



## Newsletter for November 2019

November programs coordinated by Terry Crewse

### November 3 Finishing our Kaleidocycles

Today we will finish the kaleidocycles that Merrily helped us start last week.

Hymn 26

Readings 728

Hosts: The Summers



### Helping Hands Food Basket

The Helping Hands basket is back! Please bring non-perishable food for the food basket. The basket is located in the fellowship and will be delivered by Marilyn to Helping Hands each week.

### November 10 Living Naturally

Ralph will present. The ancient Greeks felt living “naturally” was all important. However, they realized, each of us must use reason to decide what “nature” is, is it what the gods want? Is it something greater than the gods? What is nature? Today, the debate continues—what is nature? How can we live naturally or correctly? Is nature correct? What is unnatural? We will discuss the history and the issues in our meeting.

**Potluck - Bring a dish to share!**

Hymn 328

Reading 608

Host: Charlie

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

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### **November 17 The Impeachment of Andrew Johnson**

One hundred fifty years ago the country was struggling to put itself back together in the wake of civil. Lincoln's assassination thrust Andrew Johnson into the White House where he established a legacy of being what many believe to be one the worst presidents in U.S. History. Porterville College's Professor Leslie Pelon will explore the events that led to our first impeachment of the Commander in Chief.

Hymn 213

Reading 614

Host: Terry

### **November 24 The Queen of Long Beach**

Terry will share the history of the RMS Queen Mary. Now in retirement as a tourist attraction in Long Beach, California, this proud lady's career includes a delayed construction during the great depression, trans-Atlantic service for countless passengers, and service as a transport ship for troops during World War Two.

Hymn 190

Reading 660

Host: Marilyn

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, November TBA, 12:00 p.m.  
(shortly following service)

President: Marilyn Pankey

Vice-President: Merrily Davies

Treasurer: Steve Summers

Secretary: Marion Gant

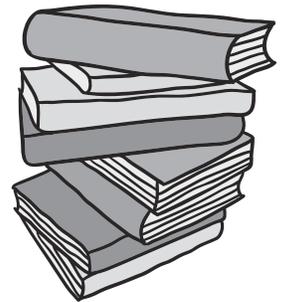
Social Justice: *vacant*

Program Coordinator: Terry Crewse

Religious Education: Jen Piersol

## Wednesday Reading Group

The Reading Group has finished *The Gift of Water* and are looking forward to a new book. Next meeting is November 13 at Sierra Hills (and otherwise every other Wednesday) at 3:30.



### **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.