



Unitarian Universalist Fellowship of Los Gatos

# What's Happening

*open minds, loving hearts, serving hands*

June 23 - July 7

June 26, Sunday, 11am-12pm, \*In-person & Zoom

## Facing the Hydra – the Single Key to Multi-faceted Problems

It seems as if those who love peace face battle on every side. How can we stay motivated to continue the struggle without sinking under the weight of overwhelm? Join us this morning to learn the singular key to cutting through these wicked problems and complexities. –Rev. Fa Jun, Minister

Zoom remains an option: [direct link](#). Zoom details are on our [website](#) and [calendar](#). Contact our service associate to plan UUFLG special announcements, etc.

\* For in-person attendance, we continue to follow safety protocols detailed in our [Gathering Guidelines](#).

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

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**Children & Youth Religious Exploration (CYRE)** – Children eleven and under enjoy in-person RE in the fenced courtyard between the front entrance and the deck, where staff provide supervision from 10:45 to 12:15. The exterior door remains open and activities take place outside in the courtyard, weather permitting. Dress your child to be outdoors; at times, we go on circle walks to tend the Harvest for Neighbors garden. Youth aged twelve and up are welcome to join us or attend the service and are also invited to volunteer in a variety of roles around the Fellowship. Contact DRE [Colleen Hamilton](#).

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**We are grateful for those who help make Sunday Service a special time!**

Our invaluable volunteers this Sunday include service associates [Lynn Golbetz](#), sound technician [Linda Osborne](#) and Zoom host [Robb Stolberg](#). Our talented staff\* includes pianist and singer [Dave Coldren](#), religious exploration director [Colleen Hamilton](#) and religious exploration teacher [Arthur Piersol](#).

\*Financial support of UUFLG makes possible their paid positions. Thank you!

## Upcoming Regularly Scheduled Activities



Caring Committee  
6/23, Thursday, 6:30-7:30pm



Retired UU Men  
Thursdays, 1-2:30pm. Check with Harry Campbell if in-person or via Zoom



Building & Grounds Workday  
6/25, Saturday, 9am-12pm



Children's Book Exchange  
6/26, Sunday, 12-12:30pm, Deck



CYRE Committee  
7/3, Sunday, 12:30-1:30pm, In-person



Makers Meetup  
7/4, Monday, 11:30am-2pm



Membership Committee  
7/4, Monday, 5-6pm



Chalice Circle  
7/5, Tuesday, 10-11:30am



Read on to learn about other activities. Click for our web calendar of all UUFLG events.



## The future for us, starts with a backpack today **PACK A BACK 2022**



Together, we can ensure that  
3,800 students go back to school  
with hope and opportunity.  
**Support Pack a Back 2022!**



[sacredheartcs.org/PAB](https://sacredheartcs.org/PAB)

July 3-17, Sundays

### Pack-a-Back Drive @ UUFLG

Collections of school supplies and backpacks at UUFLG for the annual [Pack-a-Back drive](#) will begin Sunday, July 3 and end Sunday, July 17.

To make monetary donations there will be a shared plate for the drive on Sunday, July 17. Or, you may hand Julie Matthews cash or checks with Pack-a-Back in the memo line.

We are collecting for grades 6, 7 & 8. Below is a list of supplies needed.

- erasers (2)
- glue sticks (2)
- #2 pencils (10)
- pencil sharpener
- colored pencils
- highlighters (2)
- scissors
- plastic ruler
- spiral notebooks (3)
- notebook/composition book (2)
- 1-2 inch, three-ring binder
- college ruled filler paper (2)
- pocket folders (2)
- ballpoint pens (blue, black, and red, 10 each)
- index cards
- USB
- graphing paper
- color/pattern backpack (no red or blue backpacks)

On July 24 during Sunday class time, RE students will pack donated supplies into donated backpacks.

Families do not have to be involved with Sacred Heart or live in a certain zip code to register to receive a backpack. Anyone in need can register beginning July 5, with more information to come.

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June 9, Thursday, 7pm

## Board Update

Greetings, beloved community! Here are some highlights from the last board meeting.

First and foremost, the board expressed its great appreciation for the service of Karen O'Brien and Rick Roberts, both of whom are stepping down at the end of the month.

### Covid

The Covid Task Force recommends no changes to our guidelines at this time.

### Stewardship

Ron Kirkland has finished replacing our failing thermostats. Thank you, Ron! In an ongoing effort to address deferred maintenance, Stewardship is considering adding specific project days to the general workdays. More chances to volunteer, and with more flexibility!

## Finance

The Finance Committee is organizing a concert by Roy Zimmerman on July 15. Please invite any friends or family who might enjoy this always-entertaining event (admission \$30, with the majority of the money going to the Fellowship).

## Arts and Aesthetics

The beautiful new banner on Old Blossom Hill is up. The Fitches have kindly offered to replace the piece of wood upon which it hangs, once said wood finishes deteriorating.

## Annual Membership Meeting

The board discussed preparations for the annual membership meeting, scheduled for Sunday, June 12, after the service.

## Volunteer Needs

Our Fellowship runs on the energy of our committees, which always welcome volunteers. There is work for any taste, from public speaking to digging up weeds. If you can devote any amount of time to volunteer for the Fellowship, please contact Sarah Ditzler (Religious Exploration), Rev. Fa Jun (Caring), Karen Fitch (Arts & Aesthetics), Lynn Golbetz (Sunday Services), Sierra Golbetz (Social Action), Rick Roberts (both Finance and Stewardship, including Building and Grounds), or David Voris (Membership).

## More About the Board

Full minutes of board meetings are posted on the UUFLG website under the Administration menu. Members are always welcome to attend board meetings, held the second Thursday of each month at 7pm via the Zoom link on the UUFLG calendar. You are also welcome to ask your trustees questions at any time! Until the end of June, we are Karen O'Brien (president), Karen Fitch (vice president), Lynn Golbetz (secretary), Rick Roberts (treasurer), and Lauri Feetham (member at large).

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June 12, Sunday, 12:30pm

## Congregational Membership Held Annual Meeting

UUFLG members held the annual business meeting June 12, 2022. Here are the [minutes](#).

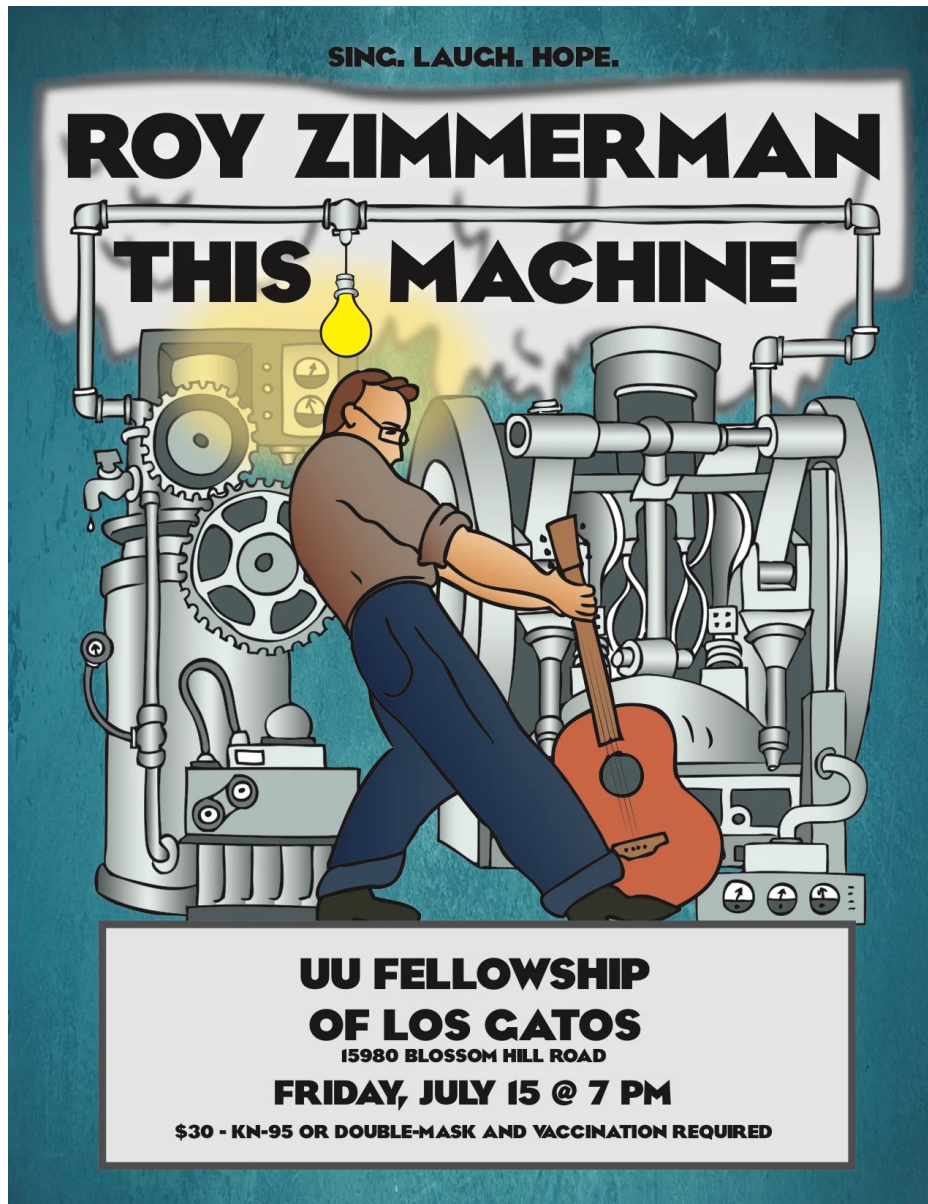
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July 3, Sunday, 11am-12pm, In-person

## Ice Cream Social Sunday

Jessie Lane Adams once penned, "Ice cream is happiness condensed." Join us this Sunday for a delightfully delicious ice cream social. We will meet in the sanctuary for a light version of our Sunday Service then adjourn to the West Room for happiness dished up in bowls. Bring your happiness; we will have plenty of ice cream to share.





Save the Date: [July 15, Friday, 7pm, In-person](#)

## Roy Zimmerman in Concert

Roy Zimmerman, a progressive singer/songwriter returns to UUFLG for what should prove another inspiring and joyous concert.

Roy has brought the sting of satire to the struggle for social justice to stages, screens and airwaves for thirty-odd years. (And they've been thirty~~odd~~ years.) "This Machine" is ninety minutes of Roy's songs, at turns heartfelt and hilarious. It's laughter and encouragement for progressive-minded people who need a lot of both.

With his wife and co-writer Melanie Harby, Roy is celebrating the release of "This Machine: The Best of Roy Zimmerman," a double album set containing their runaway song parody "Vote Him Away (The Liar Tweets Tonight)."

Joni Mitchell says, "Roy's lyrics move beyond poetry and achieve perfection."

Admission is \$30. Proceeds will help sustain UUFLG. Doors open at 6:30pm.

**Help spread the word:** Share show [poster](#) with friends and family on social media and via email. **Volunteer** for a great evening; contact [Laurie Roberts](#).

**Sing. Laugh. Hope.**

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