



NEIGHBORHOOD UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST CHURCH

Announcements

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TODAY – MARCH 7, 2010

The **GLOBE Forum**, for "Global and Local Opinions Based on Evidence," will meet today at 10:30 a.m. in the Neighborhood House Dining Room. Common reading, as always, will be recent issues of the *ECONOMIST*. For info contact Jack Wills at jwills@usc.edu.

VOYAGers, the Very Old Young Adult Group, will hold its **monthly brunch** following the 2nd service (1:15 p.m.). If you are in your 20s or 30s, this is the group for you! The group will be meeting at the Brookside Restaurant at the golf course (1133 Rosemont Avenue, (626) 795-0631).

Go Wild at the Neighborhood Market Today! New Organic Wild Rooibos Pyramid Tea is only harvested by a few farmers in the entire world. This rich, red tea has a fruity character with vanilla overtones and is naturally caffeine free. Rooibos contains antioxidants, which are known to promote good health. This 100% small farmer tea comes in special pyramid-shaped biodegradable bags that allow for larger leaf teas and better extraction.

Esperanza House Building April 16 – 18. Sign up today for the next house building trip to Tijuana. Neighborhood Church members travel to Tijuana and help construct homes with and for families in the underserved communities of Tijuana. If you would like to attend please sign up at the Social Justice Tables on the patio--minimum age is 14yrs. There will be a non-refundable \$50 signup fee--with scholarships available. For more info contact Tres Izzard, tres.izzard@gmail.com or wendywilson@verizon.net or bcolcord@uuneighborhood.org.

Come Build for Habitat for Humanity - On Saturday, March 27, Neighborhood Church is slated to provide 10 volunteers for the Habitat for Humanity Kenwood Build in Glendale. There will be a sign up sheet at the Social Justice Tables on Sundays. You must be 16 or older to participate with 16 and 17 yr olds needing to be accompanied by an adult. Habitat's Safety Policy and Build Release Forms will be available to fill out upon signing up. Volunteers arrive at the site at 7:45 a.m. and finish around 12:00 p.m. All skills are needed, with none required. Here's a chance to help deserving Habitat families in our local communities. Questions, bcolcord@earthlink.net or call (626) 449-3470 ext. 18.

Is your kitchen missing something? Spring cleaning has been occurring all over Neighborhood Church and we have found many dishes, plates, mugs, and serving ware items that have been left. Please stop by the cart on the patio after services and check to see if anything belongs to you. Please reclaim your missing items on March 7 & March 21. Anything unclaimed after those dates will be free for the taking by church members on March 28. Thank you!

See **A Little Black History**, an art display by Glenda Hooker, today in Ross Chapel. Depictions include the Montgomery Bus Boycott, Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Thurgood Marshall, and many more.

THIS WEEK

California's Prisons: Who's Getting Mugged? Tuesday, March 9 at 7:00 p.m. Will be held at Scott United Methodist Church, 444 N. Orange Grove Blvd. Hear Craig Gilmore of *The California Prison Moratorium Project* talk about how California can get out of the prison mess we're in. All are welcome. Sponsored by ACLU-SC Pasadena/Foothills Chapter. For more information, please go to <http://www.aclu-sc.org/pasadena>.

Spirit in Practice - second session: Communal worship practices. Wednesday, March 10 at 7:00 p.m. in the sanctuary. Don't worry if you missed session one. Stop by the Lifelong Learning Table to register and collect handouts.

Singleterians game night Friday, March 12, at 7:00 p.m., in Neighborhood House. For more information, please contact Dianne Franks at slovz@hotmail.com.

UPCOMING EVENTS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

World Water Day & Forum - On March 14, following the Canvass Sunday service, join Rev. Hannah Petrie at the Los Angeles Natural History Museum (900 Exposition Boulevard, Los Angeles, CA 90007) for the Sustainable Sunday Water Festival! A great event for families, the event will feature food, music, booths, and movies, plus a UULM-sponsored Water Justice Forum at 1:30 p.m. that Hannah will moderate. Be part of an afternoon of activism, celebration, and learning! Check it out: www.worldwaterdayla.com.

Volunteers are needed to wear La Gotita, the gigantic mascot water drop. We will have a team of people switching off between 12:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m. Let Hannah know if interested in the fun: hpetrie@uuneighborhood.org.

UPCOMING EVENTS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS (CONTINUED)

Calling all **NUUC Scroungers** to donate items to the **ACAC (Alliance for the Care of Abused Children) Spring/Easter basket program** for the 2nd year. Please drop off items at the large decorated box in Neighborhood House March 7 - March 26. Needed: school & art supplies, small stuffed animals, individually-wrapped candy or healthy snacks, supermarket and Target gift cards (\$10-25 value), plenty of colored cellophane to keep the items together, and 16 medium-sized baskets which will be sorted and decorated by March 27 by the first Tuesday night Chalice Circle for delivery the week before Easter. Children's ages range from 1 year old to teens. Contact Gillian Symonds at persymon@earthlink.net for details, or Lynn Miyamoto at COCOSARA@aol.com to sign up for the Scrounger email list.

Elementary OWL begins this month. There is a Mandatory Parent/Child Orientation and official registration forms will be available at those meetings. 1st grade orientation will be held on Sunday, March 21 from 10:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. in room 2 and the 4th/5th orientation will be held Sunday, March 28 from 1:00 p.m. - 3:30 p.m. in the Music Room. Families registered in our YRE program will also receive information in the mail and by email. Please RSVP for these orientations by signing-up at the lifelong learning table or emailing Sara LaWall slawall@uuneighborhood.org.

Neighborhood People of Color will host the screening of two films and a conversation on racism and White Privilege on March 28 (please note the date change) at 3:00 p.m. in Ross Chapel. "Mirrors of Privilege: Making Whiteness Visible" (50 min.) and "Shades of Youth: Youth Speak on Racism, Power and Privilege" (30 min.) will be shown.

7th Principle Tip: The Southern California Gas Company website (socalgas.com) offers a number of resources to help you get started. You can take a survey (printed or online) that helps you assess where most of your energy goes. They also provide info on how to get rebates and tax credits for upgrading to higher efficiency appliances (e.g. up to \$200 for a tankless hot water heater). They even have a program that offers financing for upgrades.



The Pastoral Care Teams and volunteers from the church community are here to help you in times of crisis or need. We can provide meals, rides, do errands and/or one-on-one support. Please call the church at (626) 449-3470 ext. 27 or contact Lyn Munro, Libby Meyer or Sue Iri.

Preparing to Talk to Your Doctor – Sunday, March 14, Ross Chapel, 12:00 p.m. (right after the Canvass Sunday Brunch). A repeat of a very popular presentation and Q&A from about 3 years ago that was (and is again) sponsored by the Pastoral Care Committee.

UPCOMING SERVICE SCHEDULE

March 14: Celebration Sunday – Strong Today, Stronger Tomorrow

Rev. Dr. Jim Nelson, Rev. Hannah Petrie, Intern Minister Marisol Caballero

One service only at 10:00 a.m. – Daylight Savings Time begins (please remember to move clock forward one hour)

MEMBERS AND FRIENDS WHO ARE SERVING TODAY

Infant Care: Evelyn Espinosa

Pre-School: Javier Hernandez, Cathy Jimenez, Claudia Zaragoza

Chalice Children: Carolyn Brunetto, Vivien Hoang, Les Hunter

K-1: (9:30) Julie Hiroto, Holly Horton, Julie Livzey, Margot Riemer (11:30) Lee Brainerd, Susan Castle, Brenda Dillon

2-3: (9:30) Mary Brennan, James Coomes, Laurie Kovalenko, Jim Schnobrich, Todd Ward

(11:30) Christine Ferriter, Dianne Franks, Holly Hall, Nancy Nielson Brown

4-5: (9:30) Irene Burkner, Kathy Cole, Ben Lopez, Rachel Lopez

(11:30) Lauren Eaton, Justin Levy, Meg Roburn

6-7: (9:30) Bob Barber, Diane Fisher, Anne Franck, David Shechtman (11:30) Rachel M. Ramirez, Maggie Potthoff, Marsha Smith

8 ROP: (11:30 only) Michael Alvarado, Steve Ellison, Pamela Miller, Sam Westcott

Senior High: (11:30 only) Noel Hernandez, Erin Lindsay, Kit Petrie, Josh Stallings

Jr. High OWL: Kathy Goodson, Rick Mitchell, Bill Work

Sr. High OWL: Beth Colcord, Michelle Lang, Josh Stallings

Stephen Grimm, Music Director Audrey Vaughn, Bell Choir Director

Soprano: Hannelore Bauer, Samela Beasom, Christina Boothman, Diana Fiore, Karen Glasgow, Toni LeBel, Lee McNall, Britt-Nicole Peterson, Beth Powers, Meghann Robern, Monica Villegas, Lynn Walford, Sara Willard, Elizabeth Yeakle, Linda Zinn

Alto: Jane Conner, Patricia Earnshaw, Joan Ellison, Connie Hood, Esther Martin, June Manners, Sue, Mennear, Lupe Moore, Robin Robinson, Linda Stowitts, MaryElla Van Voorhis, Melva Watts, Edwenna Werner, Carla Willis

Tenor: Franz Brightbill, John Gallogly, Grady Goddard, Jody Golightly, Tom Stowitts, Cesareo Perez

Bass: Mark Beasom; Joe Goddard, Robert Holmes, John Huetinck; John Kimball, David Tomlinson, Bill DePoto

FLOWERS: Jo Kehoe

SOUND & LIGHTING:

9:30am Cheryl Revkin

11:30am Cheri Gaulke

USHERS:

9:30am Mark Cohn, Jennifer Eich, Mimi Hennessy, Tracy King

11:30am Larry Eggers, Sandy Hume, Ned Racine, Mary Rider

WELCOME TABLE:

9:30am Carol Lim

11:30am Kim Wilkinson

GREETERS:

11:30am Carol and Wesner Louissaint

CHOICES FOR NEWCOMERS:

11:30am Mia Lee

SUNDAY SUPPORT STAFF: Alyssa Bellew

CUSTODIAN: Miguel Mendoza

COFFEE SERVERS:

9:30am Karen Glasgow & Sharon Murphy
Cheryl Revkin

11:30am Carol and Dick Bennett

NEIGHBORHOOD MARKET: *between services*
Phoebe Conn

SOCIAL JUSTICE TABLE:

9:30am Delphine and Matthew Vasko

11:30am Tres Izzard

If you would like to learn more about our church and Unitarian Universalism, please stop by the Welcome Table after the service