

# UUCG Beyond Sunday Morning

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## Events This Week

- \*Tarot: Sunday, Sept 15
  - \*+Sharing the Journey: Sunday, Sept 15
  - \*+Board Meeting: Monday, Sept 16
  - +Wi\$dom Path: Monday, Sept 16
  - \*Choir Rehearsal: Tuesday, Sept 17
  - +Yarns From the Heart: Wednesday, Sept 18
  - \*Music Night: Thursday, Sept 19
- \*in-person +online ^off-site in person

## Wi\$dom Path

Participants build awareness of their own “money story” and explore their own attitudes and experiences with money.

Monday, Sept 16 at 7pm via Zoom

## Beyond Sunday Morning

“Do you know what a foreign accent is? It’s a sign of bravery.”

– *Amy Chua*

“We have become not a melting pot but a beautiful mosaic. Different people, different beliefs, different yearnings, different hopes, different dreams.”

–*Jimmy Carter*

“For decades, I have cringed whenever someone called me 'illegal,' as if I'm an insect on someone's back. I found out I didn't have the right papers - that I was here illegally - when I tried to get a driver's permit at age 16. But I am not 'illegal.' No person is.”

–*Jose Antonio Vargas*

## UU Inspirations

As Unitarian Universalists, we use, and are inspired by, sacred and secular understandings that help us to live into our values. We respect the histories, contexts and cultures in which they were created and are currently practiced. These sources ground us and sustain us in ordinary, difficult, and joyous times. Grateful for the religious ancestries we inherit and the diversity which enriches our faith, we are called to ever deepen and expand our wisdom.

## UU Values

**Love** is the power that holds us together and is at the center of our shared values. We are accountable to one another for doing the work of living our shared values through the spiritual discipline of Love. Inseparable from one another, these shared values are:

**Interdependence.** We honor the interdependent web of all existence. We covenant to cherish Earth and all beings by creating and nurturing relationships of care and respect. With humility and reverence, we acknowledge our place in the great web of life, and we work to repair harm and damaged relationships.

**Pluralism.** We celebrate that we are all sacred beings diverse in culture, experience, and theology. We covenant to learn from one another in our free and responsible search for truth and meaning. We embrace our differences and commonalities with Love, curiosity, and respect.

**Justice.** We work to be diverse multicultural Beloved Communities where all thrive. We covenant to dismantle racism and all forms of systemic oppression. We support the use of inclusive democratic processes to make decisions.

**Transformation.** We adapt to the changing world. We covenant to collectively transform and grow spiritually and ethically. Openness to change is fundamental to our Unitarian and Universalist heritages, never complete and never perfect.

**Generosity.** We cultivate a spirit of gratitude and hope. We covenant to freely and compassionately share our faith, presence, and resources. Our generosity connects us to one another in relationships of interdependence and mutuality.

**Equity.** We declare that every person has the right to flourish with inherent dignity and worthiness. We covenant to use our time, wisdom, attention, and money to build and sustain fully accessible and inclusive communities.