouraged but not required. RSVP to kate@firstuusandiego.org.

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EMMA'S REVOLUTION

**7:30 PM
SATURDAY
NOVEMBER 4TH
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First UU Church of San Diego in Hillcrest - Free Admission - Registration Required

PILGRIMAGE to HEAL OUR COMMUNITIES

**END ICE DETENTION
PONGAMOS FIN A LA DETENCIÓN**

**BUILD THRIVING COMMUNITIES
CONSTRUYENDO COMUNIDADES PRÓSPERAS**

Join Us in San Diego October 29th

**ACTION CALL: Divest from For-Profit
Carceral Industries Now!**

10:00 am to 12:00 pm

Otay Mesa Detention Center
7488 Calzada De La Fuente, San Diego, CA

**¡ACCIÓN para Desinvertir en las Industrias
Carcelarias!**

10:00 am a 12:00 pm

Centro de Detención de Mesa
7488 Calzada De La Fuente, San Diego, CA

**Community Lunch & HEAL Organizing Launch
w/Danza Azteca Calpulli Mexihca**

1:00 pm to 3:00 pm

Chicano Park Meet by Fountain on National Ave

**Almuerzo comunitario y lanzamiento de
organización de HEAL**

Con Danza Azteca Calpulli Mexihca

1:00 pm a 3:00 pm

Chicano Park Reunión junto a la fuente
de la avenida Nacional

For more information:

bit.ly/Pilgrimage2HEAL

Co-Sponsors:
Free Them All San Diego
Shut Down Otay
Detention Resistance



Week at a Glance Calendar

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Sunday, October 29, 2023

Hillcrest In Person & Simultaneous Livestream Worship

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

South Bay Worship

Sundays, 10 am, South Bay Worship Hall.

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Rev. Kristen Kuriga, *Assistant Minister*
Swamini Adityananda Saraswati, *Intern Minister*
Rev. Jim Grant and Rev. Lone Broussard, *Affiliate Ministers*
Rev. Bonnie Tarwater, Rev. Dr. Everett Howe,
Rev. Frank Placone-Willey, Rev. Julie Forest
and Rev. Katy Swanson, *Community Ministers*
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Tomás Acosta, *Collaborative Pianist*

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Contact the Main Office (Hillcrest Campus):

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www.firstuusandiego.org

Office Hours:

Tuesday—Friday, 10 am to 2 pm and Sunday after Services

Contact the South Bay Campus (Chula Vista):

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