



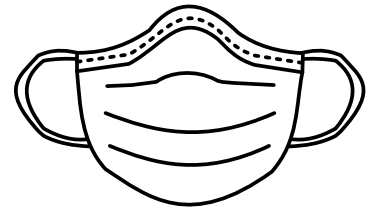
## Newsletter for June 2023

June programs coordinated by Terry Crewse

### Special Note

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

It is recommended that attendees wear a face covering that covers both the mouth and nose.



### June 11 **The true story of Anna and the King of Siam**

She inspired a King, taught a prince, and changed a nation. Or did she? Get to know Anna Leonowens, the real woman who inspired the musical *The King and I*. A story of one woman's fight for survival in a patriarchal society and the colonialism that created her.

Hymn 313

Reading 561

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

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### June 25 Art Projects New and Old

Terry and Merrily will lead us through art projects, both new and old. Please join us as we continue working on our project.

Hymn 114

Reading 643

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, June 11, 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.