NOVEMBER 2, 2025 - ALL SAINTS/SOULS SUNDAY

On this All Souls Day, we celebrate Holy Communion remembering the great "Cloud of Witnesses" that surround us. Our Chancel Choir, directed by **Andy DelMonte**, sings and **Rev. Dr. Benjamin J.**

Broadbent, Lead Minister, preaches a sermon on <u>Luke 19:1-10</u> entitled, "Remembering Who We Are."



TODAY

NURSERY CARE for infants to age 4 in the Nursery, 9:45 a.m.–12:30 p.m. with Nursery Attendants **Eliana Green & Alexa Lopez.**

CAPITAL CAMPAIGN ALL CONGREGATION EVENT following worship at 11:15 a.m. in Memorial Hall.

CAPITAL CAMPAIGN PRAYER VIGIL 1:00 – 3:00 p.m. in the Chapel. All are welcome to join in prayer for a successful campaign.

UP-COMING

MEN'S DISCUSSION GROUP meets on the first Tuesday of each month, at 6:00 p.m., in the Fireside Room. Contact **Stuart Mitchell** at <u>StuartMit@gmail.com</u>.

DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME ENDS Sunday at 2 a.m. Remember to set your clocks back for one hour on Saturday night.

CHURCH CHAT led by **Raymond Dougherty**. "Learning How to See" series implores us to "first take the plank out of your own eye" (Matt 7:3-5). The last session will be Nov. 9.

<u>TENDING THE TENDER VILLAGE</u>. **Aaron Johnson** presents a 2-hour workshop in the Sanctuary on Saturday, November 15, 6 – 8 p.m. Aaron practices closeness as a way to break down barriers. Free event, but donations are welcome.

TENDING THE TENDER VILLAGE with **Aaron Johnson**: a restorative singing circle and holistic resistance workshop during Faith Formation Hour on Sunday, November 16, 11:15 a.m. in the Chapel.

ADVENT CHILDREN'S CHOIR for children in Kindergarten thru 5th grade will rehearse with **Andy DelMonte**, Choral Director, for 15 minutes following worship each Sunday November 16 – December 21. The choir will sing in worship one Sunday in Advent and on Christmas Eve. Contact **Andy DelMonte** at <u>delmontemusic@yahoo.com</u> / 707.239.4455 with any questions.

THANKSGIVING DINNER for those seeking a table to share with others on Thursday, November 27, at noon in Fellowship Hall. Registration required. Signup in Fellowship Hall. To volunteer, contact **Kathy Matthies** at kathleenmatthies57@gmail.com.

INTER-CHURCH FOOD PANTRY BENEFIT CONCERT with Benjamin Mertz and the Joyful Noise Gospel Singers Sun, Dec 7, 4 – 6 p.m. in the sanctuary. Donations are accepted.

WOMEN'S RETREAT held at Walker Creek Ranch in Petaluma January 16–18, 2026. Theme is based on the song "Lord, Prepare Me



to be

a Sanctuary," facilitated by **Kathy Bell & Amy Furber Dobson.** Deadline to register and pay is Dec 29. Click <u>HERE</u> to register on Realm or scan the QR code on the right. Registration questions contact Sheina Curtis at hisheina.gmail.com.

CHILDREN & YOUTH

GODLY PLAY happens on the 2nd and 4th Sunday during worship following the Children's Message for Kindergarten to Grade 5 in Room 5. Contact **Terri Harper** at 707.236.2448 / beelady59@gmail.com.

YOUTH GROUPS (Grades 6–8 & 9–12) will resume on Sunday, November 9 when they participate in the Intergenerational Gym at 11:15 a.m. in Memorial Hall.

For information about Faith Formation programs for children, youth, and adults, contact **Tirza Dawn** at faithformation@uccseb.org.

ONGOING

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY has resumed their weekly meetings on Wednesdays, 10 a.m. in Room 6. Contact **Norma Watson** normawatson1949@gmail.com.

ONLINE BIBLE STUDY meets Wednesdays, 5:00–6:30 p.m. via Zoom. Contact **Gail Thomas** for the link at 707.758.0295.

MEDITATION GROUP meets Thursdays, 12:00 – 1:00 p.m. in Room 6. Contact **Mary Culberson** at 707.525.1730.

DREAMWORK GROUP meets on Thursdays, 5:30–6:30 p.m. in Room 6. Contact **Raymond Dougherty** at 707.338.2500.

SANCTUARY FLOWERS beautify our worship space every Sunday. To sponsor flowers in honor of a person or event, sign up on the poster in the Narthex or contact **Kathy Matthies** at kathleenmatthies57@gmail.com.

OUTREACH

SAFE PARKING offers people without shelter a secure and quiet place to stay overnight. Volunteers check the parking area once a week to confirm that only authorized individuals are present. To volunteer, contact Joyce Cox at b-j-cox@att.net, Peggy Porter at pporter501@gmail.com, or Joanne Matson at JlMatson@yahoo.com.

INTER-CHURCH FOOD PANTRY basket is located in the Sanctuary entry. The requested item for November is Canned Fruit. Perishable or expired food should not be left. Contact **Mark Albin** at 707.829.1492 or malbin@sonic.net.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

USHERS provide hospitality, lovingly gather the offering, and look after the safety of the congregation. To usher on a Sunday morning, Contact **Steve Reid**, Usher Coordinator, at 707.338.5105 / stephenreid65@hotmail.com.

CALL FOR LITURGISTS to help lead worship on an upcoming Sunday. Contact **Maria Culberson**, Liturgist Coordinator, at 707.696.6908.

Today

All Saints/Souls Sunday

	10:00 am	Worship Service, Sanctuary & Online
	11:15 am	All Congregation Lunch, Memorial Hall
	1:00 pm	Capital Campaign Prayer Vigil, Chapel
Monday	10:00 am	Prayer Shawls, Fireside Room
Tuesday	9:00 am	Grounds Team, Campus
	9:00 am	Shower Program, Memorial Hall
	4:00 pm	Handbell Ensemble, Sanctuary
	6:00 pm	Men's Discussion Group, Fireside Room
Wednesday	10:00 am	Staff Team, Fireside Room
	10:00 am	Women's Bible Study, Room 6
	5:00 pm	Online Bible Study, Zoom
Thursday	12:00 pm	Meditation Group, Room 6
	2:00 pm	Card Writing Ministry, Women's Fellowship Room
	5:30 pm	Drop-in Dreamwork Group, Room 6
	6:30 pm	Chancel Choir, Choir Room
Friday		No Church Programs
Saturday	12:00 pm	Second Saturday Lunch, Fellowship Hall
	2:00 pm	Women's Discussion Group, Fireside Room
Next Sunday		Response Sunday
	10:00 am	Worship Service, Sanctuary & Online
	10:15 am	Godly Play, Room 5
	11:00 am	Kinship Time, Bell Tower Courtyard
	11:15 am	Church Chat, Chapel
	11:15 am	Intergenerational Gym

BULLETIN & WEEKLY EMAIL content due in digital form to **Joy Richards**, Congregational Administrator, at office@uccseb.org by Noon on Wednesdays. Salt & Light articles for December edition due November 15.