

# The *CommUUnicator*

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**Reverend Jon Dobrer** is on vacation during the month of July. He returns in August.

## **Sermon Schedule**

Sunday, July 3 – 10:30 AM

### ***The Scarlet Sisters & Widows Against Violence***

Presented by guest speaker  
Jennifer Dempsey

Sunday, July 10 – 10:30 AM

### ***Religious Human Rights & Persecution Issues***

Presented by guest speaker Jim Cruess

Sunday, July 17 – 10:30 AM

### ***To Be Announced***

Presented by guest speaker  
Lois Nettleship

Sunday, July 24 – 10:30 AM

### ***Children First***

Presented by guest speaker  
Marshall Kaplan

Sunday, July 31 – 10:30 AM

### ***Our Gnostic Roots***

Presented by guest speaker  
Ed Tschabrun



## **July 3<sup>rd</sup> Guest Speaker, Performers and BBQ!**

Our guest speaker, Jennifer Dempsey, will be accompanied by her student circus clowns and acrobats to entertain us during and after the service. The Scarlet Sisters Circus is southern California's first female circus family, founded in 2002 by real-life sisters Jennifer and Jessica Dempsey. After performing for 12 years in the UK and Ireland, the sisters relocated to Orange County and have kept busy performing at festivals, corporate events, bar mitzvah's, retirement homes and many, many birthday parties. They will be performing throughout the summer at the Sawdust Festival in Laguna Beach. Check <http://www.scarletsisters.com> for details.

After Sunday morning services we will have the All-American lunch— barbecue hot dogs, hamburgers, soda pop, ice cream and all the trimmings. Beer will be available. Tickets are \$4 for children under 12 and \$6 for adults.

## **New to Unitarian Universalism?**

You can learn more about Unitarian Universalism and ask questions to help you explore this faith on the Unitarian Universalist Association's website at <http://www.uua.org/newcomers/newcomerbb.html>. You'll find a list of questions from other newcomers on topics such as creeds, sacraments, sin, atheism and agnosticism, and Unitarian Universalist views on Jesus. A Frequently Asked Questions list addresses many of the most popular questions. Answers are provided by the UUA Office of Information & Public Witness staff and "seasoned" UUs.

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**Unitarian Universalist Church in Fullerton**

1600 North Acacia Avenue - Fullerton, California

*Service on Sundays at 10:30 AM*

## Out of My Mind:

### **Respecting Our Joys & Concerns**

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The Joys & Concerns portion of our service is a time for the congregation to share the triumphs, tragedies and personal occurrences that bind us together in our vulnerable humanity.

This is not a time for announcements, politics or commercials. We end this part of our worship service by following the bell into a quiet place, a place of prayerful meditation.

I know that we are all clever enough to make any issue personal. I can word any given interest or passion in such a way as to make it fit —technically. I could take the current issue of the government trying to cut funds for public broadcasting and urge you to write letters. I could couch my plea in terms of how deeply I have been touched by Bill Moyers. I could find semi-relevant religious cover in pushing to save A Prairie Home Companion because Garrison references Unitarians with some frequency (and scorn...but at least he recognizes us). I could personally plea for All Things Considered and claim it as my umbilicus to the larger world, without which I would spiritually shrivel. But I won't because we are not looking for technical compliance but generous understanding.

In requesting that we all honor this personal space, we are not trying to restrict anyone's freedom of speech. This is just not the time for a speech. Anyone with a burning issue may contact me, or in my absence the president, to schedule an unrestricted pulpit editorial of up to three minutes.

Please honor our Joys & Concerns and help in preserving them.

## **Social Action Committee (SAC)**

In its final meeting in the UUCF 2004-2005 church year, the SAC allocated donations to several causes, one in the proverbial nick, before our year ends. That was \$170 to the Depression & Bipolar Support Alliance of Orange County. It helps persons of modest means deal with what otherwise could be overwhelming problems. Our Del Blanchard, who facilitates some DBSA sessions, urged the donation. First, though, the Committee approved a planned scholarship of \$500 for both the Fall and the Spring terms. The recipient spent ages 12 to 18 in foster care and, even though she has muscular dystrophy, she writes in a style that augurs well for success. Sometime in the next few months, she will be introduced to the congregation. Glad Sharp is our rep to the Fullerton College Scholarship Foundation.

Jane Livezey is launching a letter-writing program to inform elected and appointed officials (federal, state, local) of our views on various public issues. Even though we will avoid clearly partisan positions, we can join many other UU congregations in promoting our viewpoints. Marlies recently attended a meeting of the Fullerton Interfaith Ministerial Association (FIMA) and learned of that group's effort to assist Fullerton Interfaith Emergency Service (FIES) in its program to help some underprivileged persons get a new start toward self-sufficiency. This program entails churches accepting responsibility for maintaining a room in the provided apartments in good repair despite changing inhabitants. It was decided the SAC could act for the congregation in undertaking this commitment; further details coming later.

Deirdre Selby, a third grade public school teacher in Compton, described the financial difficulty that many of her students face in obtaining the school uniforms required. (Why uniforms? To avoid displaying gang colors.) After some discussion, the Committee voted to donate \$200 to be turned over in the Fall as school will be over for the year before you read this. Beginning July 1, Dan Guy will be the SAC chair! (Hooray!) On the same date, Tim Blaine will be on the UUCF Board! (Yahoo!) Lou Arnwine has agreed to function as secretary. Bill Pryor will remain on the committee in plebian status for the time being.

Bill Pryor

## President's Message

Our last board meeting was rather different and very special. We had a pre-board dinner with eleven in attendance (current and new board members who will start their term this month). We spent some casual time exchanging thoughts about what being on the board meant to outgoing members, current members and the new ones reflected on what they expected the experience to be like or why they accepted the nomination. Very interesting and useful information was gleaned from this process. It certainly gives me much needed input on what they are getting out of serving this important church community and it will help me to continue to serve you and know what helps and enriches them.

Comments made during the pre-board dinner were of great value--like the different viewpoint they have as a board member versus a committee member or congregant. They were impressed at how many people were involved in this community and did such valuable, time consuming work on a regular basis. Someone stated it taught them to speak extemporaneously--which I would say is probably true of many members. Without the feedback from members during the meeting it wouldn't be a fair exchange of ideas. Learning to speak in this forum and make their opinions heard is of great importance. This is not a quiet board--we have varied opinions and ways of dealing with issues that I value very much. We encourage opinions to be aired whether in agreement or not. We also show great respect for varying opinions and this has been very helpful for us to model what we would like to see in our congregations in general and in the world. I believe it is going to be a great year and from what I see, a great board. We are indeed lucky at UUCF to have such talented and dedicated people.

The summer is in full swing and I hope you are all going to enjoy our warm weather and perhaps some vacation time. The board is taking off the July board meeting--NOT the month's work, but the meeting--we are available as always. There are no pressing issues at this time and it seemed appropriate to give the board members a rest for summer activities. Personally I will be able to catch up on some much needed organization of board paperwork during this time instead of the many hours I put in prior to board meetings and may just catch a few days away myself. I truly enjoy the board meetings, but not necessarily the paperwork (so I am behind!) It will also be a good time to reflect on what direction I think the church would like to go. I welcome any input you have on this topic and your insights and thoughts. Talk to me, talk to the board members (listed on back of this newsletter).

*Be so strong that nothing can disturb your peace of mind. Talk health, happiness, and prosperity to every person you meet. Make all your friends feel there is something special in them. Look at the sunny side of everything. Think only of the best, work only for the best, and expect only the best. Be as enthusiastic about the success of others as you are about your own. Forget the mistakes of the past and press on to the greater achievements of the future. Give everyone a smile. Spend so much time improving yourself that you have no time left to criticize others. Be too big for worry and too noble for anger. Christian D. Larsen*

In Faith,  
Marlies

## PSWD Leadership Training School

The Leadership Training School, in the hills above Santa Barbara, provided me the opportunity to learn a number of valuable skills and to share the enriching experience of meeting many active UUs from a variety of southland churches.

From my arrival, Thursday, until my departure, Sunday afternoon, we were kept on a tight schedule of group meetings dedicated to the art of problem solving. Not just any problem solving: *consensus problem solving*.

Simply put, the goal of our training course was to encourage us to derive, and thoughtfully consider, helpful opinions from everyone on committees charged with handling church business and to reach conclusions upon which virtually everyone can agree.

This serves at least two purposes essential to the well being of a congregation. First, a good idea may be squandered because its originator remained silent. Secondly, and perhaps the more important, it allows everyone the dignity of recognition and the heightened self-worth of being a contributor to the deliberations.

In addition, we practiced planning and carrying out worship services, learned a bit of church history and wrote articles (on our own time) to be read and discussed in small groups gathered in the glow of evening candlelight.

A particularly interesting insight into human action came from a written test which questioned our reactions to stressed and non stressed responses. It revealed the fact that people act far differently when stressed than when making decisions at leisure. I know, this sounds common sensical, my surprise came at the realization that *the patterns of reaction are predictable to the individual*.

It was a realization so important to our group work that we wore badges on our shirts identifying each person's personality type under both stressed and relaxed circumstances. And we shook our heads knowingly upon discovering we were acting the Type as we undertook problem solving clinics. (This test was very useful and the board might consider taking it.)

During my time at the school I befriended everyone. Mixing in various groups allowed each to interact with everyone. We worked hard and bud-

died-up in our effort. I heartily recommend that anyone interested in taking an active role in the church should attend an LTS.

The professional staff of both the school and the facility were excellent. The setting was so fine and the work so engrossing it was *easy* to live without the radio, television, newspaper and EMAIL for four days! It crossed my mind to sign-on with the crew at La Casa de Maria and live out the rest of my days there. The food was superb. The grounds mystical. I would like to return someday.

Tim Blaine

## Taking it Home: Families and Faith

The UUA's Family Matters Task Force announces a series of six booklets for congregations and families to use at home or in community to support them through life transitions and spiritual/ethical challenges. The series covers:

- Let's Talk About Respect
- Let's Talk About Time/Money Balance
- Let's Talk About Marriage and Committed Relationships
- Let's Talk About Divorce and Broken Relationships
- Let's Talk About Families and Loss
- Let's Talk About Interfaith Families

The booklets are available at

<http://www.uua.org/families>.

## March Board Meeting Summary\*

In attendance were Lou Arnwine, Tim Blaine, Carolyn Champagne, Jon Dobrer, Mike Mendelson, Will Nettleship, Mary Rhodes, Lorraine Rothman, Dennis Spiro, Tom Stark, and Marlies Worley.

Call to order: Marlies Worley called the meeting to order--Mike Mendelson lit the chalice, a short chalice reading was read and Marlies welcomed the new board members Tim Blaine and Will Nettleship and said goodbye and thanks to Mike Mendelson.

Minutes and Treasurer's report were read and approved.

**Unfinished Business:** The calendar was reviewed. We are exploring having some special event on Thanksgiving where we'll have a potluck at church or in homes. The Dec. Holiday Dinner has been moved from the 10th to the 17th. We will also be looking into having a Passover Seder again in April.

**Action items:** Exploring capital campaign. Jon Dobrer reported back on his meetings exploring the issues of potential long-term building arrangements and the types and feasibility of various fundraising strategies. Dennis Spiro reported that the UUCF flyer/brochure is ready and available at the greeters table and updating and new copies will be made periodically.

**Reports:** Board Liaison/responsibilities—

**Marlies Worley** reported that Service Auction information is well organized and on disks and would be easy to follow for our next auction. The Program/worship committee is doing well with Al Danzig doing a great job on speakers and worship tasks are doing well with Lorraine Rothman finding constant new people to fill those tasks. Volunteer Coordinator- Marlies will work with Fran Doble on the current list of volunteers and forward to board so it can be updated and then sent to newsletter when ready.

**Lou Arnwine** reported that UUSC had a human rights forum and would like to present a forthcoming DVD of it to the congregation. Temple liaison is doing fine. Claude Coppel confers frequently with the Temple and with Marlies.

**Tom Stark** said there was nothing new with Ministerial Relations Committee. DeBenneville Pines-- Susan Tschabraun may need help before the Nov. retreat. Website-Harry Langenbacher will be training Tom to be backup on webpage.

**Lorraine Rothman**-Choir is going well with high enthusiasm. The Library may buy some books soon and we are looking at staffing the cart during services. Circle dinners don't have many sign ups for July dinner so it is recommended that we not offer them next summer. Otherwise they have been going great!!

**Carolyn Champagne**-The social committee will call a meeting at the end of July to plan the Sept. potluck. The Nominating committee is dormant at the moment. The Sunshine Committee has a new chairperson (Gwen Fyke) and has about 5 members of the committee. A meeting has already been scheduled.

**Mike Mendelson** reported that the pledge drive was very successful and we should be thinking about who is going to chair the committee next spring. RE- Ferencz David has been approved and hired as Co-DRE. Mike attended a few committee meetings and found the group very vibrant and committed. Finance/Investments/ Compensation -- all these committees seem to be functioning properly.

**Mary Rhodes** reported nothing new with History of church--it is stored in teen lounge. Planned giving and publicity is status quo, but Jack Theibert would like to be replaced on these duties. Newsletter is running smoothly with Lesley Mahaffey at the helm. The cleansing of the newsletter on the Website is going well with Harry Langenbacher doing this important job.

**Dennis Spiro**-Outreach committee whose purpose is to develop creative ideas for marketing the church in the greater community presently does not have members. Adult RE-Dennis chairs and Bible as Literature series is doing well. Membership has signed 8 new members recently and most biographies are in this issue.

**Leadership training:** Tim Blaine reported on an excellent experience at the PSWD workshop in Montecito which provided training in how to operate in small groups to reach consensus, planning and carrying out a worship service and practice solving hypothetical problems. We expect to hear more from Tim on this!

FIMA (Fullerton Interfaith Ministerial Association) Marlies Worley reported that the June 9th meeting was interesting and felt this was a worthwhile group for UUCF to be involved with. They are planning a Sept. 11 Commemorative service at St. Jude's Hospital that Jon Dobrer will be involved with and hopefully Jon will also be involved with Dec. -Longest Night service at the winter solstice. Both events hopefully will be well attended by our congregation.

Contracts: The current contracts are ready and Jon Dobrer has signed his. The others for Judi Herz, Liz Heaton and Ferencz David will get signed by the end of the month.

New Business: It was decided to not have the July board meeting as there was no pressing business and we are only required to have 10 meetings a year. (see President's Message for more details)

FIMA dues: Marlies Worley stated that to belong to FIMA there were dues amounting to \$15 a year and it was voted that we pay this.

UUCF Singles group: We have interested parties wishing to establish a group and there was consensus that this is a good idea and are in favor of such a group starting.

Joys and Concerns: There has been concern that this portion of our service is being used for announcements and other statements which this time was not created for. The congregation will be reminded that this is a time for personal spiritual reflection.

Marlies Worley

\* *Full board minutes are available by request*

## **An Anniversary Celebration**

Hundreds of colorful heart-shaped anniversary cards created by UU children nationwide added an especially joyous note to the recent celebration of the one year anniversary of the Massachusetts Supreme Court decision legalizing same-sex civil marriage. The paper hearts, inscribed with notes such as “ love won out” , “ marriage is for everyone” and “ happy anniversary, long live love” , festooned UUA headquarters in Boston during the celebration. Knowing that the battle for marriage equality is far from over, the UUA continues to offer support to Unitarian Universalists who are advocating for this civil right. Contact the Office of Information & Public Witness (617 948-4652 or [info@uua.org](mailto:info@uua.org)) for more information. You can also find information on the history of our Associations support for same-sex marriage at <http://www.uua.org/news/2004/freedomtomarry/index.html>.

The Society Theater of the  
Unitarian-Universalist Society  
of Orange County presents  
**GODSPELL**

Two weekends  
Fridays through Sundays, July 15 - 24  
Performances at 8 pm  
Saturday Matinees at 2 pm

Donation Adults \$15  
Children and seniors \$8  
No one turned away for lack of funds.

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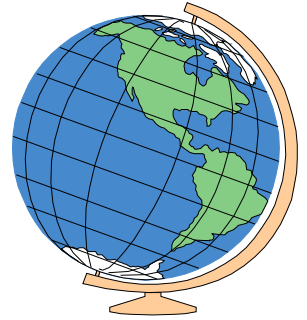
Unitarian Universalist Service Committee

Taco Bell boycott ends in major victory for activists, farm workers - In a major victory for Florida farm workers and social activists, fast-food industry giant Taco Bell has agreed to support a wage increase and improved working conditions for farm workers in the Florida tomato industry. The agreement ended a four-year-long boycott organized by the Florida-based Coalition of Immokalee Workers.

UUSC joined other organizations in supporting the CIW by endorsing this boycott. To learn more, visit:

<http://www.uusc.org/info/article052205.html>

Urge Congress to end restrictions on Cuban-American families - On May 25, Rep. Jim Davis, D-Fla., re-introduced legislation to reverse regulations imposed in June 2004 by the Bush administration which undermine families and jeopardize the well-being of innocent Cubans who rely on visits from their Cuban-American relatives for their livelihood. Urge your representative in Congress to co-sponsor H.R. 2617 to reverse the restrictions on Cuban-American travel rights. For an action alert, visit:  
<http://www.uusc.org/news/alert053105.html>



## Your Input Invited!

The UUA has announced that its all-member magazine, UU WORLD, will become a quarterly beginning with September issue. At the same time, a web-based UU WORLD will be launched that will have more timely news and will reach a wider audience than the current magazine, which is mailed only to voting members. An experimental version of the new web magazine will be at <http://www.uuworld.org> in July. Check it out and give your feedback.

## Tributes/Announcements

If you would like to place a tribute, an announcement or ad, please submit your request to Gwen Fyke by the SECOND TUESDAY of the month.

## Water Communion Service – Sept. 11

Our Fourth Annual Water Communion Service will be coming up this fall. Wherever you travel this summer, collect just a tiny bit of water to pour together in the communal bowl with all the other fellow travelers. Even if you didn't leave the area, you can bring water from your pool, the park or your backyard hose. We can all journey together as the water is combined at our special ceremony September 11.

## New Members of UUCF

**Susan Perlson** lived in a number of places across the United States as she grew up but came back to California in the 1980s to settle. She is a social worker and works with the underserved population of Orange County. Susan and her husband, Bennet, live in Brea and have two children, Briana and Dylan.

To most of us Susan is no stranger, as she first started attending our church in 2000. At that time she was looking for something inclusive for her children, both of whom now participate in our religious education program.

**Cheri Reisman** is a native Californian, living in Santa Clarita (then known as Soledad), Los Angeles, and Bakersfield. Although raised a Presbyterian, she married Irv Reisman in the UU Church, Los Angeles in 1959. They began regular attendance at UUCF in about 1965. In 1983, the family moved to Michigan for 6 years.

Cheri has a Master's Degree in Nursing and is a Nurse Practitioner doing home health care for Kaiser when she retired. She now uses her many years of experience in geriatric care and home health care as an Ombudsman for the Area Agency on Aging. She has an avid interest in genealogy and shares her search skills willingly. During the family's relocation to Michigan, Cheri became involved in the Unity new thought movement. She finds her personal relationship with God as important as the outward practice of religion.

Cheri enjoys UUCF now and is very pleased that her 7 year-old granddaughter is happy in the excellent children's program.

**Irv Reisman** is a transplanted Chicogoan, coming to California in 1952 after leaving service with the U.S. Navy. He is a retiree of General Motors and Northrup where he worked on the B-2 as an administrative accountant. During his relocation to Michigan from 1983 to 1989, he was a payroll manager. Now retired, Irv enjoys spending time on the computer.

Irv and Cheri enjoyed pleasure craft sailing out of Long Beach with jaunts to waters off

Catalina and the Channel Islands. They continued sailing during their years in Michigan. Irv especially enjoyed a trip to Georgian Bay where the scenery was magnificent and the lake water drinkable. He comes to UUCF for the similar ideals we share.

**Marcia Taylor** has been in California since 1955, a native of Detroit. She is of a Jewish background and finds the surroundings in Temple Beth Tikvah feel good.

Marcia's entry into membership in a prior UU church was through her invitation in the early '80s to sit on the Board of de Benneville Pines, the Pacific Southwest District-affiliated camp in the San Bernardino Mountains. To be on that board required membership in a UU congregation. Her late husband was an involved UU but Marcia grew very slowly into a few church activities. She has visited congregations of many religions but feel comfortably "at home" at our church. She named us the most welcoming church she ever visited.

Marcia is on the Women's Federation Board for PSWD. She enjoys participating in CLEE (Continuing Learning Experience) at Cal State Fullerton. She shares her home with her Labrador and Golden Retrievers. She has recently retired from the accounting profession.

**Randall May** was born in Colorado and grew up in Michigan where he first started attending Unitarian services 40 years ago. After both of their spouses passed away, Randall & Gloria were married by a UU minister in 1983 and they settled in California. He has four children from his previous marriage and Gloria has three, however, they feel about them as one family now. Randall is a baseball fan, likes to travel and in years past did a lot of camping.

**Gloria May** was born in Los Angeles and grew up in the Los Angeles area. She was a professor of linguistics at Cal State Long Beach. She likes the openness of Unitarian Universalism toward other religions and feels at home with us. Gloria particularly enjoys gardening; planting things and helping them grow.

# Youth RE News



## Tide Pool Trip

Our 3<sup>rd</sup> annual Tide Pool Trip on Father's Day was really fun. It was a beautiful and sunny day. The waves were perfect, even though the water was very cold. There were sea anemones and hermit crabs in the tide pools. We even saw a dead lobster washed up on shore. Some kids boogie-boarded and other kids (like Katie and Savannah) got buried in the sand.

## Save Your Backpacks!!!

If you're like many kids, the beginning of the school year marks a number of traditions – buying new clothes, new school supplies, getting a much-needed haircut, and replacing an “old” backpack. Sounds like you? Well, don't throw away those old backpacks! The group Share Our Selves (<http://www.shareourselves.org>) is an Orange County organization that provides free emergency assistance to those in need of basic living supplies. And guess what they need in September? You got it-- backpacks! In fact, last year Share Our Selves distributed over 1200 backpacks donated from kids like you. So hang on to those “old” backpacks and bring them to church with you on Sunday. We'll have a collection box where you can donate your backpack to a kid in need.

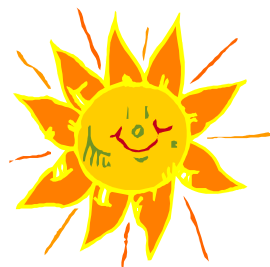
## Teen Group Co-Leader

David Ferencz, our new Co-Director of Religious Education, is looking for a female co-leader for the Tuesday night teen group. The group meets the second and fourth Tuesday of the month from 7:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.

## July Calendar

Summer's a time when we take a break from our regular Religious Education program and have fun playing games, making crafts, and doing some different activities. Here's a list of what's happening in July:

- **July 3<sup>rd</sup>: Scarlet Sister Circus Kids** are invited to stay upstairs today for this special service. Childcare will be available for our littlest ones.
- **July 10<sup>th</sup>: Tie-Dye Journals**  
Kids will make their own special summer journal to record special memories and highlights of their summer break.
- **July 17<sup>th</sup>: Designer Wall Panels**  
Brighten up any room with these hand-colored, eye-catching panels.
- **July 24<sup>th</sup>: Skit**  
Bring your own dress up clothes and be prepared to do some serious – or not so serious acting.
- **July 31<sup>st</sup>: Water Play Day**  
It's okay to wear your swimsuit under your clothes to church today, because you'll be getting wet! Don't forget a towel and sunscreen too!





## Sunday Task Volunteers JULY 2005

<i>2 Greeters</i>	<i>2 to set up Sanctuary</i>	<i>2 to set up Social Hall</i>		<i>2 to take down Sanctuary</i>	<i>2 to take down Social Hall</i>	<i>Flowers</i>	<i>2 for Refreshments</i>
<b>July 3<sup>rd</sup> Service Associate: Christina Garner</b>							
<i>Del Blanchard &amp; Daniel Guy</i>	<i>The Mahaffey's</i>	NONE		<i>The Langenbachers</i>	NONE	<i>Mary Rhodes</i>	NONE (BARBEQUE)
<b>July 10<sup>th</sup> Service Associate: Barbara Keller</b>							
<i>Eleanor Nichols &amp; Margee Hills</i>	<i>The Schneiders</i>	<i>The Schneiders</i>		<i>The Cruesses</i>	<i>Lou Arnwine &amp; Lorraine Rothman</i>	<i>Catherine Gallaher</i>	<i>Judy Sterling &amp; Barbara Cutts</i>
<b>July 17<sup>th</sup> Service Associate: Jim Gallaher</b>							
<i>Litzi Barker &amp; Jack Theibert</i>	<i>Dean Fischman</i>	<i>Dean Fischman</i>		<i>The Starks</i>	<i>Charlie Everett &amp; the Mauldins</i>	<i>Fran Doble</i>	<i>The Fykes</i>
<b>July 24<sup>th</sup> Service Associate: Margee Hills</b>							
<i>Lois Nettleship &amp; Glad Sharp</i>	<i>Claude Coppel</i>	<i>The Huffingtons</i>		<i>Barbara Burns &amp; Terry Selby</i>	<i>The Johnsons</i>	<i>The Reisman's</i>	<i>Deidre Selby and Ann West</i>
<b>July 31<sup>st</sup> Service Associate: Al Danzig</b>							
<i>The Whismans</i>	<i>Tim Blaine &amp; Rafe Margolin</i>	<i>Brad Woodhull</i>		<i>The Hetricks</i>	<i>The Hetricks</i>	<i>The Pumphreys</i>	<i>Salans and Scholle</i>

**Thank you for volunteering. If you are unable to do a task, please:**

1. Ask someone in the same task group to trade places with you.
2. Let Judi Herz know that you are swapping Sundays with someone so that she can put this in the program.
3. Please contact Lorraine Rothman if you would like instructions for any of these tasks.

## JULY 2005 CALENDAR

Jul 3	Sun	9:30a Adult R.E. Committee	Meet downstairs.
		10:30a <b>The Scarlet Sisters &amp; Widows Against Violence</b>	Presented by guest speaker Jennifer Dempsey
		12:30p Lunch Bunch	At <a href="#">Marie Callender's</a> , Placentia. Contact <b>Pat Woodhull</b> .
		<b>All-American Barbecue</b> after church.	Hots Dogs, Hamburgers, Circus Clowns! Children \$4, Adults \$6.
Jul 4	Mon	8:30a Fuddy Duddies.	Conversation & libations at a home, then breakfast at a restaurant. Contact <b>Dawn &amp; Bill Pumphrey</b> .
		7:00p Women's Circle.	Call <b>Barbara Keller</b> for topic and location.
Jul 5	Tue	1st Tuesday Film & Dinner.	With <b>Rev. Jon Dobrer</b> . Contact <b>Marlies Worley</b> .
Jul 7	Thu	11:45a Men's Lunch group	Meet at <a href="#">Carrow's</a> in <a href="#">Fullerton</a> .
		7:00p Choir Practice.	
Jul 9	Sat	<b>Circle Dinner</b> this weekend	Contact <b>Trudi Lierman</b> or <b>Mary Rhodes</b> .
Jul 10	Sun	10:30a <b>Religious Human Rights and Persecution Issues</b>	Presented by guest speaker Jim Cruess
		11:30a -12:30p Temple Store is open	Temple Store is open, 2nd Sunday each month, 11:30-12:30
		12:00p Social Action Committee	Meet in the Sanctuary after Services
		12:30p Lunch Bunch	At <a href="#">Marie Callender's</a> , Placentia. Contact <b>Pat Woodhull</b> .
Jul 12	Tue	7:00p Board Meeting.	Held at <b>Temple Beth Tikvah</b> .
Jul 14	Thu	7:00p Choir Practice.	
Jul 15	Fri	7:00p Bridge Night.	Call <b>Claude Coppel</b> for information.
Jul 17	Sun	10:30a Sermon: To be announced	Presented by guest speaker Lois Nettleship
		12:30p Lunch Bunch	At <a href="#">Marie Callender's</a> , Placentia. Contact <b>Pat Woodhull</b> .
Jul 18	Mon	7:00p Investment Club.	Call <b>Gwen Fyke</b> for details.
		7:00p Women's Circle	Call <b>Barbara Keller</b> for topic & location.
Jul 20	Wed	11:45a Men's Lunch Group	Meet at <a href="#">Carrow's</a> in <a href="#">Fullerton</a> .
Jul 21	Thu	7:00p Choir Practice.	
		7:00p Reading Circle	At the home of Eva Van Ginneken to discuss <b>The Kite Runner</b> by <i>Khaled Hosseini</i> .
Jul 24	Sun	10:30a Sermon: <b>Children First</b>	Presented by guest speaker Marshall Kaplan
		12:30p Lunch Bunch	At <a href="#">Marie Callender's</a> , Placentia. Contact <b>Pat Woodhull</b> .
Jul 26	Tue	5:30p Salon: <b>All Souls</b> Potluck & Discussion.	Supper at 5:30, discussion at 6:30. Contact <b>Judy Sterling</b> . Meet at Temple social hall.
Jul 28	Thu	7:00p Choir Practice.	
Jul 31	Sun	10:30a Sermon: <b>Our Gnostic Roots</b>	Presented by guest speaker Ed Tschabrun
		12:30p Lunch Bunch	At <a href="#">Marie Callender's</a> , Placentia. Contact <b>Pat Woodhull</b> .

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