



## Newsletter for March 2016

### *A Celebration of Women*

*March programs coordinated by Joan Givan*

#### **Helping Hands Food Basket**

Please continue to bring food for the Helping Hands Food Basket. Bulk staples and other non-perishables are appreciated and delivered weekly by Edith LaVonn.

#### **March 6 Makers 1: Women Who Make America**

Joan will show the first part of a three-part PBS film series which features a story of one of the most sweeping social revolutions in American history.

Hymn 101 Reading 464

Host: Marilyn P.

#### **March 13 Makers 2: Women Who Make America**

We will view the second part of the PBS series celebrating the struggle for women's equality in the United States.

*Potluck—Bring a dish to share!*

Hymn 349 Reading 537

Host: Terry Crewse

Sunday Service is at 10:30 am.  
Coffee and visiting at 10:15 am

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#### **March Birthday**

Ginger Piersol

10<sup>th</sup>

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### Tuesday Reading Group

Continuing the theme on North Korea, the Reading Group has just selected *North Korea Confidential*, by Daniel Tudor. The Group meets every Tuesday at the Fellowship from 3:30 - 5:00 p.m.

### March 20 Makers 3: Women Who Make America

We will view the third and final part of the PBS series celebrating the struggle for women's equality in the United States.

Hymn 21 Reading 585

Host: Merrily Davies

### March 27 Poems By Women

Joan Givan will present poetry written by women in history. You are invited to come and read these poems and share your own poems as well as others written by women.

Hymn 409 Reading 560

Host: A.C. Hernandez



This Unitarian Universalist community welcomes and celebrates the presence and participation of people who are lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, and/or queer.

### UU Monthly Board Meeting

Meets Sunday, March 6, 12:00 p.m.  
(shortly following service)

President: Marilyn Pankey  
Vice-President: Joan Givan  
Treasurer: Steve Summers  
Secretary: Marian Gant  
Social Justice: Alfonso C. Hernandez  
Grounds and Maintenance: Brock Neeley  
Program Coordinator: Terry Crewse  
Religious Education: Jen Piersol

## **Porterville College C.H.A.P. March Events**

### **Friday, March 4, 7:00 – 8:00 p.m.**

"Damn Hard Work: The Women of Early California Libraries"

Presented by Dr. Cindy Mediavilla, Library Programs Consultant California State Library and Lecturer UCLA Department of Information Studies.

### **Friday, March 11, 5:00 – 6:30 p.m. & 7:30 - 9:00 p.m.**

"Rock 'n' Roll Through the Ages" - a concert presented by PC College faculty, staff, and students.

### **Wednesday, March 16, 11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.**

"Bittersweet Death: Sappho's Aphrodite" - on Sappho's version of the myth of Aphrodite and Adonis, presented by Rachel Tatroduarte, English Professor.

### **Wednesday, March 30, 11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.**

"J'accuse: The Dreyfus Affair, Emile Zola, and the Fight for Justice" - Presented by Jay Hargis, Porterville College History Professor.



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**As a Unitarian Universalist congregation,  
we affirm and promote:**

- The inherent worth and dignity of every person;
- Justice, equity and compassion in human relations;
- Acceptance of one another and encouragement to spiritual growth in our congregations;
- A free and responsible search for truth and meaning;
- The right of conscience and the use of the democratic process within our congregations and in society at large;
- The goal of world community with peace, liberty, and justice for all;
- Respect for the interdependent web of all existence of which we are a part.