



**Thanks to EVERYONE who planned and participated in our
 GENEROUS FUN POTLUCK and STEWARDSHIP SUNDAY!**

If you wish to pledge and have not yet had an opportunity to do so, please contact office@uudavis.org

Weekly Bulletin, Sunday, 10 February 2019
www.uudavis.org, office@uudavis.org, 530-753-2581
 Bulletin submissions due noon, Wed. 50 word limit.

UU Quilters meet Sat, Feb 9, 3-5:30pm. Something for everyone to do regardless of sewing experience. Contact Julie Saylor.

Board Meeting 7pm, 11 February, UU Library. All are welcome. Agenda: <https://tinyurl.com/201902UUCDBoard>

Become a Trained OWL Facilitator: Email revmclean@uudavis.org

Immigration Justice Team (IJT): Community Forum, Dr. Brad Jones, Tues, Feb 12, 7pm, Sanctuary. The real southern border crisis is the death of migrants and criminalization of humanitarian aid volunteers. SPEAK co-sponsors. Public invited. —*Jeannette Hogan*



Life Odysseys 12:45-2pm, Feb 17, Sanctuary: Diane Evans & Jack Whitsett. Bring lunch and witness these life journeys.

Worship, Feb 10, 9:30 & 11:15am, *The Song of Trust*; Rev. Banks. Trust can crumble in one moment of thoughtlessness. This is about relationships that last.

Feb 17, 9:30 & 11:15am, *It's You I Like*; Alex Haider-Winnett. Mr. Rogers' message of love and kindness.

Feb 24, 9:30 & 11:15am, *Celebrating Music*; Rev. Banks, Juuliebells with Co-Directors, Barbara Meixner and Linda Birse; Sparks Choir with Music Director, Alison Skinner; Pianist, Andrei Baumann, perform for both services. We honor the power of music in our lives and celebrate the singers and ringers who create our vibrant musical community. You'll participate too.

Show the Love to our Musicians

Feb 24: Volunteer to help create a light breakfast brunch for our Sunday musicians. Sign-up Feb 10 at the Get Involved tables in the Social Hall or with RevBanks@uudavis.org



Brains & Brawn We have two volunteers, and seek a few more, for a new *Facilities Special Projects* committee. If this may be a fit for you, let Board Chair, Walt Fulde, know how your skills might match: wfulde@gmail.com



FABULOUS BABY SHOWER FOR REV. MORGAN MCLEAN & DANIEL KIRSCH! Sun, Feb 24, after the second service. All are invited to sing, play a game, paint, write your wishes for their baby. Bring a hearty appetizer to share. Cash or checks towards a group gift are welcome (special envelopes available). Host: Jill Pickett jill.pickett@gmail.com

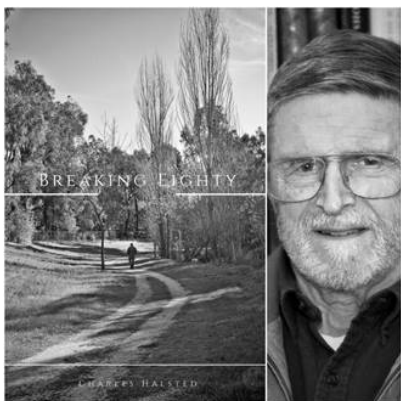
Dig in the Dirt! FARM Davis work parties: March 10, April 6, June 9. Work and activities for all ages create produce to share with our neighbors in need.

2nd & 4th Sundays, 12:30pm, Alex Haider-Winnett leads folks in tending to our garden plot. Dig in the dirt, plant seeds, pull weeds, water plants. All ages & abilities.

Poetry Readings ♦ Feb. 15, 7:30 pm, Other Voice Poetry: Charles Halsted & Robert Ramming read in UUCD Library, free + open mic; James Lee-Jobe, Davis Poet Laureate, hosts. jamesleejobe@gmail.com

♦ Feb. 17, 2 pm, "Ladies of the Knight," Angela James, Carol Lynn Stevenson Grellas, and Jeanette Sem, Davis Arts Center, 1919 F Street. Free + open mic; James Lee-Jobe, Davis Poet Laureate, hosts,

♦ Feb 11, 7:30pm, Charles Halsted reads from *Breaking Eighty*, his first poetry chapbook: Sacramento Poetry Center, 1719 25th St. (25th and R St. Complex), 95816.



Annual PCD Women's Retreat, March 7-10. All self-identified women welcome. Delicious meals; workshops for mind, body, spirit; new and old friends; quiet contemplation; boutique, silent auction, book swap. www.womenandreligionpcd.org



THE TECH UPGRADE—CONNECTED COMMUNITY—HAS BEGUN! THANKS TO OUR 2018 AUCTION!

The Auction is UUCD's largest fundraiser. At our 2018 Auction, we raised almost \$44,000, which includes over \$20,000 for our "Connected Community" tech upgrade! Congratulations and thanks to everyone who participated! auction@uudavis.org

General Assembly, June 19-23 in Spokane, WA, is the annual meeting of our Unitarian Universalist Association. Attendees worship, witness, learn, connect, and make policy through democratic process. Anyone may attend; congregations send voting delegates. 100+ programming selections. Registration, Housing & Financial Aid Open March 1: www.uua.org/ga

Caring Corner ♦ Pastoral Connection: 530-341-3490: call this number to be put through to the cell phone of the minister on-call, care@uudavis.org

Gale Sosnick moved to Carlton Senior Living, 2726 5th St, #220, Davis 95618. She enjoys visits and accepts rides. 415-847-8595

Remembering **Eldridge Moores**
 Celebration of Life: <https://youtu.be/2BycVJ69Lx8>
 Photos: <https://youtu.be/5MaFISN4074>
 Obituary
<https://www.davisenterprise.com/obits/eldridge-morton-moores-iii/>

Board Announcement on Staff Salary Increases

Guided by our second UU principle, justice, equity and compassion in human relations, the Board's goal over the next three years is to fulfill our collective responsibility to fair staff compensation.

On January 12th, the Board voted to approve staff salary increases for the 2019-2020 church budget. The increases are expected to total over \$15,000 and would require a general 8% increase in pledges from the congregation. This level of support is important for us to honor our commitments to our professional staff.

The Board has been working with Morgan to give her a promotion and negotiate a new long-term agreement with her. We believe it is important to compensate her appropriately for her increased responsibilities. We will be bringing her salary up to the UUA guidelines over the next three years, as well as increase her professional expense allowance. In the meantime, she will work 80% time for her first year as a new parent.

Morgan's presence has changed what our Senior Minister can do in the community, including working with the Immigration Justice Team and innovative programs outside of the congregation. Beth's salary also needs to be increased to stay within UUA guidelines; we plan to do this over the next two years.

In addition to the ministers, Mandy Dawn Kuntz is the church's only full-time employee. We want to bring her salary up to the UUA guidelines and propose to do this over the next three years.

The generosity of this congregation has allowed us to live our values and support our mission together. *Please join our commitment to making this goal a reality!*

Out & About, February: *Rev Banks preaches and leads worship. Projects with AB540 Undocumented Students. The Generosity Project with Aimee Crawford, Matt Seelke, Carol Corbett: in Phoenix, they meet Regional staff and leaders from 9 congregations to consolidate interview results from each congregation. Feb. Ministry focuses on the Stewardship Campaign and supporting our Stewardship leadership.*

Rev. McLean looks forward to being a visiting steward, making clergy connections in the community and the UU region, and preparing for maternity leave!

Alex Haider-Winnett office hours Mon-Wed at UUCD. Thurs office hours at Downtown Peet's/UCD MU. Email for location. Feb 10 & 24, he hosts work-parties at the raised beds by the cottage; all ages and abilities welcomed.