



Theater Arts Outreach

CLASSES AND WORKSHOPS

Build your own drama ministry to fit your congregational needs and talents. Tailor your drama training and instruction to suit the interests of your participants. Workshops are free with the exception of materials. Choose from a varied menu of dramatic possibilities:

- **Create special dramas to celebrate the liturgical calendar, high holy days, or the lives of those who are honored in your tradition**
- **Learn how to use drama in Bible Study**
- **Create a Drama Choir for dramatizing the lectionary passages.**
- **Create an original theatre piece around a social issue about which your congregation has special concern or interest**
- **Use theatre to embody the lives of people who illuminate human life and spiritual journey**
- **Create a theatrical montage of the personal stories of those who are a part of your worshiping community.**
- **Produce a fully mounted production for your congregation and your neighboring community**
- **Learn how to play "Comedy Sportz" for fun & entertainment**
- **Learn how to adapt poetry and prose for dramatic presentation in worship**
- **Learn and enjoy the art of Improvisation**
- **Use drama in programs with children & youth.**

Center the for Arts, Religion and Education (CARE) is pleased to announce a new program of theater arts workshops offered to multi-faith congregations throughout the East Bay. In this pilot program, CARE artists will be sent out into the community to help foster and cultivate the use of the arts in congregational ministry as a vital part of worship, education and community building.

Issuing from the theological perspective that we are made in the likeness of a Creator God, CARE theater artist, the Rev. Sally Juarez, believes that creative expression in congregational life deepens spirituality and enriches the life of faith. Theater is a tool for the embodiment of sacred lives, holy story and social justice values that help us all to be part of the faith community.

ABOUT THE ARTIST: Sally is an ordained Presbyterian Minister whose first field of training was theater. She holds a Master of Arts degree in theater with a specialization in acting and directing from Chico State University. She also has advanced professional training with the American Conservatory Theatre (ACT). Sally had a multi-faceted drama ministry at the Montclair Presbyterian Church for 28 years. She has also taught educational theater and enrichment programs throughout the Bay Area for over three decades and has taught at the Pacific School of Religion and previously served as adjunct faculty for CARE.

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