



Unitarian Universalist Fellowship of Los Gatos

# What's Happening

*open minds, loving hearts, serving hands*

January 7 - January 21



January 10, Sunday, 10:30am, Zoom

## Why Nonviolence (Still) Matters

As we prepare to celebrate the life of Dr. Martin Luther King Jr., let us inquire into one of the central ideas he upheld in his leadership: Nonviolence.

Is nonviolence still relevant in the modern landscape of activism? To answer this, we'll need to get very clear on what nonviolence really means, and the type of social change theories and tactics it includes. Join us for inspirational words from Dr. King and a deep dive into an important and complex subject. –Rev. Fa Jun, Minister

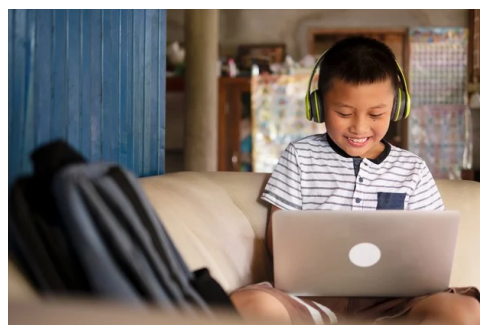
We will gather online via Zoom as congregants will not be present at the Fellowship at this time. [Zoom online/phone-in details for January 10 service](#) (PDF) Zoom details are also always available on our [website](#) and [calendar](#). New to Zoom? Visit our Zoom [basics](#) webpage. Contact [Service Associate Karen O'Brien](#) to plan UUFLG special announcements, etc.

To share joys and concerns during the online service, please send an email to [joysandconcerns@uuflg.org](mailto:joysandconcerns@uuflg.org) with a brief message anytime during the week and before the service.

### Children & Youth Religious Exploration

(CYRE) in-person classes will resume once we hold services at the Fellowship again.

In the meantime, our Fellowship is collaborating with the UU Fellowship of Sunnyvale and the First Unitarian Church of San Jose to offer children and youth a forum to engage with area UUs via Zoom. Preschool and elementary kids meet Sundays at 11:30 am; middle-schoolers Sundays at 2 pm; and high-schoolers Sundays at 3 pm. Email [Colleen Hamilton](#) for links.



Also, stroll by our Fellowship anytime. View Community the Goodwill Bear in the window. Remember a pen to sign their "Together Apart" banner to show your part in staying apart, to keep each other safe.

Children may visit the [UUFLG Kids YouTube Channel](#) to view videos that entertain or enlighten. To post an original video to our channel or recommend another YouTube video to our playlist, email the file or a link to [Colleen](#).

**Offertory Options** – A PayPal transaction in the middle of a service can feel less natural than putting a little something in the basket as it passes by. But our Sunday donations really are important to keep our Fellowship financially healthy. Another option than PayPal is to setup a recurring donation of any amount through your bank's bill-paying service. For more information on that, Charlie Holst and Karen O'Brien are available to assist. Mailing checks to the Fellowship remains an option, too.

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Retired UU Men

[Thursdays, 1-2:30pm, Zoom](#)



"All We Can Save" Book Circle

[1/9, Saturday, 11:30am, Zoom](#)



Social Action Committee

[1/10, Sunday, 9-10am, Zoom](#)



Great Books Discussion

[1/11, Monday, 7-9pm, email \[harryrcampbell@gmail.com\]\(mailto:harryrcampbell@gmail.com\) for online access](#)



Finance Committee

[1/12, Tuesday, 12-1pm, Zoom](#)



Board of Trustees

[1/14, Thursday, 7-8:15pm, Zoom](#)



Chalice Circle

[1/19, Tuesday, 10-11:30am, Zoom](#)



Click to go to our web calendar with Zoom details for all UUFLG events.

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Community the Goodwill Bear sports a festive "2021" mask, starting the new year on a "pawsitive" note.



January 9, Saturday, 11:30am, Zoom

## "All We Can Save" Book Circle

Join us for our third monthly circle to discuss the new anthology of environmentalist writing by women across generations called [All We Can Save: Truth, Courage, and Solutions for the Climate Crisis](#). Youth and adults are encouraged to participate. We will discuss section 2, entitled "Advocate." If you like, preview discussion [questions](#) and explore

supplementary [materials](#). Books Inc in Campbell is offering us a 15 percent discount on this book. Contact [Colleen Hamilton](#) if you prefer to borrow a copy.

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January 17, Sunday, 10:30am, Zoom

## Contemplating an Eighth UU Principle

We have all become accustomed to the UU Seven Principles, but ours is an evolving tradition. Black Lives of Unitarian Universalism is urging the UUA to add an eighth principle: "Journeying toward spiritual wholeness by working to build a diverse multicultural Beloved Community by our actions that accountably dismantle racism and other oppressions in ourselves and our institutions." On this Sunday before Martin Luther King, Jr. Day, we will contemplate and discuss this proposed principle, as well as the process and dynamics of adapting our tradition to reflect increasing consciousness and awareness. –Lynn Golbetz, Service Lay Leader

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