

HUUF SUNDAY SERVICES

February 7 – 9 and 11 a.m. The Kenyan Perspective – Eddie Mwanzia

Eddie Mwanzia will speak on Kenyan religions and traditions, the culture of the Akamba people, his personal life experiences, some of the issues facing rural Kenyans today, and some interventions undertaken to address these issues. He will also discuss UONGOZI, a group he helped form and its place in and views on the intervention process.

Mr. Mwanzia was born 38 years ago in the small village of Kisayani. At a young age he realized he had to do something for the people of the surrounding community, whose plight was glaringly obvious. From 1993-2004, he worked and trained with a variety of organizations and ran into more than his fair share of setbacks, never wavering in his dedication to empower the community

February 14 – 9 and 11 a.m. Honor your father and your mother – Rev. Fred Rabidoux

In this service we will re-examine the Fifth Commandment and perhaps update its meaning in our world. Recognizing that most UUs don't like to be told what to do, Rev. Rabidoux suggests you jot down a few sentences in advance to discover what your personal reaction is to this Commandment. At first glance, it seems to be a Commandment with a Universality we can live with.

Rev. Rabidoux serves the San Francisco UU congregation as pastoral Care Minister, a position he has held for nearly five years. He graduated from Starr King School for the Ministry in 2003 and was ordained by the San Francisco congregation in 2004. A native of Woonsocket, RI, he graduated from college in 1968, served four years in the USAF as an intelligence officer, then worked for several large businesses.

February 21 – 9 and 11 a.m. Arcata Interfaith Gospel Choir

The Arcata Interfaith Gospel Choir presents its annual performance at HUUF. The choir's goals are to acknowledge the inspiration of black gospel music, to bring a message of faith, hope, love and joy to the community and the world; to exemplify through interfaith, multi-racial and multi-cultural membership, the principles of equality, justice, peace, unity and cooperation; and to enable the human family to experience community in fellowship, celebrating unity in diversity through music.

February 28 – 9 and 11 a.m. Roots of Unitarian Universalism – Rev. Tom Lewis

Rev. Lewis will speak on the roots of our long and fascinating Unitarian Universalist heritage. Rev. Lewis is a staff dentist in a Native American clinic in Red Bluff, where he lives with his wife, Chris. He was formerly a member of HUUF, serving as president and committee chairs from 1982 to 1996. He currently serves on the UU Legislative Ministry Board and is chairman of the Health Care Reform Steering Committee. He was ordained in the fall of 2004 at HUUF.