



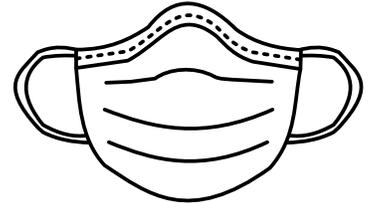
Newsletter for January 2022

January programs coordinated by Terry Crewse

Special Note

Until further notice, we only have two scheduled monthly programs—the 2nd and 4th Sundays.

Attendees must wear a face covering that covers both the mouth and nose.



January 9 A Review of 2021

If you think you have *deja vu*, it is because this program was canceled in January. Terry will take us through a review of 2021 from our own personal events to what has been in the news both locally and globally. We will also have a white elephant gift exchange.

Hymn 123

Reading *handout*

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

135 E. Harrison
Porterville, CA 93257

January Birthdays

Charlie Piersol	14 th
Emery Piersol	16 th
Ruth Ball	16 th

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January 9 White Elephant Gift Exchange Fundraiser

Attendees are encouraged to bring a “white elephant” gift along with some five-dollar bills. The board will provide extra gifts. A drawing by number will allow each member to “purchase” a gift for \$5. When all numbers have been drawn, participants will be allowed to swap their gift (for another \$5). Each participant is allowed to swap up to two times.



January 23 Videos For the New Year

Jen will share her annual videos with hope for 2022 and the end of the pandemic.

Hymn 108

Reading 721

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, January 9, 12:00 p.m.
(shortly following service)

President: Marilyn Pankey

Vice-President: Merrily Davies

Treasurer: Steve Summers

Secretary: *vacant*

Social Justice: Jen Piersol

Program Coordinator: Terry Crewse

Religious Education: Jen Piersol

Mission Statement

The Unitarian Universalist Fellowship of Porterville is a welcoming congregation promoting individual spiritual growth and open to people of all backgrounds and beliefs.

We are dedicated to growing the fellowship through community education about Unitarian Universalist values.

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.