



**April 2016**  
**Unitarian Universalist Fellowship of Sunnyvale**  
**Sunday Services and Calendar of Events**

All of our children join us in the sanctuary at the beginning of the 9:30 a.m. service and then go from there with their teachers to their activities in the classrooms or to be with our childcare providers.



**April 3<sup>rd</sup> 9:30 a.m.**

**Do Unitarian Universalists Pray?**  
**A Question Asked Against the Backdrop of**  
**Martin Luther King Jr.'s Kitchen Table Experience**  
Rev. Nina Kalmoutis

**April 3<sup>rd</sup> 11:00 a.m.**

**Our UUFS Directory is Now Online!**

You can now login to our new online directory called "Realm" to see and edit your contact information, look up other members and even post your picture! Questions? Come to the Supplement after the service in the Chapel and/or contact Dave Flack at [realm@uufs.org](mailto:realm@uufs.org).

**April 10<sup>th</sup> 9:30 a.m.**

**What Calls Us On ?**  
Rev. Nina Kalmoutis

"Our deepest calling is to grow into our own authentic selfhood, whether or not that conforms to some image of who we ought to be. And as we do so, we will not only find the joy that every human being seeks, we will also find our path of authentic service in the world." *Parker J. Palmer*

Our service this morning will include a New Member Ingathering. Please contact Rev. Nina ([minister@uufs.org](mailto:minister@uufs.org)) or our Connections Coordinator, Judy Pearce ([Connections@uufs.org](mailto:Connections@uufs.org)) if you are interested in learning more about joining the Fellowship.

**April 10<sup>th</sup> 11:00 a.m.**

**Social Justice at UUFS**

The UUFS Social Justice Committee is sponsoring a Supplement after the service in the Chapel from 11 to 12. They will give you a picture of what organizations the outreach contributions of 5% of our Fellowship's budget go to, and a brief explanation of what these organizations do. Bring your questions and join us. We will also tell you about our hands - on project to provide dinners to the Cold Weather Shelter, December through March, and the Men's Rotating Shelter during the other months of the year.

**April 17<sup>th</sup> 9:30 a.m.**

**"Something New Is Being Born in Us**  
**If We But Let It"**  
*Anne Hillman*

**April 24<sup>th</sup> 9:30 a.m.**

**"The Benefits of Silence for a Chatter Box Mind"**

UUFS Member Janna Mitchell explores the path of silent meditation to renew the spirit.

**April 24<sup>th</sup> 11:00 a.m.**

**The Boy Scouts of America**  
**and Unitarian Universalists**

Please join us in the Chapel for information and a discussion about the discriminatory policies of the Boy Scouts of America (BSA), how they have changed over the years and the various perspectives that Unitarian Universalists can hold in relation to those policies.

Ross Beyer and Matthew Peterson will give a brief history of the BSA policies and the interaction between the UUA and the BSA, and the current state of those policies. As youth Boy Scouts, adult Unitarian Universalists, and fathers of scouting-aged boys, Ross and Matthew will also talk about the various ways that they have approached the contradiction between the discriminatory policies of the BSA, and their beliefs and morals as Unitarian Universalists.

# April

| Sun  | Mon  | Tue   | Wed   | Thu   | Fri  | Sat  |
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| <u>UUFS Office Hours</u><br>Wednesdays & Thursdays<br>11 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.<br>Fridays 10 a.m. – 12 p.m.       |  | Save The Date!<br>Service Auction<br>Sunday, June 5 <sup>th</sup>   |   |   | 1  | 2  |
| <b>3</b><br>10:45 a.m.<br><b>Welcome Circle</b><br>Room 9<br><br>11 a.m.<br><b>“Realm” Supplement Chapel</b> | <b>4</b><br>Insight Meditation<br>7 p.m.<br>Beautiful Space  | <b>5</b><br>R.E. Committee Meeting<br>7 p.m.<br>Patty Petrie<br><a href="mailto:religious.education@uufs.org">religious.education@uufs.org</a>  | <b>6</b><br>Genesis Meeting<br>7:30 p.m.<br><a href="mailto:genesis.group@uufs.org">genesis.group@uufs.org</a>  | <b>7</b> <b>Meditation</b><br>8:30-9:30 a.m.<br><br>UUFS Choir Rehearsal<br>CANCELLED<br><br>Covenant Group<br>7:15 p.m.<br><a href="mailto:covenant.groups@uufs.org">covenant.groups@uufs.org</a>    | 8  | <b>9</b> <b>Spiritual Support Group</b><br>10 a.m.<br>(Contact Janna Mitchell)<br><br><b>Circle Suppers</b><br>contact Ursula Gobets<br><a href="mailto:circle@uufs.org">circle@uufs.org</a> |
| <b>10</b><br>9:30 a.m. Service<br><br>11 a.m. Supplement on Social Justice Chapel                            | <b>11</b><br>Insight Meditation<br>7 p.m.<br>Beautiful Space   | <b>12</b><br>Board of Trustees Mtg.<br>7 p.m.<br>Shephard Hall<br><a href="mailto:board.president@uufs.org">board.president@uufs.org</a><br><br>Men’s Group<br>7 p.m.<br><a href="mailto:mens.group@uufs.org">mens.group@uufs.org</a> | <b>13</b><br>Bookkeeper in the office   | <b>14</b><br>Meditation<br>8:30-9:30 a.m.<br><a href="mailto:meditation@uufs.org">meditation@uufs.org</a><br><br>UUFS Choir Rehearsal<br>7 p.m.<br><a href="mailto:music@uufs.org">music@uufs.org</a> | <b>15</b><br>*May calendar of events entries due<br><a href="mailto:office@uufs.org">office@uufs.org</a> | 16   |
| <b>17</b><br>9:30 a.m. Service<br><br>10:45 a.m. Social Action Book Club Rm 9<br><br>CHAIR MOVING DAY        | <b>18</b><br>Insight Meditation<br>7 p.m.<br>Beautiful Space   | <b>19</b><br>Connections Team Meeting (aka Membership)<br>CANCELLED (to be rescheduled)<br><a href="mailto:connections@uufs.org">connections@uufs.org</a>   | <b>20</b><br>Family-Friendly Dinner<br>Black Angus<br>740 El Camino Real<br>Sunnyvale<br>5:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.<br>(come when you can)<br><a href="mailto:family.friendly.dinners@uufs.org">family.friendly.dinners@uufs.org</a> | <b>21</b><br>Meditation<br>8:30-9:30 a.m.<br><br>UUFS Choir Rehearsal<br>7 p.m.   | 22   | <b>23</b><br>Celebration of Life for Sally Hayse<br>2 p.m.<br>Sanctuary  |
| <b>24</b><br>9:30 a.m. Service<br><br>11 a.m. Boys Scouts of America Supplement Chapel                       | <b>25</b> Women’s Group<br>10:30 a.m.<br><a href="mailto:womens.group@uufs.org">womens.group@uufs.org</a><br><br>Insight Meditation<br>7 p.m.<br>Beautiful Space | <b>26</b><br>Men’s Group<br>7 p.m.<br><a href="mailto:mens.group@uufs.org">mens.group@uufs.org</a>  | <b>27</b><br>Bookkeeper in the office<br><br>Dinner at Men’s Rotating Shelter<br>St. Thomas Episcopal Church  | <b>28</b> Meditation<br>8:30-9:30 a.m.<br>Women’s Book Club<br>10 a.m.<br>Home of Rosalee Clarke<br>(Book selection: <i>The Guns of August</i> )<br><br>UUFS Choir Rehearsal<br>7 p.m.                | 29   | 30   |