

Unitarian Universalist congregations affirm and promote eight Principles, which we hold as strong values and moral guides.

We live out these Principles within a “living tradition” of wisdom and spirituality, drawn from sources as diverse as science, poetry, scripture, and personal experience.

- 1) The inherent worth and dignity of every person;
- 2) Justice, equity and compassion in human relations;
- 3) Acceptance of one another and encouragement to spiritual growth in our congregations;
- 4) A free and responsible search for truth and meaning;
- 5) The right of conscience and the use of the democratic process within our congregations and in society at large;
- 6) The goal of world community with peace, liberty, and justice for all;
- 7) Respect for the interdependent web of all existence of which we are a part;
- 8) Journeying toward spiritual wholeness by working to build a diverse and multicultural Beloved Community by our actions that accountably dismantle racism and other oppressions in ourselves and our institutions.

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Unitarian Universalist Fellowship of San Dieguito

Service at 10:00 am

Watch this Sunday’s Service via Zoom

<https://uufsd.org/zoom>

Meeting ID: 952 2706 0986

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Sunday, August 18, 2024

State of the Art

Guest Speaker: Robin Mitchell

Introducing: Heather Megill
Director of Religious Exploration and Fellowship

Unitarian Universalist Fellowship of San Dieguito - August 18, 2024: "State of the Art"

Prelude *Lynne Talley*

Gathering Hymn: #368 "Now Let Us Sing"

Welcome and Greet Your Neighbors *Wenda Alvarez*

Announcements

Welcoming Hymn: #188 "Come, Come Whoever You Are" (sing 2x)

Come, come, whoever you are, wanderer, worshiper, lover of leaving.
Ours is no caravan of despair. Come, yet again come.

Call to Worship: Reading #664 "Give Us the Spirit of the Child" *Wenda Alvarez*

Land Acknowledgement *Wenda Alvarez*

Chalice Lighting *Wenda Alvarez, Heather Megill*

Centering Hymn and Covenant

#123 "Spirit of Life" / #31 "Fuente de Amor"

Words and music by Carolyn McDade, Spanish lyrics by Ervin Barrios

Spirit of Life, come unto me.
Sing in my heart all the stirrings of compassion.
Blow in the wind, rise in the sea;
Move in the hand, giving life the shape of justice.
Roots hold me close; wings set me free;
Spirit of Life, come to me, come to me.

Fuente de Amor, ven hacia mí.
Y al corazón, cántale tu compasión.
Sopla al volar, sube en el mar,
Hasta moldear la justicia de la vida.
Arráigame, libérame,
Fuente de Amor, ven a mí, ven a mí.

Fellowship Covenant

"May love be the spirit of this congregation;
May the quest for truth be its sacrament.
And service be its prayer;
To dwell together in peace,
To seek knowledge in freedom,
And to help one another in fellowship.
This is our Covenant."

Joys and Sorrows

Time for All Ages *Heather Megill, Director of Religious Exploration and Fellowship*

Children's Recessional Hymn—#414 (Sing 2x as children leave service)

"As we leave this friendly place, love gives light to every face;
may the kindness which we learn, light our hearts till we return."

Offering *Wenda Alvarez*

Reading: by Rainer Maria Rilke *Wenda Alvarez*

Meditation followed by Chant (sing 2x)

Go lifted up, Love bless your way, moonlight, starlight,
guide your journey into peace, and the brightness of day.

Sermon: "State of the Art" *Guest Speaker, Robin Mitchell*

Closing Hymn: #29 "Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee"

Extinguishing the Chalice

"We extinguish this flame
but not the light of truth,
the warmth of community,
or the fire of commitment.
These we carry in our hearts
until we are together again."

Benediction *Robin Mitchell*

Postlude *Lynne Talley*

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Welcome! We are delighted you are here!

Immediately following the service, we invite everyone to join us on the central patio, where we will enjoy refreshments and conversation, meet new friends, and greet Heather Megill, our new Director of Religious Exploration and Fellowship.



 UUFSD is a welcoming congregation.