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## Sunday Services in August

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### August 7: "Celebrating the First Harvest!"

*Worship Leaders, d. maria & Amy Raven; Music, Susanne Giordano*

At the Full Moon in Aquarius Earth Centered religions celebrate the abundance of the Earth by sharing from the fruits of their labors with their community, SO... bring your ripe vegies from your garden, eggs from your chickens, bake some bread... Or buy some from someone else. We'll share with Food For Lane County... Wear comfortable shoes, too. We will also, this year, be blessing our beloved Oak Savannah. Also known as Lughnassad. Come & share your gratitude for this community.

### August 14: "Compassion"

*Guest Speaker, Tenzen Chodren; Worship Associate, Elan; Piano, Dorothy Clark*  
Compassion is considered the "Portal to the Heart" in Buddhism. Because of the power of our self-protective instincts, cultivating Compassion can be very challenging. Tenzen is an American born monk ordained in the Tibetan Kagyu lineage and will present examples of compassion practice from various religious traditions.

### August 21: "Tending the Spiritual Lives of Children"

*Director of Religious Ed, Candee Cole*

*Worship Associate, Jane Wagner; Piano, Jean Weick*

At her last service before moving to Washington, Candee Cole will share her experiences and learning from the last twenty years of her service to UUCE. She will share the philosophy on how successful inter-generational religious communities not only offer fun and enriching programming for children and youth, but play an integral role in clarifying and deepening the faith of parents, who inevitably are children's primary religious educators. Come join us for a service filled with song, story and humor. Later in the day from 5-8pm, all are welcome to Candee's 20th Anniversary and Farewell potluck party.

### August 28: "Blessing of the Animals"

*Worship Associate, Kathleen Dillon; Piano, Lynn Smith*

As we gather this last summer Sunday before undertaking our "Labor of Love" in preparation for the new church year, a question arises: Do we gather to bless the animals, domesticated or wild and free, who touch our lives or to acknowledge the blessings they bring to us? The answer is, both. We give thanks for the eagle, the butterfly, the frog, and the elephant, dog, and cat with whose help we are able to maintain and strengthen this web of life we share. We also offer those who can join us in the sanctuary a blessing for all that we share and a promise that we will continue to attend their needs along with our own as we move through life together.

Well behaved cats, dogs, birds, snakes, turtles and other small creatures are welcome into our sanctuary today – the more the merrier. For the safety of all, each should be leashed or in an appropriate carrier.

## WE'RE ALMOST THERE. JOIN THE AUGUST MARATHON AT THE BUUB TO MAKE THE VISION REAL

Get ready to take the August plunge, ye intrepid UU spirits. For the long-anticipated need for an army of volunteers “ants” at the Beautiful Unitarian Universalist Building (BUUB) on 13<sup>th</sup> and Chambers is at hand. This month we will need many more than our current average of 12 or 13 people a day to cut and install the bulk of the insulation, move and install sheetrock, sweep and clean, provide platters of food for the workers, scrape and paint, and perform the many other tasks that arise, unpredictably, from moment to moment.

Moreover, at long last, we will begin work on the landscape. on Friday, July 16, our new landscape architect presented a design that will transform the BUUB’s plain exterior from an eyesore into an inviting oasis. It promises to achieve, over a period of three years, all that our landscape task force desired and much, much more—sustainability, native perennials and edible plantings, bioswales, an efficient watering system, accessibility, imaginative spaces, including a wonderful playground for the children, and an overall grace of form and feature that will take the breath away. The trenching for the bioswale and creation of the overall infrastructure will need to be done by professionals. But there will be ample work for those willing to wield shovels, create “lasagna beds” to prepare for future plantings, build fences and berms, and more.

So, as we approach the anniversary of our great work (we began demolition last August) let us go forward with renewed commitment, for the light at the end of the tunnel is near. So many of you have answered, and continue to answer, Ed Zack’s call “for greatness of spirit, for bravery ...that allows us to hope,...to take collective leaps of faith and ...to open ourselves to love....To have vision, to hold that vision, and to realize that vision.”

August and September will bring the final test of our faith, hope, and energy. Therefore, encourage your friends to join you and renew your own inspiration by coming to the BUUB as often as you can. Just show up any time between 8 am and 6 pm, Monday through Friday, and join the fun. Most weekends, when our unflinching project director, Ed Zack, is supposed to be resting, we also have “captains” to supervise and direct you.

And for added motivation, take a trip down memory lane by reviewing Judie Hansen’s daily blog that details the renovation on our website. Start at [uueugene.org](http://uueugene.org) and click on “Our Church”, then on “[400 Days Blog](#)”.

For comments, questions and suggestions contact Judy Sawyer at 541-302-0944 or [jsawyer712@comcast.net](mailto:jsawyer712@comcast.net) or Judie Hansen at 541-335-1637 or [judie310hansen@comcast.net](mailto:judie310hansen@comcast.net).

Have tool belt, will travel. See you at the BUUB!

Judy Sawyer  
BPOC Member & Volunteer Coordinator

### Additional Gifts are Rolling in to Help Complete Our New Church Home!

In mid-June we had an Open House, a Town Hall Meeting and a mailing to all members and friends to keep you up to date on the status of the project and the status of funding the renovations for our new church home.



As of July 15, we have received an additional \$60,855 in pledges and gifts from 22 households, in response to our challenge to match the \$255,500 in additional lead gifts from 12 households. Thank you for these gifts! Please consider a stretch gift and join your UUCE members and friends to help complete our new home.

**You can:** (1) Fill out an additional gift form, available from the church office or the capital campaign webpage. (2) Contact Karen Gaffney at 541-344-2073 or [karengaffney@comcast.net](mailto:karengaffney@comcast.net). (3) Bring or mail a contribution to the church with “capital campaign” in the memo line.

Let's Go to  
the Hop!  
**The Candee  
Cole Hop!**



It was the decade of Sputnik, of Ike, and of Edward R. Murrow. James Dean, Marilyn Monroe, and Brando – the 1950s. Join us for a Rocking 50s potluck to say thank you and farewell to Candee Cole! After 20 years with us Candee is departing, but we are going to send her off in style! So it's time to break out your poodle skirts, your leather jackets, and your blue jeans. Comb some Bryl Cream through your hair, or layer on the hair spray, and get to the party! Be ready for marble shooting, hopscotch and a hula hoop contest, and we'll spin platters from Elvis, Johnny Cash, Bill Haley & the Comets, Chuck Berry, and more.

Bring fifties themed food (or any socially conscious replicas) – we're talking molded jello salads, baked beans, meatloaf, tuna noodle casserole, pigs-in-a-blanket, lasagnas, your favorite comfort food. To coordinate potluck offerings, contact Kay Crider at 541/685-1437 or by email at [kaycrider@me.com](mailto:kaycrider@me.com).

For some food ideas, look here:

[www.foodtimeline.org/fooddecades.html#1950s](http://www.foodtimeline.org/fooddecades.html#1950s)

**Be some cool cats and be there!**

Catch you on the flip side:  
Church at 40th & Donald  
Sunday, August 21 at 5pm

If you would like to contribute towards a gift for Candee, we are assembling a basket with gas cards, snacks, and other travel comforts. Or, if you prefer to contribute towards a gift that Candee can use in her new home, contact Laurel Allender at [laurelall@aol.com](mailto:laurelall@aol.com) or leave a check for Laurel in the office.



**HAWAIIAN LUAU  
BBQ & POTLUCK FUNDRAISER  
FOR UUCE**

**LIVE ENTERTAINMENT! FOOD!  
DRINKS! GAMES!  
PRIZES! LEIS! MUSIC!  
DANCING!**

**WHEN:** Sunday, August 28, 2011

**WHERE:** 3460 Timberline Drive, Eugene

**TIME:** 4pm

**COST:** \$15:00

**LIMIT:** 35 people

**DRESS:** Aloha shirts, muumuus, sarongs, etc.

**PROVIDED:** Non-alcoholic punch, marinated tri-tip steaks, marinated pork loins, sausages for the bbq, & roasted chicken.

**BRING:** Potluck appetizer, salad, or dessert (Hawaiian recipes will be available at the sign up table Sunday at 10am services.) your own alcoholic drink, and meat and fish for the BBQ if you do not want what's provided.

Sign up after the Sunday 10am services.

Last date to cancel: Sunday, August 21, 2011.

**HOSTED BY:** Sigrid Lambros  
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## **HELP UUCE "RAISE THE ROOF"** in the EUGENE CELEBRATION PARADE

This year the Eugene Celebration Parade is happening earlier! Saturday morning, August 27, which is the weekend before Labor Day. The theme this year is, "Raise the Roof." Members and friends of the church are encouraged to celebrate the "roof raising" of our own BUUB by marching in the parade! This will be our third year! Already-committed UUCE groups include CUUPs and Interweave.

Ways to participate are walking, riding a bicycle, skating... and we plan to provide vehicles for people who need to ride. Let us know if you have a vehicle that can help, preferably a pick up truck that can ride through the parade. If you could use a specialty bike, note that various bikes are for rent at Eugene Bicycle Works, 455 West First Avenue. They only have one upright adult tricycle for rent, but they also have some 2-wheeled and 3-wheeled recumbent bikes (low to the ground).

In the spirit of this parade's theme, some walkers might wear hard hats or carry tools. And if you can find your old UU T-shirt, wear that. We hope to have enough voices to sing "If I had a Hammer" as we march.

We are blessed to have about 40 ready-made signs. We also have a banner to carry at the head of the parade. However, we may need to make a few more signs that emphasize our connection with the parade theme, Raise the Roof. The sign-making party will be at 1:00pm on Saturday, August 20, at the shop "Metamorphosis" (phone 541-844-2339), 797 Highway 99 North. This is located one driveway south of ARC Bingo.

It would help to have an idea of how many people will participate. If you expect to be involved in the sign making, and/or the parade, contact Ken Ross.

Ken Ross [ruthken1@pacinfo.com](mailto:ruthken1@pacinfo.com) 541-686-1549  
Susanne Giordano [susangio@comcast.net](mailto:susangio@comcast.net) 541-517-7234  
Elan [e1an@mail.com](mailto:e1an@mail.com), 541-686-2778

## NEED HELP? NEED INFORMATION?

If you are having a conflict or problem with another church member or church staff, please contact Maren Peterson-DeGroff 541-513-3730, [marenpd@earthlink.net](mailto:marenpd@earthlink.net), who is the chair of the Committee on Congregational Ministry (COCM). In particular, COCM is available to assist individuals with conflict resolution.



If you need help, such as a ride to the doctor, grocery store or physical therapist; or help with providing a meal while you recover from a medical situation; or any number of the small things others can help you with as you deal with a difficult situation; contact the Care Committee. The members of the committee are: Bob Coleman (541-461-0956, [milndoc@msn.com](mailto:milndoc@msn.com)) and Chuck Wagar (541-543-1489).

If you have a question about some aspect of our church, but don't know whom to ask, go to the Question Box, i.e., fill out the form online (first click on Contact on the main menu) and you will soon get an answer! The question will be forwarded to the appropriate entity (person or committee) in the church and their answer will be returned to you in an email, by phone, or by mail.

The Question Box team consists of Bob Coleman, Martha Osgood, Ken Ross, and Chuck Wagar.

## FINAL CALL: Design Proposals JULY 31, 2011

### History Book Cover Design

The Archives Committee is seeking proposals for the cover design of our Eugene UU church history, "Our First One Hundred Years."  
Contact: John Clay, Kathy Dillon

### Name Tag Design

Membership Committee is requesting submissions for a new name tag design from the congregation!  
Contact: Marilyn Junkins [mdjunkins@comcast.net](mailto:mdjunkins@comcast.net)

Design submissions for both groups are due by July 31st. Call or email contacts for more information regarding design requirements.



### Choral Workshop

I will be attending a week-long choral conductors workshop in Cannon Beach, August 1-5. Led by Dr. Rodney Eichenberger, the workshop concludes on Friday evening with a free choral concert open to

the public. If you're looking for a fun overnight at the coast you might consider coming to the concert. - Tom Sears, Director of Music

### Music-Kickoff-Potluck Wed., Aug. 31

There will be a Music-Kick-off Potluck supper in the Sanctuary at 40<sup>th</sup> and Donald on Wednesday, August 31 at 6:00 p.m. All who are interested in the music program at UUCE are encouraged to join us for food, fun and singing. Our music staff will be on hand to talk about the various musical opportunities at UUCE, and to answer your questions. Please join us for the fun. Spouses and partners are encouraged to come.

### Choir rehearsals begin after Labor Day

Our choirs are on vacation now and will be reconvening in September with rehearsals starting after Labor Day.

Chamber Singers – Wed., Sept. 7, 5:15-6:45

Sanctuary Choir – Wed., Sept. 7, 7:00-9:00

Chalice Choir – Mon., Sept 12, 7:00-8:30

### Auditions for Chamber Singers

The Chamber Singers is a 16-member mixed a cappella choir. The choir rehearses Wednesdays from 5:15-6:45 and sings for Sunday services once a month. In addition, they present a Christmas concert in December and participate in the spring choral concert. There currently are openings for two 1<sup>st</sup> sopranos, three altos, and three basses.

If you are interested in auditioning for this group please contact Tom Sears at 541 686-5972 or [<tesears@comcast.net>](mailto:tesears@comcast.net).



### Food for Lane County Night Thursday, August 18th, 6:30 pm

770 Bailey Hill Road, Eugene

The Food for Lane County facility will be closed on our regular volunteer night this month, so our group will meet on the 18th instead. Very few volunteers are available in the summer months, so please try to attend if at all possible. Just wear a hat or ponytail, bring a jacket, and wear close toed shoes.

We will package donated food and prepare for the children's free lunch program.

Contact Diane Wooldridge  
[woolietoys@msn.com](mailto:woolietoys@msn.com) or  
541-342-8071 to sign up.



## Summer Program Childcare for Infants-Age 10

This Summer, activities for the children will be organized by our own Svetlana Dunbar. Infants-young preschoolers will do art, bubbles, and lots of outdoor play. Older preschoolers and elementary aged children will have opportunities for a variety of fun theme days. Older children and youth (ages 11-18) that attend are welcome to assist in the classroom or attend the service.

### **Activity Line-Up for Age 5-10**

- July 31- **Weird, Wild, and Wacky**
- August 7- **Technology** (Robotic fun)
- August 14-**Superheros Day**
- August 21-**Wizardry Day**
- August 28- **I spy with my eye**

During the Summer, we hold one service at 10am. Children are delivered directly to the classrooms prior to the service. Please try to arrive by 9:45 to allow time for transition and sign-in. Visitors will need to fill out a visitor form at the classroom. Currently registered families will be listed on the sign in sheet. Children are released to the playground (supervised) at 11:00 and must be picked up by the parent who dropped them off by 11:20.

Middle or High school youth may attend the service or assist in the younger kid's classrooms on Sunday.



**Play safe this summer!**

**An Acting Director of Religious Education has been hired for next year.** Many of you already know Katy Siepert because she has been active in our Religious Education Program and sings in the choir. Katy has a Master of Art degree in Teaching and a Bachelor of Science in Environmental Studies. We will welcome her as staff as the new church year begins. With appreciation for the many years that Candee has served the church, and looking forward to next year with Katy, I send you all my best regards. ~ Rev. Alicia Forsey

### **Summer Time Visitors:**

Non-registered families may visit over the summer and there are special visitor forms for these families. Registered children are welcome to bring friends to visit as well. Parents are asked to fill out a visitor form for the visiting friend. Please indicate on the form if the visiting child's family might be interested in a welcome packet.

### **2011-2012 World Religions Year in Religious Education!**

Join our amazing team of teachers and learn along with the children and teens! Four-five week sessions on the major faith traditions: Judaism, Islam, Christianity, Buddhism, Earth-centered traditions, Hinduism, and more! Easy to use lesson plans, teams of 4 share the lead, two Sundays per month at the 11:00 service. Orientation, training and support provided! Hear visitors from various religions speak on their spiritual practice and experience celebrations of heart, sight, sound and taste!



**Sign up to volunteer!**



## CLUTTERBUSTING GARAGE SALE

Judie and Ed Hansen are hosting an ALL CHURCH Clutterbusting Garage Sale on Friday and Saturday, July 29 and 30 to raise money for the church General Fund. It will be held at 310 Brae Burn Drive in Eugene...8 AM to 4 PM both days. In order to make this a great success we need donations from church members. Items needed are small appliances, housewares, picture frames, small furniture, sporting goods, jewelry, collectibles, linens, garden tools, toys, and games. Everything should be gently used and in working order.

This is NOT a rummage sale. We cannot accept: clothes, books, large furniture, or computer equipment.

Tell your friends & neighbors to stop by!

We made \$1800.00 at the sale in April  
- let's see if we can top that!

Judie Hansen [541-335-1637](tel:541-335-1637)

## Our BOOK SALE -- CHURCH FUNDRAISER

August 5, w/ film showing at 7pm  
August 6, 9am-3pm  
August 7th, after church until noon

Includes Books, CDs, Videos, DVDs!  
Do let me know if you can help  
Ruth Duemler 541-484-6145



## Women's Alliance Potluck

The UU Women's Alliance has been meeting since UUCE was founded in 1910. We get together on the second Friday of each month at noon in the social hall for a delicious potluck lunch. Our discussions range over current events, UU developments, and other issues of concern to us all. This year, every meeting features a different Women's Alliance member, who shares something about her loves, politics, travels, and hard knocks with us. We all have long and fascinating lives!

All UU women are invited to share our potluck hospitality. For more info call Connie Newman, Women's Alliance president, at 541-543-1685.



## Interweave

### Potluck, Discussion & Movie Night

*InterWeave is a group of Eugene-area Gays, Lesbians, Bi-sexual, Transgender individuals and Allies that gather to eat, then watch and discuss an LGBTQ-themed movie every Second Friday evening.*



**WHEN:** August 12, 2011

Potluck at 6pm

Movie at 7pm & discussion after

**WHO:** All LGBT folks and allies

**WHY:** Because we're really fun!

**WHERE:** 40th & Donald

**COST:** FREE

**Featured Movie: American Experience:  
Stonewall Uprising (PBS, 2010)**

When police raided the Stonewall Inn, a popular gay bar in the Greenwich Village section of New York City on June 28, 1969, the street erupted into violent protests that lasted for the next six days. The Stonewall riots, as they came to be known, marked a major turning point in the modern gay civil rights movement in the United States and around the world.

More info, contact Nisco at 541-915-0097  
or [nisohappy@comcast.net](mailto:nisohappy@comcast.net).

## OPEN MEN'S GROUP

Meets August 10 & 24 at 7pm, in Rm6.

All Men Welcome!

We meet the 2nd and 4th Wed. of each month.

**JUST SHOW UP AND YOU WILL BE PART OF THIS INTERESTING GROUP!**

**Questions?** Bob Coleman at 541-461-0956 or email [milndoc@msn.com](mailto:milndoc@msn.com)



## Candles of Community

On most Sundays, we include "Candles of Community" during the worship services. To include joys and sorrows, please contact Jake Walsh by noon on Saturday before a given service. Leave your message at 541-342-6184 or [jakewlsh@msn.com](mailto:jakewlsh@msn.com). Please include your name & phone number.

## Rev. Alicia Forsey is on Vacation thru August

In the event of an urgent pastoral care need, UUCE's Pastoral Care Associates are Scott Tuttle Shamblin, Sally DeCou, Bob Coleman, Kathleen Dillon, Leora White, Abby Tuttle Shamblin, and Dianne Watson. Their contact information can be found in the Church Directory.

If there is an emergency related to the building at our current location, please call Judy Sawyer (541) 302-0944 or Ken Ross (541) 686-1549.

## CHANGES

UUCE's new literary journal, has 40 pages full of poems, artwork, photos, and short prose, by UUCE members. Be sure to pick up your copy in the Social Hall after Sunday services or in the office during weekday hours. The suggested donation of \$5 is to cover expenses and contribution to church funds.



## 2011 CROP Hunger Walk!

October 16, 2011  
At 2PM  
Alton Baker Park

The CROP Hunger Walk supports hunger programs locally and globally. It is sponsored by Food for Lane County and Church World Service. Last year, UUCE raised \$2,941 and won the Golden Sneaker Award. This year's goal is to double our effort, both in terms of walkers and money raised. Sign up will begin in mid-August to collect pledges and/or walk with us. You can contact your UUCE recruiter Berry Broadbent at either [berrybroadbent@gmail.com](mailto:berrybroadbent@gmail.com) or 541-344-9037.

## TAKING CARE OF OUR BLESSED EARTH

- \* Rediscover your library
- \* Donate used books
- \* Share magazines
- \* Send e-birthday cards

- Green Sanctuary



## Writers and Artists Alert

Poems, short prose and artwork for the fall issue of *Changes*, UUCE's twice-yearly literary journal, are due by September 15.

For submission guidelines:  
Judy Sawyer at [jsawyer712@comcast.net](mailto:jsawyer712@comcast.net)  
541-302-0944.

Calling all Artisans, Crafters. Painters of Small Pictures, Jewelry Makers, etc.

The UUCE Bazaar will be, if all goes as planned, on Dec. 3, 2011.

We already have several wonderful artisans hard at work, with some delightful objects ready for our event!



Summer is a great time to find a little time ...or a lot... to make something wonderful for us to sell. Please remember that we can sell a FEW of what you make; it is better to have lots of variety!

So do think preserves, dried fruit, etc. as well as any wonderful thing you can think to create. Enjoy, and let's see what we can come up with. Also, are there others who want to work on the organization (not too much involved) of this event? Sue Craig 541-607-0204

## LOST-N-FOUND BOX Overflowing!

Please check the lost-n-found box in the kitchen closet\* (behind the kitchen) for your belongings the next time you're at church. \*small valuables: eyeglasses, car keys etc., can be found on the kitchen windowsill.

*We'll be donating all items before our move to the new church, so please take a moment and see if any items belong to you.*

Save your ink cartridges . . .

### **Recycle for Rewards for UUCE**

Your empty ink printer and toner cartridges earn us \$3.00 in rewards to use for office supplies at Staples Our Staples Acct #0490063120.

Or just *drop them in the box in the copier room at church.*



## UUCE Benefit Concert

Sat., Sept 24<sup>th</sup> 7pm and Sun., Sept 25<sup>th</sup>  
Tickets on sale Aug 21: \$10 (\$12 at door)  
*More info to come!*



## Women of All Ages Join the Thundereggs on Thursdays

We continue to meet during the summer - every Thursday afternoon from 2-4 PM at Tsunami Books. This is an informal get together for women. The small setting allows an opportunity to meet in a relaxed atmosphere to share our stories and talk about current events. There is always hot water available for tea and we welcome newcomers.

For more info call Judie at 541-335-1637.

## STAFF HOURS & CONTACT INFO

### **Ishbel Lane, Publications Specialist (off-site):**

*website/ e-Bulletin/OOSs*

[publications@uueugene.org](mailto:publications@uueugene.org)

**Hours:** Regular week: 5hrs (Thurs & Fri)

NL week: 30+hr: (Mon-Fri)

### **Tonya Cates, Office Assistant:**

*calendar/church member database*

[assistant@uueugene.org](mailto:assistant@uueugene.org)

**Hours:** (20hr week): Tues-Fri: 9:00-1:30

### **Matt Kosanke, Custodian:**

*cleaning/setups*

[custodian@uueugene.org](mailto:custodian@uueugene.org)

**Hours:** (24hr week): Fri-Tues (subject to events)

### **Kim Harris, Church Admin:**

*pledges/billings/supervisor of team*

[office@uueugene.org](mailto:office@uueugene.org)

**Hours:** (24hr week): Mon-Thurs: 9:00-3:00

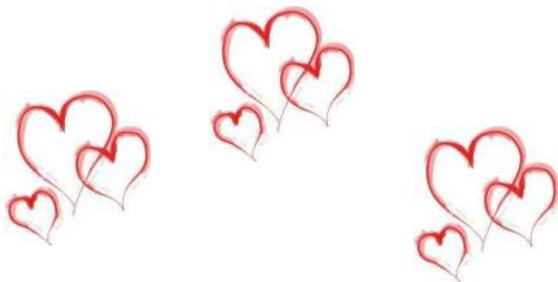
## UUCE CONNECTIONS &amp; APPRECIATIONS



See the Bulletin Board  
at Church  
to see who is  
Celebrating B-days in  
August

### *Celebrating Anniversaries*

8/04/1985	Garry & Betty Ehrlich
8/06/1994	Lori Maddox & David Atkin
8/08/1959	Sylvia & Bob Taylor
8/15/1986	Cynthius Scanlon & Susan Schneider
8/17/1963	Norma & Al Landy
8/19/2001	Heather & Robin Schantz-Mulford
8/27/1976	Martha Bullard & Craig Thorsen
8/28/1965	Linda & Martin Sage
8/30/1986	Ruth & Ken Ross



UUCE collected \$715.26 for Nearby Nature  
during July's Community Collection.

A special **THANK YOU** to the  
**Newsletter Helpers,**  
Sylvia Taylor and Durell Baker

### 3rd Sunday Community Collection



In August, the Third Sunday collection will be given to the Unitarian Universalist Service Committee. UUSC is a nonsectarian organization that advances human rights and social justice in the United States and around the world. Through a combination of advocacy, education, and partnerships with grassroots organizations, UUSC promotes economic rights, advances environmental justice, defends civil liberties, and preserves the rights of people in times of humanitarian crisis. UUSC is an associate member of the Unitarian-Universalist Association (UUA), but receives no general financial support from the UUA. Neither do they receive funding from federal or state governments or institutions, ensuring an independent voice.

UUSC engages in a broad range of campaigns and activities, from helping to ensure sustainable access to safe, sufficient, affordable water to every person to working with local partners in countries such as Afghanistan and Iraq to empower women in becoming active members of their communities.

#### From Sponsors:

Thank you! Your gift is deeply appreciated! As a result of your generosity, Sponsors has been there for more than 300 men and women who were released from prison in the past year after serving their sentences. . . .As a result, our community is safer and you have helped our clients in their efforts to become contributing, law abiding, tax paying members of our society. Our programs would not exist without your support. Thank you for the difference you make in our community.

Sincerely, Tom English, Board Chair and Paul Solomon, Executive Director



# August 2011

SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
	1 SJUUCE 7pm, SH Men's Group (closed) 7pm, offsite	2 Morning Doves 8am Men's Group (closed) 7pm, Rm 6	3 Men's Group (closed) 7pm, Rm 5	4 Thundereggs 2pm Meditation 6 pm, B RE Committee 6pm, Rm2 Exec. Committee 6pm, SH	5 UUCE Book Sale 2pm, S  <i>Book Sale</i> 	6 UUCE Book Sale 8am, S
7 Sunday Service 10am	8 Men's Group (closed) 7pm, offsite	9 Morning Doves 8am Archive Cmte 10am, SH Men's Group (closed) 7pm, Rm 6	10 Adult RE Committee 5:15pm, B Men's Group (open) 7pm, Rm 6	11 Thundereggs 2pm offsite Calm Abiding Meditation 6pm, B Interfaith Prayer Service 6:45pm, offsite Board Meeting 7pm, SH	12 Women's Alliance Potluck 12pm, SH Interweave Potluck & Movie Night 6pm, S/SH	13
14 Sunday Service 10am  Coffee Store Open After Services	15 FOC 5:30pm, SH Men's Group (closed) 7pm, offsite	16 Morning Doves 8am Membership Cmte 6pm, SH Men's Group (closed) 7pm, Rm 6	17 Men's Group (closed) 7pm, Rm 5	18 Thundereggs 2pm offsite Meditation 6pm, B	19 <i>Newsletter Deadline</i>	20 Parade Sign Making Party 1pm, Offsite
21 Sunday Service 10am  Candee Cole's Farewell Party 5pm, S	22 Men's Group (closed) 7pm, offsite	23 Morning Doves 8am Men's Group (closed) 7pm, Rm 6	24 Memoirs Writing (closed) 6:30pm, Rm 5 Stewardship Cmte 5:30pm, SH Men's Group (open) 7pm, Rm 6	25 Book Club Offsite, 2pm Thundereggs 2pm offsite Meditation 6pm, B FFLC 6:30pm	26 Newsletter Mailing 10am, SH	27 Eugene Celebration Parade  
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**K** B: Breezeway room  
BPOC: Building Project Oversight Cmte  
**E** CC: Coordinating Council  
**Y** COCM: Cmte on Congregational Ministry

FOC: Finance Oversight Cmte  
L: Library  
NL: Newsletter

RE: Religious Education  
SC: Sandburg Center  
S: Sanctuary  
SH: Social Hall  
SGM: Small Ministry group

SJUUCE: Social Justice at UUCE  
SPC: Strategic Planning Cmte  
T: Tentative meeting  
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