

Sunday Services for July

Sunday, July 6 – 10:30 a.m.

Lemons Into Lemonade – Jana Kirk-Levine

Sunday, July 13 – 10:30 a.m.

Crucial Role of Ownership in Conservation – Archie Mossman

Sunday, July 20 – 10:30 a.m.

Thoughts from a Dissident Protestant Alien – Veronica Galiani

Longtime HUUF member Veronica Galiani will offer her reflections of a “Pagan/Church of England (Agnostic) state of mind,” with Fellowship participation in a lively exchange of ideas, thoughts and music.

Sunday, July 27 – 10:30 a.m.

The Mendicant Minister – Shawn Nichols, MDiv, MSW

Shawn will describe his sideways journey from ministering at HUUF in the 1970s to the present day. He will reflect on changes in our rituals and organization in the intervening years and on his current involvement with the broader UU community.

Shawn has been a HUUF member since he was our minister for three years beginning in 1975. He graduated from Starr King in 1974 and received his MSW from Sacramento State University. He is retired from a career as a social worker dealing with substance abuse and child welfare.

Sunday Services for August

Sunday, Aug 3 – 10:30 a.m. In the Seventieth August – Chip Sharpe

HUUF member Chip Sharpe will lead the congregation in a participation service exploring how Unitarian Universalism shapes our understanding of the August 1945 bombings of Hiroshima and Nagasaki.

Sunday, Aug. 10 – 10:30 a.m. Books That Have Transformed Our Lives – Valerie Gizinski

Sometimes it is the book, and sometimes it is the time in our lives when we are most open to new ways of perceiving the world; when both coincide, it can be a profound experience. Please come and tell us about that dearly loved book that you have dog-eared, highlighted and re-read until it is falling apart. What does it say to your heart and soul? Perhaps it can inspire us, too. Valerie Gizinski has been a Fellowship member since 1995, along with her husband, Pat. Her daughters, Navarra and Lili, grew up in HUUF's RE. Her work in Humboldt County has been in biology and planning.

Sunday, Aug. 17 – 10:30 a.m. Recovering Evangelical – Pat McCutcheon

Drawing on several of her poems, HUUF member Pat McCutcheon will consider her spiritual evolution and the role Unitarian Universalism played in furthering it.

Sunday, Aug. 24 – 10:30 a.m. Learning To Interact In the World – Wendy Rowan

We all have stories about key experiences that helped us to become adults. For many of us, Unitarian Universalist values have informed these experiences. Wendy Rowan will facilitate this participatory service. Bring your story to share.

Sunday, Aug. 31 – 10:30 a.m. The Struggle for Working People Goes On – Rev. Bryan Jessup

In this Labor Day service, we will look at labor struggles from the past and now. We'll examine how immigration issues are mixed in and how they are used to pit workers against each other. We'll discuss healthy models for restoring local economies and empowering people to support themselves and their families even as they work to lessen corporate abuse of human beings and the planet.