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# **Unity of the Valley Spiritual Center**

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## - February 2023 -

## ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING Sunday, February 19 - 11:30 a.m.

All are invited to attend - Only active members can vote We will be electing new members to the Board of Trustees, taking a look back at 2022 and a look forward to 2023; and voting on a proposed Bylaw change the proposed change is posted in the Great Hall.

# Please return your completed membership form in the envelope provided, or drop off at the church office, no later than <u>February 13</u>.

We need an accurate member count prior to the Annual Member Meeting to assure a quorum. If you have any questions please contact the church office



The Wednesday Evening Service is back! Join us at 6:00 p.m. in the sanctuary for a Daily Word Contemplative Prayer Service led by our Prayer Chaplains

## Celebrating our oneness ~ Honoring our diversity

Unity of the Valley Spiritual Center is dedicated to the Belief in God as universal Spirit Our purpose is to provide opportunities for each individual to express their inner Christ Spirit

# **Ongoing Classes and Activities ...**

## Email the church office at unityvv@pacbell.net to request an invitation to Zoom meetings

#### Mondays

NA (Narcotics Anonymous) - 6:30 p.m.

#### Tuesdays

FA (Food Addicts in Recovery Anonymous) - 7:00 p.m.

### Wednesdays

Prayer Group - 1:30 p.m. (via Zoom)

A Course in Miracles- 7:00 p.m. –facilitated by Rev Dalia Adams (via Zoom)

Daily Word Contemplative Prayer Service - 6:00 p.m. - facilitated by Prayer Chaplains

Silent Meditation—6:30 p.m. (Available online)

#### Thursdays

Men of Unity Breakfast - 8:30 a.m. - Second and Fourth Thursday of the month - Held at a variety of local restaurants Contact Bob Panzer at 707-410-8839 / rmp572@gmail.com or Dave

Rybicki at drybicki@solanowireless.com for location and information Women of Unity Potluck Luncheon - 11:30 a.m. - Third Thurs-

day of the month - Email Pat Chinperez at chinperez@comcast.net for location

Spiritual Classics Reading Room - 1:00 p.m. (via Zoom)

Board of Trustees Meeting - 4:00 p.m. - Third Thursday of the month (via Zoom)

NA (Narcotics Anonymous) - Women's Group - 5:00 p.m.

NA (Narcotics Anonymous) Men's Group - 7:00 p.m.

#### Fridays

Prayers for the World, First Friday at 5:00 p.m. (available online)

'4th Friday Feed' - Community Kitchen at Epiphany Episcopal Church, 12:00-7:00 p.m. - Fourth Friday of the Month - Volunteers are always needed

#### Sundays

Worship Celebration - 10:00 a.m. - In person and live-streamed at www.unityvacaville.org

NA (Narcotics Anonymous) - 5:30 p.m.

## The Unity Bookstore is now open on the second and fourth Sunday of the month before and after the service

Stop by and say hello



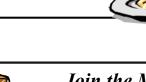
The Bookstore also available during normal office hours Tues. & Thurs 9 a.m.-1 p.m.

## Join the Women of Unity for Lunch!

The Women of Unity meet at 11:30 a.m. on the Fourth Thursday of the month

Contact Pat Chinperez at chinperez@comcast.net for more information

Women of all ages are welcome!



## Join the Men of Unity for Breakfast!

The Men of Unity meet at 8:30 a.m.

on the Second and Fourth Thursday of the month at various local eateries.

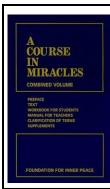
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## Community Kitchen at Epiphany Episcopal Church Fourth Friday of the Month 12:00-7:00 p.m.

We invite you to join us in this important community outreach and help feed the homeless and hungry

Contact the church office at 707-447-0521 or unityvv@pacbell.net for more information





# A Course In Miracles

Wednesdays - 7:00 p.m. Facilitated by Rev. Dalia Adams

Via Zoom - email the church office at unityvv@pacbell.net t to request an invitation

# Church Directory . . .

Senior Minister: Rev. Dr. Dalia Adams

#### **Board of Trustees:**

Marilynn Ugalde, President Phyllis Flemings, Vice President Bobbi Fortner, Secretary Kathryn Patterson, Treasurer Leticia Widemann

Licensed Unity Teachers: Carol Sublett

Ministerial Assistant: Warren Spayth

Office Manager/Newsletter: Marcella Mackes

**Prayer Chaplains:** Warren Spayth, Patt Florez, Cheryl Potts, Genevieve Cushing Youth Education Team: Genevieve Cushing - Youth Ed Director/YOU Sponsor

SEE Education Director: Carol Sublett, LUT

**Sound Technicians:** Warren Spayth, Thomas Nabarrete, Roy Morris

Bookstore: Carol Sublett

Volunteer Coordinator: Marcella Mackes

Webmaster: Lisa Murray

# Did you Know?...

- **Prayer Chaplains** are available for prayer support, home or hospital visits, and listening when you need someone. Prayer Chaplains are available after church on Sunday or may be reached by calling the church office (Mailbox #6).
- **Prayer requests** are read in strictest confidentiality, placed in our prayer chest, then sent to Silent Unity where they are held in prayer for 30 days.
- Lending Library: If you need a book for a class or for your personal spiritual enrichment they can be checked out from our lending library. The library is available on Sundays before and after the service and during normal business hours Monday-Thursday.
- **Bookstore:** The Bookstore is available the Second and Fourth Sundays before and after the 10 a.m. service and on Tuesdays and Thursdays during normal office hours.

- You can support Unity of the Valley Spiritual Center by making a donation through our website: We are able to accept one-time donations or recurring donations made with any major credit card or PayPal. Simply select the blue donate button and follow the prompts.
- You can support Unity of the Valley Spiritual Center by making a donation through Text 2 Give: Simply text the word GIVE to 707-316-8325 and follow the directions.
- You can put your tithe and Love Offerings on your credit card: Credit card donation forms are available by contacting the church office.
- You can support Unity of the Valley by shopping at Amzaon.com: To start shopping visit our website or go to http://smile.amazon.com/ch/68-0123547

## **UNITY PRINCIPLES**

- ♦ God is good and everywhere present.
- The spirit of God lives within each person, therefore, all people are inherently good.
- We create our life experiences through our way of thinking.
- There is power in affirmative prayer, which we believe increases our connection to God.
- Knowing and understanding Unity principles is the foundation. Taking action based on the truth principles transforms our lives and the world.

February 20223						
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1 Prayer Grp - 1:30 p.m. (via Zoom) Daily Word Contemplative Prayer Service - 6:00 p.m. ACIM - 7:00 p.m. (via Zoom) Meditation (online) Centering Prayer (online)	2 Spiritual Classics - 1:00 p.m. NA (Women's Grp) 5:00 p.m. NA (Men's Grp) - 7:00 p.m.	3 Prayers for the World New Member Class, Part 1 6-8 p.m.	4 New Member Class, Part 2 10 a.m2 p.m.
5 10:00 am Service NA - 5:30 p.m.	6 NA - 7:00 p.m.	7 FA - 7:00 p.m.	8 Prayer Grp - 1:30 p.m. (via Zoom) Daily Word Contemplative Prayer Service - 6:00 p.m. ACIM - 7:00 p.m. (via Zoom) Meditation (online) Centering Prayer (online)	9 Men of Unity - 8:30 a.m. Spiritual Classics - 1:00 p.m. NA (Women's Grp) - 5:00 p.m. NA (Men's Grp) - 7:00 p.m.	10	11
12 10:00 am Service NA - 5:30 p.m.	13 NA - 7:00 p.m.	14 VALENTINE''S DAY FA - 7:00 p.m.	15 Prayer Grp - 1:30 p.m. (via Zoom) Daily Word Contemplative Prayer Service - 6:00 p.m. ACIM - 7:00 p.m. (via Zoom) Meditation (online) Centering Prayer (online)	16 Spiritual Classics - 1:00 p.m. Board of Trustees NA (Women's Grp) 5:00 p.m. NA (Men's Grp) - 7:00 p.m.	17	18 AKA - 9:30 a.m.
19 10:00 am Service <b>Annual Membership Mtg</b> NA - 5:30 p.m.	20 NA - 7:00 p.m.	21 FA - 7:00 p.m.	22 Prayer Grp - 1:30 p.m. (via Zoom) Daily Word Contemplative Prayer Service - 6:00 p.m. ACIM - 7:00 p.m. (via Zoom) Meditation (online) Centering Prayer (online)	23 Men of Unity - 8:30 a.m. Women of Unity - 11:30 a.m. NA (Women's Grp) - 5:00 p.m. NA (Men's Grp) - 7:00 p.m.	24 4th Friday Feed Community Kitchen at Epiphany Episcopal Church	25
26 10:00 am Service NA - 5:30 p.m.	27 NA - 7:00 p.m.	28 FA - 7:00 p.m.				

### Schedule of On-going Classes and Activities

- Mondays, 7:00 p.m. Narcotics Anonymous (NA)
- Tuesdays, 7:00 p.m. FA (Food Addicts in Recovery Anonymous)
- Wednesdays, 1:30 p.m. Prayer Group (via Zoom)
- · Wednesdays, 6:00 p.m. Daily Word Contemplative Prayer Service
- · Wednesdays, 7:00 p.m. ACIM facilitated by Rev. Dalia Adams (via Zoom)
- Wednesdays, 7:00 p.m. Centering Prayer (online)
- Wednesdays A Time of Silent Meditation (online)
- Thursdays, 5:00 p.m. Narcotics Anonymous Women's Group (NA)
- Thursdays, 7:00 p.m. Narcotics Anonymous Men's Group (NA)
- Second and Fourth Thursday, 8:30 a.m. Men of Unity Breakfast
- Third Thursday, 4:00 p.m. Board of Trustees Meeting (via Zoom)
- Fourth Thursday, 11:30 a.m. Women of Unity Luncheon
- Fourth Fridays, 12:00-7:00 p.m. Community Kitchen at Epiphany Episcopal Church
- · Sundays, 10:00 a.m. Worship Celebration
- Sundays, 5:30 p.m. Narcotics Anonymous (NA)



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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1 Prayer Grp - 1:30 p.m. (via Zoom) Daily Word Contemplative Prayer Service - 6:00 p.m. ACIM - 7:00 p.m. (via Zoom) Meditation (online) Centering Prayer (online)	2 Spiritual Classics - 1:00 p.m. NA (Women's Grp) - 5:00 p.m. NA (Men's Grp) - 7:00 p.m.	3 Prayers for the World	4 YOU Regional Event - 9:00 a.m5:00 p.m.
5 10:00 am Service NA - 5:30 p.m.	6 NA - 7:00 p.m.	7 FA - 7:00 p.m.	8 Prayer Grp - 1:30 p.m. (via Zoom) Daily Word Contemplative Prayer Service - 6:00 p.m. ACIM - 7:00 p.m. (via Zoom) Meditation (online) Centering Prayer (online)	9 Men of Unity - 8:30 a.m. Spiritual Classics - 1:00 p.m. NA (Women's Grp) - 5:00 p.m. NA (Men's Grp) - 7:00 p.m.	10 Regional Leadership Event	11 Regional Leadership Event
12 10:00 am Service NA - 5:30 p.m. DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME BEGINS	13 LifeLine Health Screenings (by appointment) NA - 7:00 p.m.	114 FA - 7:00 p.m.	15. Prayer Grp - 1:30 p.m. (via Zoom) Daily Word Contemplative Prayer Service - 6:00 p.m. ACIM - 7:00 p.m. (via Zoom) Meditation (online) Centering Prayer (online)	16 Board of Trustees NA (Women's Grp) 5:00 p.m. NA (Men's Grp) - 7:00 p.m.	17	18 AKA - 9:30 a.m.
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- Wednesdays, 1:30 p.m. Prayer Group (via Zoom)
- · Wednesdays, 6:00 p.m. Daily Word Contemplative Prayer Service beginning January 25
- · Wednesdays, 7:00 p.m. ACIM facilitated by Rev. Dalia Adams (via Zoom)
- · Wednesdays, 7:00 p.m. Centering Prayer (online)
- Wednesdays A Time of Silent Meditation (online)
- Thursdays, 5:00 p.m. Narcotics Anonymous Women's Group (NA)
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## Unity of the Valley Spiritual Center Financial Statement January – December 2022

	January- December 2022	Annual Budget	\$ Under/Over Budget
Income			
300.00 · INTEREST	.36	3.00	-2.64
400.00 · BOOKSTORE	20.25	75.00	-54.75
410.00 · CLASSES/ WORKSHOPS/ SPECIAL EVENTS	3092.03	6,175.00	-3082.97
420.00 · CONTRIBUTIONS	208,049.67	227,650.00	-19,600.33
430.00 · FACILITY & PROPERTY	6,536.00	3,550.00	2,986.00
460.00 · FUNDRAISERS	7,591.81	17,932.00	-10,340.19
490.00 · MISCELLANEOUS INCOME	10.00	100.00	-90.00
Total Income	225,300.12	255,485.00	-30,184.88
Expense			
600.00 · ADMINISTRATIVE	29,360.74	28,331.00	1,029.74
605.00 · BOOKSTORE EXPENSES*	55.11	525.00	-469.89
610.00 · EDUCATION	1,562.00	3,345.00	-1,783.00
620.00 · FACILITY**	56,274.33	58,737.00	-2,462.67
625.00 · FUNDRAISER EXPENSES	471.13	1,400.00	-928.87
630.00 · MINISTRY	33,297.00	36,431.00	-3,134.00
640.00 · PAYROLL	143,816.21	168,123.00	-24,306.79
650.00 · TITHES & CHARITABLE GIVING	19,139.57	25,185.72	-6,046.15
6560 · PAYROLL EXPENSES	842.50	2,500.00	-1,657.50
Total Expense	284,818.59	324,577.75	-39,759.13
Net Income	-59,518.47	-69,092.72	9,574.25

\*Includes Inventory Purchases and Sales Tax Paid \*\* Includes Mortgage Principal Payments

We acknowledge God as our source and see abundance flowing forth blessing all that we have and all that we give.

We gratefully bless those who share their prosperity that we may serve Spirit's work as our Unity community.

Cash on Hand as of December 31, 2022				
Savings:	\$ 3,64463			
Checking:	\$ 71,933.42			
Flower Fund:	\$ 135.30			
Petty Cash:	<u>\$ 9.34</u>			
Total All Accounts	\$ 75,722.69			
Total Available Cash:	\$ 70,871.77			

# Coming Soon . . .

LIFE LINE SCREENING The Power of Prevention Monday, March 13 - LifeLine Health Screenings - Call 1-800-640-6307 for appointment

## In 2022 a portion of your tithes and offerings went to the following community and Unity programs

Epiphany Episcopal Community Kitchen \* Children's Network \* Faith in Action \* NorthBay Hospice Vacaville Police Department Children's Crisis \* Mark's Growing Center \* Meals on Wheels Opportunity House \* Solano County Food Bank \* Solano Advocates for Victims of Violence (SAVV) NorthBay Alzheimer's Services

Silent Unity \* West Central Region of Unity Churches \* Unity Worldwide Ministries Unity Worldwide Spiritual Institute

# The Prayer of Protection

The Light of God surrounds you. The Love of God enfolds you. The power of God protects you. The Presence of God watches over you. Wherever you are, God is!

