

Licensed Teacher Update

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HOME OFFICE

Want to know what's happening at Unity Worldwide Ministries home office? Check out our calendar at www.unity.org/calendar. The first list titled "Combined Unity Movement Schedule" can contain events for the home office, Unity Village, regions and local ministries. If you have something you'd like included in the calendar email it to: Kim@unity.org. We will continue to develop this resource as we move into 2011 and the redevelopment of the unity.org website.

A message from Margie Brach, Credentialing Officer:

If you are a Licensed Teacher Candidate, employed at the ministry where you serve, and planning to apply for the Field Licensing Program (FLP), here is some important information:

- Field Licensing applications are due by September 30th of each year.
- Completing SDS in the Summer may prevent you from applying by September 30th.
- The Director of Credentialing recommends that you schedule your SDS in the Spring or the Fall.
- For more information review the FLP Handbook at www.unity.org/flphandbook and call the Director of Credentialing at 816.434.6843.



Fall 2010 SDS Congratulations to our newest Licensed Unity Teachers

Richard Burdick, Sally Clausen,
Judith Huffman, Margie Hyatt,
Michael Korpan, Kris Kreuzer,
Meike Mittelstadt, Lin Weinberg.

Also in the photo: Peggy White,
SDS Advisor & Shirley Kennedy,
Licensed Teacher Coordinator

INSTRUCTOR RESOURCE ROOM

Are you teaching SEE classes and looking for helpful resources? Check out this page on our website: <http://www.unity.org/education/see/SEEinstructor.html>. From this page you can read about how to get access to download any of our SEE required syllabi and additional helpful SEE information. **A note of caution:** When logging in using the universal login, do not change the password. If it is changed, other instructors will not have access to this room.

SEE IN THE FIELD - Unity Church of the Hills - Austin, Texas - February 21-25

The following classes will be offered: Prosperity; Metaphysics II, Part I; Discover the Power Within You; Instructors: Mark Hicks, LUT; Rev. Linda Martella-Whitsett; Mary Bolen, LUT; For further information, contact Donna Loflin at leanderloflin@aol.com

PEACEMAKING SKILLS TRAINING

This training will help you:

- deal with challenges and interpersonal difficulties that arise in the life of the individual and the ministry
- understand and work with conflicts, church growth, and transitional issues
- be of maximum service to the people and communities you love

2011 Schedule:

April 5-8 - Atlanta, GA August 23-26 - Lee's Summit, MO November 1-4 - San Francisco, CA

For more information contact Stephanie Seigh at revseigh@ptd.net

To register, contact Cathy Christy at 816-434-6841 or admast@unity.org

WORKSHOP: The Joy of God-Centered Health

Offered at Unity Church of Citrus County, FL, January 22 & 23, 2011

Facilitated by Dr. Ed Dodge, MD, MPH, LUT

Improve your health in 2011! Gain a deep appreciation for the joys of healthy living. This workshop is based on the premise that health is positive physical, mental, emotional & spiritual well-being. Well-being is found in the joy of experiencing healthy ways of living and in the deep enjoyment of positive health. Dr. Dodge has an extensive background in public health and family practice. He is the author of three books, the most recent being *Ten Steps to Exceptional Health*.

The workshop fee is \$35/person with a \$5 discount for early bird registration by January 14 and includes a nutritious lunch on Saturday. Hours are 8:30 am till 5:30 pm on Saturday and 10:30 am till 12 noon on Sunday. 10 SEE elective credit hours are available. For more information, contact the church at 352-746-1270 or go to (<http://events.r20.constantcontact.com/register/event?llr=8dqiyvdab&oeidk=a07e37bh0sh312e729b>)

Unity to Launch "The Year of Abundant Living" in 2011

Unity's 2010 Twelve Powers campaign will come to a close in December. "Many Unity ministers and leaders have encouraged us to continue offering a theme or campaign each year, so we decided to move forward with a similar program for 2011," says Paula Coppel. "The Year of Abundant Living will feature Web articles, calendar quotes, webinars and other resources to support the spiritual growth of current and new Unity constituents." Each month materials will be created around the topics listed below. Ministers and churches are welcome to adopt or build on the campaign in their centers as well.

January—Live Your Dreams

February—Above All, Love

March—Get Healthy

April—Step Out in Faith

May—Change Gracefully

June—Behold Beauty Everywhere

July—Embrace Forgiveness

August—Open to God

September—Stay Centered

October—Let Go and Let God

November—Give Thanks

December—Rejoice!

Psychological Evaluation Schedule for 2011

Spring: written portion on Sunday, April 3, interview with psychologist on Saturday, April 9

Summer: written portion on Sunday, July 31, interview with psychologist on Saturday, August 6
Fall: written portion on Sunday, October 30, interview with psychologist on Saturday, November 5

You must contact Shirley Kennedy as soon as you have completed 250 SEE hours to schedule this required evaluation.

ANNUAL REPORT

This is a reminder to complete the Annual Report and send it in to Unity Worldwide Ministries by March 1st. The Annual Report, which is required of all Licensed Unity Teachers, must be signed by your sponsoring minister. This report informs us that you are still active and gives you an opportunity to update your contact information. This form is available on our website at www.unity.org on the Licensed Teacher page.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

NEW! For information about openings, including new ones, for ministers and licensed teachers go to www.unitychurches.org/openings. No login needed. The church packet of information is on the page with the description. Positions for musicians and youth education will remain on the unity.org site with no login needed.

TRANSITIONS

Nancy Wasserman, LUT, passed on January 12, 2011. She served for many years in Mount Laurel, NJ, with Rev. John Salunek. We affirm appreciation for Nancy's leadership in Unity. She is a light!

OPPORTUNITIES FOR SHARING

Do you have a story or a teaching tip you would like to share through this Newsletter? If so, write it up and email it to me. These should be brief paragraphs similar to the paragraphs in this newsletter. Questions? Give me a call on my direct line at 816.434.6862.

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