

U2C2 Connection

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September 2008

A Month of Sundays

Worship Services

9:30 AM Meditative Service

The theme of our contemplative services for the month of September is "Water." Come join us in meditation upon the ways that rivers, lakes, oceans and the hidden lives of tide pools inspire our lives.

11:00 AM Traditional Service

Sept. 7: Water Communion

Rev. Martha will lead our annual ingathering ceremony in which we welcome each other "home" from our summer travels and activities. Please bring a sample of water representing your summer adventures. This may be anything from a bit of water from a place you visited, to some water from your neighbor's pool, to a little tap water that represents an inner journey. We will combine our water samples in a symbolic joining of our lives in community and you will have a chance to say a few words about where you've been in body or spirit this past summer. This will be an all-church service with our children present throughout.

Worship leader: Rev. Martha Hodges

Sept. 14: "Engaging our Second Source: Reluctant Prophets"

Rev. Martha will continue her sermon series, begun last year, on the sources we draw upon as Unitarian Universalists. Our second source is "words and deeds of prophetic women and men which challenge us to confront powers and structures of evil with justice, compassion, and the transforming power of love." What might those "powers and structures of evil" mean to us as UUs in this present time? How do they challenge us, and why is it so hard to confront them?

Worship leader: Rev. Martha Hodges

Sept. 21: "This I Believe"

Many of us are familiar with the "This I Believe" essays on National Public Radio. On this Sunday, we will hear some of the radio essays along with thoughts from some of our own members.

Worship leader: Lucy Bunch

Sept. 28: "Inscribed in the Book of Life"

The Jewish High Holy Days provide believers a structure within which to examine our souls, repent of our broken promises to the Holy and pray that our names be inscribed in the Book of Life for another year. Martha will reflect on what it might mean to us as UUs to be registered in the Book of Life, and what wisdom we may draw from this religious tradition of Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur.

Worship leader: Rev. Martha Hodges

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2 "No On 8" Phone Bank 6-9pm	3	4 Daytimers 10am at church	5	6 Sat Supper *AAE/LO&TR @ TBD
7 Sunday Worship 9:30 & 11:00 am Newcomer Welcome after services RE Meeting after church	8 Membership Committee Mtg 7-9pm	9 "No On 8" Phone Bank 6-9pm	10	11 Daytimers 10am at church	12	13 Listening Device Test #1 7pm at church
14 Sunday Worship 9:30 & 11:00 am Harry Potter Game & Talk Time after church Listening Device Test #2 during church	15 Newsletter Deadline	16 "No On 8" Phone Bank 6-9pm	17	18 Daytimers 10am at church	19	20 Men's Group 9am For the Bible Tells Me So (movie) 6-9pm Theatre Group 8pm
21 Sunday Worship 9:30 & 11:00 am FinanceMtg 12pm	22	23 "No On 8" Phone Bank 6-9pm	24	25 Daytimers 10am at church Church Ops Mtg 7pm (offsite)	26	27 Board Retreat (site TBD)
28 Sunday Worship 9:30 & 11:00 am	29	30 "No On 8" Phone Bank 6-9pm				

*AAE indicates an Action Auction Event.

Worship Support Schedule

	Altar	Greeters	Lighters	Ushers
9/7	Beverly Boido	Frieda Fergus	Hannah C.M.	Rebecca Fain
9/14	Sybil Lawson	Frieda Fergus	Megan N.	Rebecca Fain
9/21	Georgene Tarble	Frieda Fergus	Eliana E.	Rebecca Fain
9/28	Jenn Richard	Frieda Fergus	Everett C.	Rebecca Fain

Now that we have been together for a year, it's time to share my reflections on what we have accomplished so far and what I see as our priorities at this point. My column this month is therefore an annual report from your minister. There is much to celebrate and even more to look forward to.

My goal in worship has been to present services that are meaningful to people with a wide range of theological outlooks – from Pagan to Humanist — and stylistic preferences – from intellectually challenging to emotionally expressive – and everything in between. This is a challenge I find particularly enjoyable and rewarding. I've tried to balance our traditionally UU sermon-centered worship services with others featuring shared ritual. In light of our desire to attract and include new members, I've emphasized UU identity and the gifts of religious community.

Our Sunday attendance continues to be impressive. While most UU churches find about half of their members attending any one service, you are faithful and enthusiastic participants in our worship life with members and friends attending equal to 70-85% of our membership. As you all know by now, our growing attendance has necessitated the introduction of an additional service beginning this month. This is an opportunity to offer the option of another style of worship as well as to make our seating less crowded and more comfortable for everyone.

Closely related to Worship and adding a Sunday service is the matter of growing our membership. Thanks are due to Laura Osborne for her study of church membership trends and careful tracking of our visitors. Despite some disappointments in this area, our membership is slowly increasing. Your help with our efforts to attract and keep new members is crucial. We often hear from visitors that ours is a very friendly congregation. We are good at welcoming people! It's harder to help visitors and new members to become a lasting part of our community. I hope you will invite your friends and acquaintances to church, and also that you will challenge yourselves to move beyond your familiar circle of friends – to seek out people you know less well or not at all. Getting to know new people, regardless of their age, theological persuasion or sexual orientation is a spiritual practice that is not only personally rewarding, it's also a practice we are called to by our UU principles of inclusivity and valuing difference.

Thanks especially to Eric Walle and Laura Osborne, we have gotten much better at getting the word out about UUCC and what we offer religious seekers. In concert with the UUA's and Pacific Central District's growth initiatives and with the help of funding from the latter, we did some direct mailing and placed ads in local papers. This yielded some results, but not what we hoped for. We continue to place information about our weekly worship themes in the Sacramento News and Review. Laura has placed free advertising with Craig's List and we are getting inquiries from that source. With the help of Nancy Flagg, Kevin Chasse and Jennifer Sato, we continue to refine our website which remains the most common way for visitors to find out about us.

As your minister, I've represented UUCC in a roundtable interview with SN&R, in a letter to the editor of the Sacramento Bee, and in public witness in support of marriage equality (organizing 7 Straight Nights, supporting same sex couples getting marriage licenses, being present at Pride Day, and helping to gather signatures in support of equal marriage.) Which leads us to the subject of social and environmental justice...

One of the developments of this past year I'm most proud of has been the formation of our Justice Coordinating Team. The Rev. Lindi Ramsden has been instrumental in helping us get this renewal of our social action efforts underway. The Justice Coordinating Team, in cooperation with Rev. Lindi and the UU Legislative Ministry which she heads, has been very busy in both these areas. As the November election nears with the ballot initiative to ban same-sex marriage, Karen Gunderson and Mary Helen Doherty have led our UUCC efforts to defeat Proposition 8 for which I am very grateful. I am also thankful for Julia Walle and Antonio Gonzalez, co- chairs of the Justice Coordinating Team (JCT), and all the others who have helped with this important work that is so close to our hearts. We will also, I hope, follow up on our recent Carbon Ring efforts to reduce our individual and collective carbon footprints. There is also interest in supporting local agriculture and exploring other ways that UUCC can help our environment.

Community Building and Pastoral Care have been areas of some frustration this past year. At our annual camping trip this past weekend, I was struck once more with the true sense of "family" enjoyed by many of us here at UUCC. It's a wonderful thing to be able to know and depend on one another this way. Being a "family church" has its downside, though. Being a close-knit group may make it hard for new members to feel accepted (much as it can be hard to find one's niche in your spouse's family) and this difficulty can inhibit congregational growth. I continue to think of programming opportunities that may help to bring new members into "the circle" and better integrate all the smaller circles within the congregation. Our Saturday Suppers, Daytimers and Theater Group, as well as our Men's and Women's Groups go a long way toward accomplishing this, and I appreciate all the people who faithfully coordinate these groups.

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There is no question that we care deeply for each other here at UUCC. I have not, however, managed to organize a program of lay visitors for people who are ill or homebound; I hope to do this in the coming year. Neither have I managed to revive our Chalice Circles – our name for a program of small groups that meet to share their life concerns, an activity or discussion, and a community service project. Chalice Circles are absolutely key to integrating newer members and helping all members – old and new – build the kind of deep friendships that people desire and seek in church communities. My inability to get the Chalice Circles up and running again is probably my biggest regret from this first year; I fully intend to build our small groups in the very near future.

The Family Game Night disbanded this past year, apparently because its timing on a weeknight was less than optimal for parents at the end of a long work week. Our “Sing-Alongs with Loren” were successful in bringing many community members into our church on Wednesday nights. Loren Richmond, along with the Skows, the Walles, the Rintouls and other UUCC folks, did a great job of making these sing-alongs happen. It would have been great to have more UUCC members there, both to welcome our visitors and build our own sense of community, but I appreciate how over-committed some of us are. I would like very much to continue to encourage intergenerational activities and to better serve families here and am working on some ways to do this.

As part of our efforts to build intergenerational connections here, I am happy to report that our children’s religious education program is thriving. Our children’s attendance has increased to the point that we are once again offering separate classes for our “Littles” and “Middles.” We have been blessed with the leadership of Paula Braxton who, as our Director of Religious Education, brings imagination and passion to serving our children and fostering their love for UU values. Paula has devised a Harry Potter-based curriculum for our kids during the 11:00 service as well as programming for our 9:30 service. I am also very grateful to Annette Emery, who led our children’s program while we were without a DRE, and to our other dedicated RE teachers.

I facilitated a course for adults, “Building Your Own Theology” this past year. The class was wonderful but the attendance was smaller than I expected. I will keep trying to offer courses for adults that will meet your interests.

A huge debt of thanks is due to Celia Buckley and the rest of the Stewardship Committee for heading up our pledge efforts this year as well as to all of you who gave more generously than ever. Our financial needs are great and we are at that “awkward stage” in which our need for programs, money and volunteers outstrips our ability to provide them. Nevertheless, we continue to be confident about our future, as witnessed by your voting to pass a budget that will allow us to move ahead.

I was puzzled by the apparent lack of enthusiasm for further defining our congregational mission and vision. Articulation of these would provide the means for evaluating the various decisions we will need to make over the coming years – decisions concerning stewardship of our resources and our eventual move to a permanent home. On the other hand, I do appreciate the participation of the congregation in our Appreciate Inquiry conversations, coordinated and facilitated by this past year’s Committee on Ministry, Richard Leimbach, Tom Rintoul and Celia Buckley. These conversations provided a working document for us to use until the congregation is ready to revisit this question of mission and our vision for the future.

We are very fortunate to be led by our current UUCC president, Marion Randall. Marion is particularly interested in systematizing our communications, our record keeping, and the way we plan for and manage our resources. Supporting this kind of administrative and planning work in the coming year is a high priority for me. As part of this, the Board will be considering whether our present committee structure is serving us well. Eric Walle has presented an alternative model of shared integrated ministries that deserves serious consideration and I look forward to exploring this with our leadership.

I will consider this coming year to be a great success if we can pull ourselves out of our financial predicament; grow our membership; establish a thriving small group ministry in the form of Chalice Circles; and provide a successful worship alternative in our early service. These are big goals and I know I can count on your help to meet them.

I am deeply grateful to all of you who contribute your time, love, energy and money to this community of shared hopes and values. It is a joy to serve as your minister and a privilege to be welcomed into your lives in this way. I look forward to many more years together.

Yours in faith and hope,
Rev. Martha Hodges

President's Message RE News

Welcome Back

Dear Congregation,

Welcome back from your summer trips and travels. I hope you were able to relax and have some fun over the past couple of months. Celia and I had a week of camping bliss in August. We swam in the lake, waded in the stream, hiked up to a mountain lake and watched a meteor shower. The rest of the time, we busied ourselves by moving our zero gravity chairs around the camper to shady spots, so we could comfortably continue reading and relaxing. It was wonderful. It always makes me a little sad when I notice the days getting a little shorter. It is a sure sign that summer is coming to an end; fall and all its activities are upon us.

Soon, some or perhaps most of us will have experienced our new early service. Please be sure to provide feedback to the minister and the worship committee. We want this to be a success and your feedback will be helpful. Also remember to invite the friends that you know would appreciate this type of service.

Special Project Fund – Listening Assist Devices

The Board has approved the creation of a special project fund that will be used toward the purchase of listening assist devices. This is a good thing from the perspective of being ADA compliant. More importantly, it provides needed assistance for members of our congregation whose Sunday service experience would be enriched by being able to hear more clearly. These devices would of course be available to visitors as well. In the week of Sept 8-15, we will have two different models of these devices for people to try out. So, if you are someone who would benefit from the use of the device, I encourage you to try the sample models out and provide us with your feedback as to which one works best.

The cost to purchase the listening assist device is from \$2,500 - \$3,000. We hope that you will be excited to contribute to this worthy effort. Don't forget to write a note on the memo line of your check, so that your contribution is properly credited to this special fund.

The Board will have its annual retreat this month and during the retreat we will also do some planning for our next Community meeting. We anticipate the Community meeting will happen in early November.

One last important note: The date for our annual Action Auction is November 15, 2008. Please be thinking about what you would like to donate and remember to extend an invitation to friends to come along. Additionally, if you would like to help make the event happen, please let me know.

In service,
Marion Randall

From Your DRE & RE Chair



The Religious Education committee needs your help! We have lots of plans for the upcoming year, including training volunteers to teach Our Whole Lives (OWL) to our children. Between home hospitality and carpooling, we are keeping the expenses low, but we still need money for books and the actual training. Here is where you come in – join us at our UU Café events which will be held at least once a month through December, and include lunch and conversation for a reasonable price. This is an ongoing fundraiser for the RE Committee.

We also need black fabric and people who can sew robes for our Hogwarts School of UU Magic students. If you can help, please contact Annette Emery.

Do you want to work with our wonderful children but are not sure about teaching? We need spirit guides – adults to help our wonderful volunteer teachers. The obligation would be only a few Sundays during the year to work with either the Littles (K-3rd) or Middles (4th–7th). If you are interested, please call Beverly Boido.

The next RE Committee meeting will be Sunday, September 7 after the 11:00 AM service.

Hogwarts is Coming! Hogwarts is Coming!
Aug 31 *Platform 9 ¾* will arrive to transport the children from UUCC to Hogwarts School of UU Magic! The sorting will happen after their arrival. Come and see what houses the children are sorted into!

Accio UU's - Harry Potter Book Club
The first book club meeting was a smashing success! Participants were sorted into houses, there were games, a lively discussion and even charades. Come join the fun on Sept. 14 at 12:00 noon!

- Paula Braxton, Director of Religious Education
- Annette Emery, Religious Education Chair

Growing Together



Let the Two Services Begin!

Beginning on Sunday, September 7, there will be two worship services each Sunday! At last, the time has come to expand and welcome even more people inside our doors on Sunday mornings.

Our new Sunday schedule will be:

9:30 – 10:15 AM (Early service)

Meditative Worship and childcare for children

10:15 – 11:00 AM

Social Hour for both services (coffee and food)

11:00 – 12:00 AM (Late service)

Traditional Worship and Children's Religious Education

12:00 PM

Coffee Hour (beverages only)

Come and enjoy worshipping together in a variety of ways. Feel free to bring friends too.

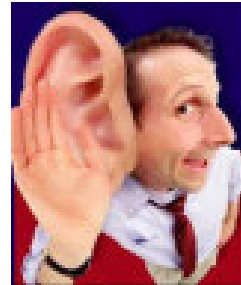
Interested in helping out during this new church year? Here's who you can contact:

- Religious Education for Children – Paula Braxton, our Director of Religious Education 689-2008
- Coffee and Snacks – Merry Walle
- Greeting or Ushering – Sonia Duffoo
- Worship – Lucy Bunch or Rev. Martha Hodges 689-2073
- General Logistical Stuff – Laura Osborne

Hymnal Dedication Update

We still have a few more of our church hymnals available for dedication. For a donation of \$30, a hymnal will be memorialized with your name and the name of a loved-one, if you choose. To dedicate one (or more) of our church's hymnals, contact Laura Osborne. If you want a hymnal for your own personal use, you can purchase one directly from the UU Association (UUA) bookstore at 800-215-9076.

Trouble Hearing During Church?



Do you have trouble hearing during church services or meetings? If so, you are just the person we are looking for! September 8-15, we will be pilot-testing two different brands of listening-assist devices for our hard-of-hearing members/friends. This is for a seven day loan period from the Accessibilities Office of the Unitarian Universalist Association (UUA).

If you are hearing impaired and would like to be one of our "listening-device evaluators", please contact Laura Osborne to sign up. We would love to have you help us!

Tom Rintoul and Kevin Chasse are our technical assistance guys. They will meet with you during the week of September 8, where you will have a chance to try out both systems in a meeting/group-type setting. On Sunday, Sept. 14, you will have the opportunity to try it out during a worship service (or two!). Tom and Kevin will be there to assist you and answer technical questions about the device.

At this point, we are only investigating listening device possibilities. We don't know when we will be obtaining assist devices.

Again, to sign up as one of our "evaluators", please contact Laura. She's looking forward to hearing from you.

Welcome to the Green Corner, a new column developed by our Carbon Ring Groups. The goal of the Green Corner is to foster ecological education and diminish the negative human impact on the precious resources of the earth. This month's introductory piece calls for a return to fundamentals, so here is a brief reminder about the common 3R method -- Reduce, Reuse, Recycle:

- Reduce the amount and toxicity of trash you discard.
- Reuse containers and products; repair what is broken or give to someone who can repair it.
- Recycle as much as possible, which includes buying products with recycled content.

Did you know that homes and businesses in the U.S. will produce over 205 million tons of garbage this year? More than 75% of it will be thrown away. With your help, things can be different. More of our trash could be kept out of landfills and recycled into usable products or reused to reduce the need for other products performing the same function. Today, only 18.5% of our solid waste is recycled. That's not enough if we're to meet the Environmental Protection Agency's goal of reducing the nation's solid waste by 25%. Additionally, California has a mandate to reduce the amount of landfill waste by 50%. In thousands of cities and towns, the recycling of newspapers, glass, metal, and plastic containers is a way of life.

In less than 30 minutes, you can set up a home recycling center that will help you cut your garbage output by as much as 50%. If the County of Sacramento is your local waste service provider, please visit the County of Sacramento website for a list of acceptable and unacceptable recycling items at: <http://www.sacgreenteam.com/services/mixedrecycle.htm>.

- Rev. Martha Hodges, Julia Walle, & Rev. Lindi Ramsden

Successful Endeavors

UUCC's "Speaking from the Heart" Training

Bringing Together People of Faith in Support of Marriage Equality

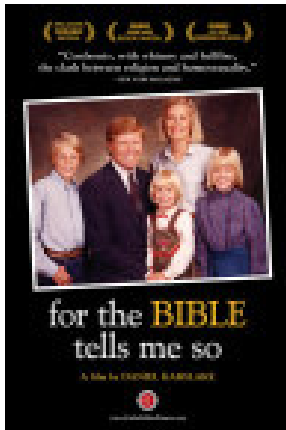
We opened our gathering of 26 folks at UUCC on August 9th with Holly Near's inspiring justice-making song from our UU hymnal, "We Are a Gentle Loving People." In that spirit, we then learned how to personalize our message and use words grounded in faith to change hearts and minds to help defeat Proposition 8, the anti-gay marriage initiative that is on the ballot this November.

Vivian Hao, Director of Communications & Community

Resources for the Unitarian Universalist Legislative Ministry -CA, facilitated the training. Participants included eight members of UUCC, and members of Trinity Episcopal, Pioneer Congregational, St. Marks United Methodist, UU Church of Auburn, UU Society of Sacramento, UU Church of Davis, Lutheran Church of the Redeemer, and the Sacramento Buddhist Meditation Center. It was an excellent learning experience, and it was exciting to host a multi-denominational event at our church.

One of the most important things we can do in the next few months is talk to people we know who are undecided about supporting the continuation of the freedom to marry for gay & lesbian couples. Please join the UUCC "No on 8" team to support our UUCC phone bank (and reach out in person as well to friends, colleagues and neighbors) and help preserve the freedom to marry for ALL loving couples.

Special Events



Film Showing & Discussion

Saturday, September 20
6:30 PM at UCC

Invite your friends and neighbors!

Can the love between two people ever be an abomination? Is the chasm separating gays and lesbians and Christianity too wide to cross? Is the Bible an excuse to hate? Through the experiences of five very normal, very Christian, very American families -- including those of former House Majority Leader Richard Gephardt and Episcopal Bishop Gene Robinson -- we discover how insightful people of faith handle the realization of having a gay child. Informed by such respected voices as Bishop Desmond Tutu, Harvard's Peter Gomes, Orthodox Rabbi Steve Greenberg and Reverend Jimmy Creech, "For the Bible Tells Me So" offers healing, clarity and understanding to anyone caught in the crosshairs of scripture and sexual identity. (<http://www.forthebibletellsmeso.org/index2.htm>).



"No on 8" Phone Bank at UCC

Each Tuesday evening from September 2 through October 28, we will host a phone bank for the "Vote No on Prop. 8" campaign. Sign up now to make these important calls in support of equal rights and the freedom to marry!

Shifts, including training and debriefing, will begin at 6:00 and end at 9:00. Light refreshments will be provided. Festive attire (see below) is optional.

To volunteer, please email uuccnoon8@yahoo.com or call Sonia Duffoo.

The UCC "No on 8" Team: Mary Helen Doherty, Sonia Duffoo, Antonio Gonzalez, Karen Gunderson, Edie O'Laughlin, Julia Walle, and Eric Walle.



Ongoing Activities

Daytimers Group

Daytimers is a free ranging discussion group that meets every Thursday from 10-12 noon. We are pleased to welcome people of all ages to join us for lively talk, good company, and lunch at a local restaurant afterwards. The current topic is "Religious Questions That Affect Our Lives". If interested, please get in touch with Dick Tarble.

Women's Group

The UCC Women's Group has been on hiatus. Annette Emery will contact members and survey the best time/date to meet. If you are interested in joining the UCC Women's Group, please contact Annette .

Theatre Group

The Theatre Group will see the musical "Evita", Andrew Lloyd Webber and Tim Rice's final collaboration (and some say their best) which is based on the life story of Argentine Eva Peron and hailed as "an exciting full scale modern opera." The performance is scheduled for Saturday, Sept. 20 at 8 PM at the 24th Street Theatre on 2791 24th Street. Please submit reservations (\$18 and \$20) to Frieda Fergus by Sunday, September 14.

Saturday Supper

The Saturday Supper is a potluck dinner held on the first Saturday of each month. The next dinner is on Saturday, September 6th. We divide up into small groups of 6-12 and share a meal in someone's home. At each dinner, we ask a question and take turns answering if we choose. It's okay to participate without ever hosting and it is okay to come occasionally. Participants are with a different group of people each month. This is a great way to get to know others in our congregation. We would love to have you join us! Thank you to our hosts for August: Fred Deneke & Jim Eastman, and Rebecca Fain. Please contact Terri Riley if you can host or are interested in coming to our September potluck.

About Us

Mission

The ministry of the Unitarian Universalist Community Church is to foster open minds, caring hearts, helping hands, and growing spirits in a congregation of all ages. By living and sharing Unitarian Universalist values, our spiritual and intentionally diverse community seeks to bring compassion and justice to the world.

UUC is a member of the Unitarian Universalist Association (UUA) and the Pacific Central District (PCD) of the UUA.

Membership

Would you like to be a formal member of this congregation? We would love to have you as a member!

If you would like membership information or if you feel ready to sign our membership book, you may talk to Eric Walle or Laura Osborne.

Membership requirements are:

- 1) you must be at least 16 years old
- 2) you accept our principles and purposes
- 3) you make and fulfill a commitment to an annual contribution of record through a pledge of money and/or services.

We are a wonderful congregation and we will welcome you with open arms.

Affiliates

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www.uuvalleysierra.org

Pacific Central District (PCD):

www.pcd-uua.org

Telephone: (510) 601-1437

Unitarian Universalist Association:

www.uua.org

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www.uusc.org

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Sacyouth - Faith-Based Activities for Youth:

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Imagine...

- a religion that embraces many different beliefs,
- a faith that finds meaning in many traditions,
- a church where people nurture their spirits,
- a congregation that works together to make a difference in communities and the world.

We are the Unitarian Universalist Community Church of Sacramento.
Please come for a visit and find out what we are all about! We would love for you to be a part of our church community.



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