



## NEIGHBORHOOD UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST CHURCH

Announcements

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### TODAY – AUGUST 1, 2010

Come brainstorm for the new **Women's Group of Neighborhood Church!** Women! After the service today, come to Room 23, upstairs (elevator available) in the Programs Building in the corner, to brainstorm ideas for Neighborhood Church's new Women's Group. We will begin around 11:15 a.m. and end by 12:45 p.m. Can't make it? Let the Membership Table on the patio know that you are interested in receiving future emails about the Women's Group activities or email Rev. Hannah Petrie directly at [hpetrie@uuneighborhood.org](mailto:hpetrie@uuneighborhood.org).

The **GLOBE Forum** will meet today at 11:00 a.m. in the Neighborhood House Living Room. Common reading, as always, will be recent issues of the *ECONOMIST*. For information contact Jack Wills at [jwills@usc.edu](mailto:jwills@usc.edu).

If you recently ordered a **new nametag**, please stop by the welcome table to pick it up. And if you need a new one, the helpful folks at the table can assist you.

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### THIS WEEK

**Social Justice Knitting** continues August 4 at 7:00 p.m. in the Neighborhood House Living Room. Knit to meet the urgent needs of impoverished people. Melinda Goddard at [melinda.goddard@clearmansrestaurants.com](mailto:melinda.goddard@clearmansrestaurants.com).

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### UPCOMING EVENTS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Get Reengaged Day - An Opportunity to Build Skills to Organize for Justice** - On August 21 the Unitarian Universalist Fellowship of Laguna will be hosting the UULM Get Reengaged one-day training designed to help congregations engage in marriage equality work in their local community. The training will be 9:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. with costs of \$10 to cover training materials. Please register through [www.uulmca.org](http://www.uulmca.org) as soon as possible to reserve a spot.

**Sunday morning Youth Religious Education teachers needed!** We still need teachers! Consider joining a team, the commitment is manageable and curriculum is provided. Teaching is a great way to learn more about Unitarian Universalism and to deepen your own spiritual journey. Please visit the Lifelong learning table for more information or contact Sara LaWall at [slawall@uuneighborhood.org](mailto:slawall@uuneighborhood.org).

Sara LaWall, Director of Religious Education, was in Phoenix, AZ, joining fellow UU's, other organizations, and hundreds of people to stand witness for the National Day of Non-Compliance for SB1070.

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**Neighborhood Book Group August Books** - July 26, August 2 & 9 *Crossing Mandelbaum Gate* by Kai Bird, August 16, 23 *A Place of Greater Safety: A Novel* by Hilary Mantel. The NC Book Group meets on Mondays from 7:00 to 8:30 p.m., at the home of John and Ann Hunnewell, 171 Melrose Ave., Monrovia 91016. (Melrose runs north of Foothill Blvd., just west of the Aztec Hotel parking lot.) For further information, contact John Hunnewell, (626) 359-5825, e-mail [ahwell@aol.com](mailto:ahwell@aol.com).

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**7<sup>th</sup> Principle tip:** Do you know what happens to the household batteries you recycle? First they are trucked to a plant in British Columbia, then they are burned in a gas fired thermal oxidizer to remove the plastic and insulation and the resulting gases neutralized in a scrubber. The now 'cleaned' cells are chopped into small pieces which are heated until the metal liquefies...and eventually the various metals are recovered and sold. Rechargeable batteries are recycled in the same way but instead of one use, today's rechargeable hybrid Nickel Metal Hydride (NiMH) batteries can be reused up to 1000 times. They work well in almost all applications including "low drain" items such as remotes and flashlights because they can now hold their charge for many months which is why they now arrive already charged. Average cost is \$2.50 to \$3 each and can be bought online in kits that include the charger. Average charge time for AA batteries is 4 hours. So, one use or nearly 1000? You choose.

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**3 New volunteer opportunities available in the church office.** Great environment, friendly people, and mindful, meditative tasks that help the church make a difference in the world. General office duties to support the church's financial and communications functions. Must commit to 3-6 hours per week for at least 3 months, Tuesday or Thursday. Please review the complete volunteer job descriptions on our website at:

<http://uuneighborhood.org/getconnected/volunteering.htm>. Contact Alyssa Bellew at 626-449-3470 X 11 or [abellew@uuneighborhood.org](mailto:abellew@uuneighborhood.org) to apply.

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The **Pastoral Care Teams and volunteers** from the church are here to help you in times of crisis or need. We can provide meals, rides, do errands, and/or one-on-one support. "Members helping members." Call the church at (626) 449-3470, ext. 27.

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## UPCOMING SERVICE SCHEDULE

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August 8: Surplus Anxieties **Service at 10:00 a.m.**

Marisol Caballero, Summer Minister

*2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday Offering to benefit the UUA*

### Summer Schedule (June 14 -Sept. 5)

Worship: 1 Service at 10:00 a.m.

Office: Monday - Thursday 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.

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## MEMBERS AND FRIENDS WHO ARE SERVING TODAY

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**Infant Care:** Evelyn Espinosa

**Pre-School:** Cathy Jimenez, Claudia Zaragoza

**Chalice Children:** Vivien Hoang

**Summer YRE Staff:** Phoebe Conn, Katherine Donnelly-Crocker

**6<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> Grade:** Michael Alvarado, Lauren Eaton, Anne Franck, Terri Hopper, Tres Izzard

**Senior High:** Erin Lindsay, Kit Petrie, Josh Stallings

**FLOWERS:** Robin Stafford

**SOUND & LIGHTING:** Cheryl Revkin

**USHERS:** Irene Burkner, Mark Cohn, Tracy King, Mary Rider

**SUNDAY SUPPORT STAFF:** Anna Cremarosa

**CUSTODIAN:** Miguel Mendoza

**WELCOME TABLE:** Mia Lee

**GREETERS:** Carol and Wes Louissaint

**CHOICES FOR NEWCOMERS:** George Scherer

**SOCIAL JUSTICE:** Delphine and Matthew Vasko

**COFFEE SERVERS:** Laura Hartman, Cheryl Revkin

**MARKET:** Phoebe Conn

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