

Sunday Services

March 6 – 9 and 11 a.m. Music Day: Celebrating and Sharing Music Together

For our third annual Music Day the varied repertoire will include classical, musical theater, popular, global inspired and UU-specific selections. There will be solo, small group and ensemble performances, as well as many opportunities for participation from all present. Special guests will include Portland-based jazz singer and UU troubadour Marti Mendenhall, our own Bob Billstrom, HSU voice students, choir accompanist (and HSU piano student) Nick Pietromonaco, and musicians from within our HUUF choir, friends and membership. The services will be appropriate for all ages. All are encouraged to bring a simple, inexpensive instrument (recorder/wooden flute, maraca/egg shaker, tambourine, triangle, rhythm sticks/small drum, etc.) to play in an interactive musical game.

March 13 – 9 and 11 a.m. Forgiveness & Return: The Prodigal Daughter -- The Rev. Carolyn W. Colbert

With the help of the old teaching story in Luke, told in modern dress, Rev. Colbert will discuss the four essential steps in the process of forgiveness: hurting, hating, healing and home. Rev. Colbert has just retired to Berkeley after serving UU congregations in California, New York, New Jersey, Washington and Oregon. She is the minister emerita of the Eugene Oregon UU Church and a graduate of Starr King School for the Ministry. Her parents, the Rev. Horton & Lynette Colbert, were former HUUF ministers. She is looking forward to catching up with her many warm memories of the Fellowship and its ongoing journey.

March 20 – 9 and 11 a.m. Water as Teacher -- Paul Krafel

As far back as he can remember, naturalist Paul Krafel has spent much of his time with flowing water. Water as teacher leads him out during rainstorms to play with runoff and heal erosion. This work has nourished within him a hope that has expanded his visions of hope. He will share lessons from this work in the hope that you will find them nourishing for your sense of what is possible.

March 27 – 9 and 11 a.m. Cameroon rainforests and pygmy children's education -- Howard Stauffer and Larry Fox

Howard and Larry will describe their travels to Cameroon in Africa to set up a system to monitor the rainforest. Cameroon will receive international carbon offset funds to preserve its rainforest to counteract global warming. While there, Howard and Larry, and Larry's wife Brooke, also visited the Du Dja Preserve Rainforest, home of a Baka Pygmy village where they enjoyed a day of dancing and singing with the villagers and created a project to help them fund the primary school education for some of their children.