



June 2018 Chalice PrevUUs Calendar

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POWER OF MATCHING The Building Fund Finale Update



Many thanks to the Chalice community for raising a bit over \$150,000, matched to \$300,000. The Power of Matching capital fund drive will end on June 30. We still have time to raise another \$49,572 to get us to our maximum match!

Our final building plans for the Multipurpose Building have been submitted to the City of Escondido and our architect has begun contacting general contractors. The dream of new classroom and meeting space will be a reality soon!

Now is the time to make a significant contribution of any amount to help Chalice build and grow.

Please designate Power of Matching on the memo line of your check, alerting our bookkeeper to assign match funds.

Marshall A Fogel

White Elephant Bingo Fund-Raiser for Becky Sangha June 9 at Chalice!

Join us from 3:00 - 5:00 pm

All friends & family 14 years old and up are invited to participate in this event as we put a twist on your typical Bingo afternoon of fun. There will be prizes! Winners will be encouraged to exchange their item with others who have something more desirable. All are also encouraged to bring an already wrapped or bagged item to add to the selection of prizes. Suggested donation for fun-filled event - \$20 per person.

*Some prizes will be worth double that and more!

Becky is receiving treatment for Lyme Disease and appreciates your support, financial and otherwise.

RSVP by June 2nd to Lena Wellman, [not public]



Sunday Services

at 9:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.

June 3 Rev. Tom Owen-Towle, guest "Dismantling Patriarchy"

Patriarchy is the main moral culprit in America and needs to be addressed, nay dismantled, primarily by men. It goes far deeper than the "me too" movement.

The Rev. Dr. Tom Owen-Towle is minister emeritus at the First UU Church of San Diego. He currently sings in nursing homes, leads workshops on graying gracefully, mentors youth-at-risk, and volunteers at a homeless shelter.

June 10 Rev. Sharon Wylie "The Great Turning (Active Hope #10)"

We've been talking about hope and activism all year. What do we want to remember going forward? This is the final sermon in a 10-part series inspired by the book "Active Hope" by Chris Johnstone and Joanna Macy.

Congregational Meeting to follow 2nd Service**

June 17 Youth Led Service "Seven UU Principles"

Multigenerational Service

Led by Chalice's Youth Group, our service this morning examines and celebrates the seven principles we are covenanted to affirm and promote.

June 24 Lay Led Service "Border Stories"

As a border town, San Diego has a unique relationship with Mexico. This morning we reflect on what it is to live in such close proximity to an "other" country.

** Annual Congregational Meeting June 10, 2018, 12:30 pm

We will be voting on the budget for FY 2018-19 and the nominees for the Board.

Food will be served and child care provided.

All the information was sent by email to members on May 24. The agenda and slate are posted on the Chalice Website under Recent News. We need a quorum. If you are a member and able to be at Chalice Sunday June 10 at 12:30 pm, please attend.



Music Ministry for June

Sunday Worship Music June Highlights

- June 3:** The **Chancel Choir** will present "Seize On Today", a poem by Henry Thoreau set to music by Clif Hardin. **Tim McKnight** will be our worship musician.
- June 10:** The **Chancel Choir** will present, "Hope", with lyrics by Pamela Stewart and music by Greg Gilpin. **Tim McKnight** will be our worship musician.
- June 17:** **Justin Gray** will be our worship musician.
- June 24:** **Steve Withers** will be our worship musician.



Tim McKnight
Music Director

Calendar of Upcoming Music Department Events

Concert for Kids Saving Critters

Oktoberfest

Children's Concert

Chili, Brews, and Blues - has been postponed

July 22

September 29

October 7



Tom Carlstrom singing
at the Hootenanny.



Gloria Angelo Arts Education Scholarship Fund

The Chalice Music Program is pleased to announce the availability of visual and performing arts scholarships through the Gloria Angelo Arts Education Scholarship Fund. This scholarship fund was established in 2007 by Paula Gonzales in memory of her mother, Gloria Angelo. Over the years many scholarships have been granted, leaving the fund nearly depleted. However, thanks to a generous donation from Daniel Gordon in memory of his parents, Edith and Barry Gordon, these scholarships are again available for lessons, workshops, summer camps, and other educational opportunities in the arts. Drama, dance, music, voice, painting, and drawing are among the arts that would be supported by this fund.

For more information and applications,
email music@chaliceuucongregation.org.

Welcoming Congregation

Chalice Unitarian Universalist Congregation is A Certified "Welcoming Congregation". The Welcoming Congregation Program is a volunteer program for Unitarian Universalist congregations that want to take intentional steps to become more welcoming and inclusive of people with marginalized sexual orientations and gender identities.

First launched in 1990, the program grew out of an understanding that widespread prejudices and ignorance about lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, and queer (LGBTQ) people existed within Unitarian Universalism, which resulted in the exclusion of LGBTQ people from our congregations.

Today, most Unitarian Universalist (UU) congregations are recognized as Welcoming Congregations.





We need more photos for our website and other media!



Submit photos of Chalice activities to be entered into a drawing for a **\$50 gift certificate** to your favorite store or restaurant. Chalice's Communications Task Force would like to encourage Chalice congregants to take more photos.

We need photos of "Chalice in action" for our website, Facebook page, Instagram account, and our printed materials.

You have from now through June 17 to take photos of Chalice events and activities. For each photo you submit, you will be entered into a drawing for a \$50 gift certificate (you may earn up to five entries). We will draw three names to each win a \$50 gift certificate to the store or restaurant of your choice.

Please email your photo submissions to revsharonwylie@gmail.com. (And after the drawing, please keep taking photos! We always need more.)

PARKING REMINDER

Please do not park on Miller Avenue in front of Chalice.



We have an agreement with the city not to park in front of Chalice. Our section of Miller Avenue is too narrow for a fire truck to make a turn, if there are cars parked on the street.

Our Respect and Protect campaign suggests that the lower parking lot be reserved for people who would benefit from a close parking space. Specifically, people over 80, families with young children, newcomers, and anyone with a medical issue should be able to find a parking space in the lower lot. If you have a lot to carry, use the lower lot. Everyone else, please use the upper lot, or park on Hamilton, or on Miller by the fields.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Estate Planning Seminar

The Legacy Committee is sponsoring a free Estate Planning Seminar for all of those who are interested in receiving information from a professional Estate Planner. His name is Carl J. Skaja, Esq. He is located right in Escondido and Martin Schwartz knows him personally on a professional basis.

Carl will be giving a seminar on Saturday, June 2nd, 2018 from 11:00am to 12:00 noon at Chalice with a question and answer period following the Seminar located in the Common Room.

Feel free to call or email any of us if you have questions.

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Look forward to seeing you there.

Monthly Prayer Circle

Wednesday, June 20
in the Chapel at 7 pm
Join Rev. Sharon for a Unitarian Universalist prayer circle. Please come prepared to request prayer and to offer prayer to others.



Chalice is now on Instagram!
Follow us at
@chaliceuuescondido.



Family Ministry

Summer Fun!

The Family Ministries Team is looking for several people to help with the children's summer Religious Education program: A Summer of Service. They will be participating in a number of service projects. We have some great activities planned but are looking for some more ideas to round out the program. We especially need some adults willing to work with our kids and show them how rewarding it can be to give to others.

We are also looking for a donor to contribute \$100 for 10 backpacks.

Or, maybe you would prefer to work with Jodi Roney and Lara Brown as they head up this summer's **Drama Club**. They will be working with the older children and youth. This work will culminate in a production in September.

Please consider working with one of these groups this summer!



Kathleen Swift
Director of Family Ministry

Coming in June: Chalice Youth-Led Service!



Join us on June 17th for the culmination of a yearlong Coming of Age curriculum, when our amazing and fun-filled youth present an entire service created by them. They are basing this service on our UU Principles and what those mean to them. This multigenerational service will be fun, meaningful, and very different than what you may expect. Please plan to attend!

Among other things, our youth have explored the idea of prayer. They have learned to attempt, as UU Minister Arvid Straube says, "to take away the attitudes and preconceptions that come with prayer." The teens pictured here are creating prayer beads.





Groups That Meet Each Week or Every Other Week - You are welcome here!

What	When, Where	Who & Why
Chair Yoga	Tuesdays, 10 am & Fridays, 12 noon in the Chapel	Patty Carlisle leads this weekly yoga class to share the healing aspects of yoga. Individuals exercise and strengthen their bodies. This is at Chalice, so you know you will be surrounded by positive, caring people.
Yoga 	Tuesdays, 7 pm in the Chapel	Alec Bergamini leads the class on the 1st, 2nd, & 4th Tuesday evenings each month, Chris O'Connor on the 3rd Tuesday. Every class is different, but you will always be glad you came. Newcomers are welcome. \$5 donation suggested, but not required.
Cracker Barrel 	Wednesdays, 9 am for breakfast, 9:30 for discussion at Marie Callender's in Escondido	Liberal thinkers & friendly, supportive men. New friends are welcome. Contact person is Marty Schwartz at [not for public] Open to all men of Chalice to meet life-long friends with a sense of humor.
Activist Letter Writing	First & Third Wednesday of each month, 11:30 am in the Common Room	Join us for lively discussion and post card writing, with action as an outcome. New activists welcome. Contact Kaye Campbell at [not for public] if you have any questions.
Zen Meditation	Thursdays, 8:30 to 10:30 am and Sundays, 3:00 to 5:00 pm in the Cottage	Chalice Friend Dr. Al Zolnyas offers instruction and Meditation practice. This group welcomes both seasoned meditators and those new to the practice.
Women's Meditation & Study	Thursdays, 10:30 am to 12:00 noon in the Chapel	Mutual support and the practical implementation of Buddhism in order to enrich our daily lives. Contact person is Carol Bagguley at [not for public]

Groups That Meet Once A Month - You are welcome here!

What	When, Where	Who & Why
Board Games	Second Wednesday 1:00 pm Common Room	A lively group meets to play games: Mexican dominoes, Rummikub, or any fun game. Newcomers happily welcomed! Contact Carol Bagguley at [not for public]
Men's Support Group	Second Wednesday 6:30 pm Escondido location	We get to know and support each other by sharing experiences, thoughts and feelings from our lives. If you are interested please contact Phil Comer at [not for public] to tell you more about the group, including the location.
Fiber Arts & Crafts	Third Wednesday 1:30 to 3:30 pm Common Room	We chat and work, primarily needle-crafts like knitting, or embroidery, but any portable crafts are welcome. Contact person is at [not for public]
Prayer Circle	Third Wednesday 7:00 pm Chapel	Join Rev. Sharon for a Unitarian Universalist prayer circle. Please come prepared to request prayer and to offer prayer to others. All are welcome.
Circle Suppers	Third Saturday, June at 6 pm at homes of congregants RSVP by May 9	Circle Suppers are monthly dinners in a pot-luck format with usually eight people at a host's home, depending on how many people participate. There is no obligation to host a dinner. Newcomers are welcome. Please contact Dani Comer by Wed. May 9 at [not for public]



Information for June Group Activities! You are Welcome Here!

Chalice Dine-Out - Meets on the Third Monday at 6:00 pm

We will be dining on Monday June 18th at 6:00 pm. We will be dining at a new place, Pamir Kabob House located at 16769 Bernardo Center Dr. Suite K10, in The Plaza Shopping Center.

Singles and couples, all are welcome for conversation, catching up and getting acquainted. RSVP to Cindy Carter at [not for public]



Women's Book Group - Third Tuesday at 7:15 pm in the Common Room

Pachinko by Min Jin Lee *** Facilitator: Debi Streett-Idell

Join us on Tues., June 19 at 7:15 pm in the Common Room to discuss **Pachinko**, a masterpiece of empathy, integrity and familial loyalty. **Pachinko** chronicles four generations of an ethnic Korean family, first in Japanese-occupied Korea in the early 20th century and then in Japan.

Please come and join us for a stimulating and fun evening.

Newcomers are welcome, please contact: Dani at [not for public]

July 17: **Born a Crime: Stories from a South African Childhood** by Trevor Noah

Haven House Interfaith Community Dinners - Dates change each month

Our next dinner service is scheduled for Saturday, June 23 coordinated by Bonnie Packert. Each month, volunteers from Chalice cook and serve a meal to the people who are staying at the local shelter. There are coordinators for each month, and Julia & Marshall Fogel keep the mailing lists and facilitate our participation in this community service project. If you would like to participate, contact Marshall at [not for public]

Ladies Out to Lunch - Third Friday at 11:30 am

In June the Ladies out to Lunch will meet at the Cheesecake Factory located at Westfield North County Fair. We meet at 11:30 AM on Friday, June 15.

Please RSVP to Carol Simpson at [not for public]



Circle Suppers - Third Saturday at 6 pm

Single adults, couples, new and old Chalice folks, join us for Circle Supper on: Saturday, June 16 at 6 pm. Circle Suppers are monthly dinners in a potluck format people at a host's home. There is no obligation to host a dinner. This is a great way to get to know each other better and further our sense of community.

Newcomers are welcome. If interested in attending please contact Dani Comer by Wed., June 6 or if you have any questions Contact: at [not for public]

Readers' Theater

Our June meeting will be held on Monday, June 25th at 6:45 p.m. in the common room. Newcomers and listeners are always welcome at our gatherings! This month we'll be reading aloud the classic drama, *Twelve Angry Men*, by Reginald Rose. A blistering character study and an examination of the American melting pot and the judicial system that keeps it in check, *Twelve Angry Men* holds at its core a deeply patriotic faith in the U.S. legal system. Recently, *Twelve Angry Men* had a successful, and award-winning, run on Broadway.

Please contact Deb Coon at [not for public] in advance, so that we'll know to expect you.





Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<p>The Chalice Calendar is updated frequently. For the most accurate information, please go to ChaliceUUCongregation.org and click under the "News" tab. There is a drop down menu with a button for the "Calendar".</p>						
<p>3</p> <p>9 & 11 am Worship Service: Rev. Dr. Tom Owen-Towle "Dismantling Patriarchy" 1:00 pm Music Committee 3:30 pm Zen Meditation</p>	<p>4</p> <p>4:00 pm Luminary Arts</p>	<p>5</p> <p>10:00 am Chair Yoga 1:00 pm Coord Team 7:00 pm Yoga 7:00 pm Executive Board</p>	<p>6</p> <p>9:00 am Cracker Barrel 11:30 am Activist Letter Writers</p>	<p>7</p> <p>8:30 am Zen Meditation 10:30 am Women's Study 7:30 pm Choir Rehearsal</p>	<p>1</p> <p>12:00 pm Chair Yoga 4:00 pm Luminary Arts 7:00 pm Food Addicts Anonymous</p>	<p>2</p> <p>9:00 am Luminary Arts 11:00 am Estate Planning Free Seminar</p>
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Minister's Message

The following are excerpts from Rev. Sharon Wylie's sermon "It Takes a Village" offered on May 13, 2018:

There is a concept called "good enough parenting." Are you familiar with it? It was popularized in a book by Bruno Bettelheim written in 1987. The basic premise is that you don't have to be—somehow—a perfect parent, a parent who never makes mistakes. And you don't have to be a parent whose child never makes mistakes. Instead, the work of parenting is more concerned for the child's experience of childhood than with the child's future as an adult.

As one professor summarized about "good enough" parenting: "Children who feel secure in their relationship with their parents, who feel supported rather than controlled, who feel trusted and therefore trustworthy, and who have a good enough environment in which to play, explore, and learn (including plenty of opportunities to make friends and interact with others beyond the family), will be best able to chart their own satisfying futures."...

You know where I think families can find such an environment?

What is the church here for, if not to support the flourishing of a next generation of thoughtful, moral, loving people who affirm and promote the inherent worth and dignity of every person, and the interdependent web of all existence? What is the church here for, if not to ease the burdens of families facing challenges and overwhelm?

If you have been listening to this sermon thinking it's not about you because you don't have children, or because your children are grown, please think again. We are all here to support the children of the congregation. Children are our youngest congregants. They are not a distraction that needs to be sent away so their parents can attend worship or meetings or concerts.

Children are why we are here, why Chalice exists. And we are here, all of us, to support their upbringing, and to support the parents and guardians who are raising them.

Church provides an environment in which children can play, explore, and learn. Church included plenty of opportunities to make friends and interact with others beyond the family. I cannot overstate to you how important it is that the children who come to Chalice have a peer group outside of their school system, a peer group that is talking about our UU principles and offering support and acceptance to each other. And I also cannot overstate to you how important it is that the children and families at Chalice have connections with and support from other adults in the congregation. Our children benefit from knowing that adults care about them. And our families benefit from having a wide circle of support to lean on.

It takes a village to raise a child.

Whatever the challenges of the outside world, I hope that we share a vision of Chalice as a place where we work hard to defy the disconnection and loneliness that plague others. Let's not put on a façade with each other here. Let's not be afraid to ask for help. Let's not have to sneak into the bathroom to have a moment of rest.

Let's make the effort and take the time to know each other well, to build meaningful relationships, and to reach out to each other for connection and for support. Let's play, explore, and learn together, all of us, all ages.

Bright blessings,
Sharon



Rev. Sharon Wylie's Office Hours:

Tuesday & Thursday, 1-5 pm, Wednesday, 2-5 pm

Appointments outside office hours are based on availability.

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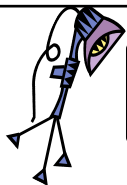
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Nancy Bowen,
Congregation President





Music Spotlight on Vickie Hoey

Music Spotlight on Vickie Hoey Brief Biography

(Note: Vickie was our Music Spotlight for April, but Music Committee asked to publish her spotlight again in June in case anyone missed it.)



I was born and raised in the Hollywood Hills, to a Jewish family, first generation Russian/Romanian heritage. My parents built the house I was brought up in, and they lived there for 52 years. It was a great, diverse neighborhood! My father was an electrical engineer, a profession he loved. He worked at the Jet Propulsion Lab (JPL) and was Project Manager for the Viking and Mariner projects. Because of his job, we got to live in Florida twice while he was getting ready for these shots, and it was very exciting, even for a little kid. My mother loves art and has

been a travel agent and docent at the LA County Art Museum for over 50 years, so I got a full experience: technology, art, travel. What a great childhood.

Regarding music, I love singing. In school, I sang in choirs from elementary school through college. I made amazing friends and sang some incredible music. After college at UC Riverside (psychology), I did get into some musical theater and commercial acting in Los Angeles, while working daytime Administrative Assistant jobs. I have some stories about that, mostly amusing!

What Music Means To Me

To me, music is a gift. It's a place where I can let go of the troubles of the world and just enjoy being in a group creating. I am thrilled that I can join with others in song. I quit singing when I got married, and I feel grateful that I can participate again. I look forward to being a part of the Chalice Choir for the long term.



Interfaith Community Services May 16 General Membership Meeting Report

On May 16, Dorris Kingsbury and Julia Fogel attended the Interfaith Community Services General Membership monthly meeting. The Theme of the meeting was Partnerships with Purpose. Partnerships with three agencies were presented.

Community Housing Works is a non-profit housing development organization that provides and builds affordable apartment communities, and provides services for working families, seniors and people with disabilities.

Interfaith's Permanent Supportive Housing Program assists clients to find housing through Community Housing Works. Community Housing Works apartments are located in Escondido and Oceanside. Overall, San Diego County has 297 homes for families in need, and 2,945 homes for individuals. However, most of individual homes are designated for veterans.

Interfaith and Neighborhood Healthcare entered into a formal agreement 12 years ago to jointly provide social services and health care.

The Alliance for Regional Solutions was created to

establish winter shelters for the homeless. Having achieved the initial goal of shelters, the Alliance now has five working groups, each addressing a different area of concern.

Mr. Anglea then provided some updates and announcements. The Hope in Housing Program, which provides flexible funds to clients, has so far raised \$50,000, but more is needed. So far, 846 have been housed, with the goal of 1,000 to be housed by July. He noted that 81 of those housed were from the Haven House Shelter.

It was noted that the City is more involved now than in the past in assisting with the problem. However, the homeless population which been living in Grape Day Park were recently moved from the Park to other locations, which is not an acceptable solution to many.

There is a need for drivers for meal delivery to veterans. Check the social justice table and bulletin board for more activities and volunteer opportunities.