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newsletter

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OUR MISSION

CVUU strives to be a caring religious community that encourages and supports the sharing of ideas and experiences of all who travel rich and varied spiritual paths.

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SUNDAY SERVICES

Join us each Sunday at 10 a.m. in person or online. Our address is 596 East 900 North, Logan, UT 84321 and the zoom link can be found at CVUU.org.

UPCOMING SERVICES

For the month of July we will be playing Unitarian Universalist Association (UUA) General Assembly (GA) services of the past, concluding with GA 2022 on the 4th Sunday. The 5th Sunday in July will be a potluck. GA is the annual meeting of our UUA. Participants worship, witness, learn, connect, and make policy for the Association through democratic process.

UPCOMING SERVICES

JULY 3

JULY 10

JULY 17

JULY 24

Re-Storying Hope The Shared World

Beyond the Water's Edge

The Deal on Those Days

July 31st will be a potluck

A full description of each of these services can be found at cyuu.org

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

WHAT IS GENERAL ASSEMBLY?

General Assembly (GA) is the annual meeting of our Unitarian Universalist Association (UUA). Participants worship, witness, learn, connect, and make policy for the Association through democratic process. We conduct business of the Association, explore the theological underpinnings of our faith, and lean fully into our mission and principles.

The 2022 GA was in Portland, Oregon as well as online from June 22 through June 26. CVUU was represented online by Board President, Ethan Payne, and staff member Karline Valentine. Join us on July 24 for the replay of this year's spectacular Sunday morning service, introduced by Ethan. GA Sunday morning services from previous years will be played at CVUU throughout the month of July.

GENERAL ASSEMBLY CONTINUED

ACTIONS OF IMMEDIATE WITNESS

Actions of Immediate Witness are voted on annually at GA. An Action of Immediate Witness (AIW) is a statement about a significant action, event, or development in the world that necessitates immediate engagement and action among UU member congregations and groups.

At this year's General Assembly, three Actions of Immediate Witness passed: "We Do Not Consent: Rejecting Legal Challenges to Abortion" (99.7 percent of the votes in favor); "Antiracism and Reparations via Restorative Justice" (95 percent); and "Stop the Privatization of Medicare" (77 percent).

CVUU BOARD UPDATES

CVUU Board meetings are happening online. The next CVUU Board meeting is on July 14 at 6 p.m. Contact CVUU Board President, Ethan Payne, with any questions: 801–319–6940.

Highlights from the last Board meeting can be found on the next page.

Business discussed at the last Board meeting:

- 1. Ballot for annual meeting
- 2. Budget to be voted on at annual meeting this Sunday
- 3. Staff needs

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

CVUU YARDWORK AND LANDSCAPING

From Jean Lown: After almost two months of site preparation the mulch will be delivered on Friday morning July 8. We plan to work Friday morning and most of the day Saturday to lay the cardboard weed barrier and spread the mulch. We need wheelbarrows, shovels, heavy iron rakes, 5 gallon buckets and lots of help. Bring gloves, water bottle, and wear old clothes. Please let me know when you are available so we can plan for refreshments. This project will save CVUU lots of water and money over the coming years.

Jean 435-760-2392

WORSHIP TEAM

Lots of opportunities to support the worship team! Whether you're interested in serving as a worship associate, offering a reading from time to time, helping find speakers, or _____ . . . we'd love to have you! Call or text Sondra if you're interested in helping out: 435–760–0399.

FELLOWSHIP

If you have ideas for ways to be together, we want to hear them!
If you're able to offer a fellowship opportunity, please reach out to
Karline at karline@cvuu.org.

CVUU CHILDCARE

Now that we are finding our way to a new normal, it's time to bring back childcare Sunday mornings. We plan to hire a childcare worker in the near future. Stay tuned!

CVUU HOSPITALITY

A message from CVUU Connections Coordinator, Vella Stone:

Coming from the south, we always had a rule to feed anyone who came into our home. By the time it comes to the end of the service on Sunday, I am personally starving and believe others are in the same boat. I would like to propose that we put together a list of people willing to volunteer to start bringing a significant snack after service on Sundays. I am happy to bring biscuits or a quiche for the first few weeks until we get it up and going.

On a similar note, we have a coffee maker that is on its last leg and could really use a new one to keep providing quality tasting coffee.

Questions about hospitality? Contact Vella at 435-764-1938.





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