

The Interfaith Center for Spiritual Growth

JUNE 2024



Sunday Celebration Service

10:45 a.m. ~ 12:15 p.m.

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Gretchen Leonhardt & Pat Root
Administrative Assistants

Connie Snow, Facilities

The Interfaith Center for Spiritual Growth

Celebration Services – June 2024

Prelude

Welcome & Announcements

Invocation/Prayer for Peace

Spirit Song

Sharing Love/Building Community

See the Divine within all you meet. Share greetings with a smile, a hand shake, "Namaste" or a hug if mutually desired. You may choose to mingle or sit in meditation during this time.

Spiritual Reading

Meditation Chant & Meditation

Special Music

Message

Special Music

Offering Blessing

We fill these offerings with our love and blessings, sending them forth to bring peace to our world.

Benediction

Let there be Peace on Earth and let it begin with me (2x)

May God's Spirit rest upon you

May Gods Peace abide in you

May the Light of God Fill your Heart and Soul

Now and Forever More

Closing

Our circle of love is ended but not broken.

In peace we have met; in peace we now depart.

June 2 Service Leader: Rev. Annie Kopko

Message: Craig Harvey

"Chop Wood-Walk on Water"

Reading: Rob Fagerlund

Meditation: Marice Clark

Special Music: Mark Maxwell

June 9 Service Leader: Rev. Delyth Balmer

Message: Imam Kamau Ayubbi *"Soulful Pilgrimage: Creation & Creativity in Movement"*

Reading: Dick Durham

Meditation: Susan Slack

Special Music: Huron Valley Harmonizers

June 16 Service Leader: Rev. David Bell

Message: Rob Fagerlund, Norah Reilly, Paul Jurgensen & Dawn Swartz

"Reflections on Fathers and Fathering"

Reading: Judy Bell

Meditation: Bob Hopkins

Special Music: Alex Terzian

June 2 Service Leader: Rev. Lyriel Claire

Message: Layla Ananda *"Birthday"*

Reading: Annie Kopko

Meditation: Randall Counts

Special Music: Lotta Love Band

June 30 Service Leader: Rev. Annie Kopko

Message: Rev. Trevor Eller *"My Sweet Lord: George Harrison, Universal Spirituality & Bhakti Yoga"*

Reading: Den Carbonell

Meditation: Brett Koon

Special Music: Sundance

Affirmative Prayers: After service in the Sanctuary.

Refreshments: In the Social Hall after service-join us!

Connections

Zoom Link for Sunday Services

<https://uso2web.zoom.us/j/440540886>

Phone in: (929) 205-6099

Facebook Link

<https://www.facebook.com/interfaithspirit/>

Interfaith YouTube Channel

<https://www.youtube.com/user/interfaith704>

Interfaith on Instagram

<http://www.instagram.com/interfaithspirit>

Welcome Table

If you are new to Interfaith, we hope you stop by the welcome table to pick up a welcome packet containing information about the Center and a welcome gift!

Volunteer Opportunities

Volunteer Coordinator - Annemarie Howse

There are many ways you may offer your talents and support to the Interfaith Center. Below are a few of the areas in which volunteers are needed. Contact Annemarie Howse at (818) 667-2815 or email ahowse21@gmail.com for information on volunteer opportunities.

- First Sunday Potluck: help set up and clean up
- Sign up for the Spiritual Reading or Meditation
- Bring snacks for Sunday Social Hour or Cafe 704
- Volunteer for special projects (such as clearing the space in the attic).
- Submit articles, quotes, poems, book reviews, etc. to the Newsletter.

Special Events in June

Saturday, June 1

Drum & Dance Jam with Curtis Glatter

7:30 – 9:00 p.m.

Cost: \$5 donation suggested

Sunday, June 2

Potluck following the service

Bring a dish to share. All are welcome!

Saturday, June 8

Cafe 704 -David Mosher

7:00 - 9:00 p.m. (doors open at 6:30 p.m.)

Tickets: \$10.00 in person or on Zoom

Wednesday, June 12

Community Sing with Matt Watroba

7:00 – 8:15 p.m.

Cost: donations encouraged.

Saturday, June 15

Drumunity with Lori Fithian

7:00 – 9:00 p.m.

Cost: donation

Friday, June 21

Solstice Candlelight Meditation Concert with Norma Gentile

8:00 – 9:00 p.m.

Tickets: \$20.00 at the door.

Saturday, June 22

Solstice Sing with Lori Fithian

7:00 – 9:00 p.m.

Cost: donation

Saturday, June 29

Dances of Universal Peace with Susan Slack

7:00 – 9:00 p.m.

Cost: \$10 donation if able

Meet Your Board of Trustees



Photo from Board Retreat, 6/11/24

**Darlene MacLeod, Lance Clark, Brett Koon & Cristo Bowers (Chair)
Janet Somalinog, Dawn Swartz & Peggy Lubahn (Secretary)**

Board meetings are held on the 3rd Sunday of each month in person and on Zoom from 12:30 to 2:30 p.m. The meetings are open for all to attend. If joining by zoom the meeting ID is: [82314587072](https://join.zoom.us/j/82314587072) Community input is greatly appreciated. You may also send an email to board@interfaithspirit.org.

Vision Statement

As expressions of divinity
we celebrate a world
awakened to Love.

Sunday Greeters

Coordinator: Randall Counts

At the Center:

Carol Bardenstein
Randall Counts
Rob Fagerlund
Diane Gledhill
Margie Hough
Todd Johnson
Lindsay Passmore
Norah Reilly

On Zoom

Jean Balent
Vicki Davinich
Cayla Tchalo

Mission Statement

Our mission is to explore universal truths underlying all paths of spiritual growth by providing weekly fellowship, learning and service opportunities, and social events to create and inspire a vibrant and diverse spiritual community.

Sunday Tech Team

Sound

Craig Brann
Don Digirolamo
Diane Gledhill

Camera

Layla Ananda
Craig Harvey
Dave Snyder



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Regularly Scheduled Activities

Events are weekly unless otherwise specified.

Monday

A Course in Miracles Study Group

In Person and *On Zoom*

6:45 – 8:45 p.m.

David Bell (734) 646-8475

Meeting ID: 862 4978 9262

Password: miracles

Tuesday

Death Cafe * 1st Tuesday*

On Zoom Only

6:30 – 8:00 p.m.

Annie Kopko (734) 358-1328

Phone in: (646) 558-8656

Meeting ID: 284 903 577# Password: 674985

Sufi Gathering –Imam Kamau Ayubbi

On Zoom Only

7:00 - 8:00 pm donation: \$5-\$10

Meeting ID: 883 478 525

Wednesday

Wednesday Social Hour

On Zoom Only

2:00 – 3:00 p.m.

Peggy Lubahn

Meeting ID: 858 0182 1285 Passcode: 715589

Phone in: 929 205 6099

Community Sing with Matt Watroba

*** 2nd Wednesday***

In Person **June 12** (not meeting July or August)

7:00 – 8:15 p.m. donations encouraged.

Thursday

A Course in Miracles Study Group

On Zoom Only

7:30 – 8:30 p.m.

Randall Counts (517) 750-8087

Linda McDonough (479) 461-4839

Meeting ID: 896 0232 7682

Singing for Comfort * 2nd Thursday*

In Person and On Zoom

7:00 – 8:30 p.m.

Layla Ananda (734) 646-7405

Meeting ID: 338 524 966

Password: 311926

Friday

Peace Generator * 3rd Friday*

On Zoom only in JUNE

7:00 – 9:00 p.m.

Craig Harvey (734) 709-0253

Meeting ID: 213 742 5638

Saturday

Drum & Dance & Jam – Curtis Glatter

*** 1st Saturday***

In Person **June 1 & Aug. 3**

7:30 – 9:00 p.m. Curtis Glatter by Donation

Café 704 & Artisan 704 * 2nd Saturday*

In Person and on Zoom (purchase ticket for the link)

7:00 – 9:00 p.m. (doors open at 6:30 p.m.)

Tickets: \$10.00 in person or on zoom

Al Carter cafe704@gmail.com

Drumunity – Lori Fithian * 3rd Saturday*

In Person **June 15, July 20, August 17...**

7:00 – 9:00 p.m.

Lori Fithian: lorifithian@mac.com

Regularly Scheduled Meetings

Leadership Team Meeting

2nd Sunday

1:00 – 2:00 p.m.

Bob Hopkins (734) 985-5572

Board of Trustees Meeting

3rd Sunday

on Zoom and in person

12:30 – 2:30 p.m. **NEW TIME**

Phone in: 929 205 6099

Meeting ID: 823 1458 7072

board@interfaithspirit.org

Caring Committee Meeting

1st Thursday on Zoom

6:30 – 7:30 p.m.

Marilyn Alf, Chair

sdtoaa@gmail.com

Transportation:

Need a Ride/Give a Ride

If you need a ride to Interfaith or to medical appointments OR are available to provide a ride on an as needed basis please contact the Caring Committee.

Stay Connected – Here's How

Sign up for our mailing list (powered by MailChimp) by going to our website at interfaithspirit.org

Once you're on this list you'll receive emails (not too many) about Sunday services and events sponsored by the Center.

Join the Interfaith Center Groups.io

(interfaithspirit@groups.io)

Posts to this group include local events, requests for prayers or assistance and other topics of interest to this community. You do not have to be a member of the Interfaith Center to join the group or to send/receive messages.

To join:

- Use the email account where you wish to receive Interfaith group emails.
- Send an email to interfaithspirit+subscribe@groups.io.
- You will receive an email request to: "confirm your groups.io Subscription" (Check your Junk/Spam folder if you don't see it.) Then reply to the email you have received.

Interfaith on YouTube

Most of our Sunday messages, guest musicians, readings and meditations are video recorded and made available on YouTube for you to view anytime.

Go to: <https://www.youtube.com/user/interfaith704/videos>

Facebook

Check out our Facebook page:

<http://www.facebook.com/interfaithspirit>

Connect to our internet while at the Center

Network name: ICSGLove wif password: interfaithspirit

Caring Committee Members and Contact Information

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