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I Take Refuge

~By J.K. Hirano

*Truly, we live with mysteries too marvelous
to be understood.*

*How grass can be nourishing in the
mouths of the lambs.*

*How rivers and stones are forever
in allegiance with gravity*

while we ourselves dream of rising.

*How two hands touch and the bonds will
never be broken.*

*How people come, from delight or the
scars of damage,
to the comfort of a poem.*

*Let me keep my distance, always, from those
who think they have the answers.*

*Let me keep company always with those who say
“Look!” and laugh in astonishment,
and bow their heads.*

Mysteries, Yes

~ Mary Oliver

This is a poem by Mary Oliver. I had heard of her on National Public Radio (NPR), but had not read any collections of her poems. She died about a month ago, and I read a New Yorker article about her and her poems which really began to resonate within me. After reading of her death on January 17, I became slightly obsessed by her writing. She died at the age of 83, published the first of her over 30 books in 1963, she received the Pulitzer Prize in 1984, and the National Book Award in 1992.

I had read various quotes or sections of poems by her, mostly inspirational quotes. In fact, I read an article which claimed her to be a favorite poet of many rabbis and Christian ministers, and one of the most quoted poets in the Universal Unitarian Church. Personally, I feel that her poems are very Buddhist. I have also read

articles by Buddhist writers that make that very same claim. I think she writes how I wish I could as a Jodo Shinshu Buddhist. This poem “Mysteries, Yes” in particular, makes me think this.

The things she points to in all her poems are things that I wish I had better understood from an earlier age. It is something I hope my own children and the children of our temples begin to understand. This is that our spiritual life is one of the most important aspects of who we are as a human being. You will not always be content or happy in a fully developed material life. You could be one of the richest people materially, but not find happiness. Yet if you develop and spend your life developing yourself spiritually, you will find happiness. Spiritual life does not mean you will know the answers to everything. Life is not about knowing all the answers or how to win. It is about cultivating a sense of wonder and gratitude and connectedness. And this is how I would like to think of our temple and Sangha. Let me explain this with her poem.

“Truly, we live with mysteries too marvelous to be understood.”

This to me is evident in our most important chant, Shoshinge. Shinran says, “Kimyo, Muryoju nyorai, Namu Fukashigiko” -- I bow down to the Buddha of Unlimited Life, I take refuge in the wonderful, mysterious light.

*“How grass can be nourishing in the
mouths of the lambs.
How rivers and stones are forever
in allegiance with gravity*

This is the interconnectedness and mystery of all of us. How we are here together in this moment from so many different places. This amazing life that we have been given. In another poem called “the Summer Day” Mary Oliver says, “Tell me, what is it you plan to do with your one wild and precious life?”

Isn't that a brilliant question? And she goes on...

“while we ourselves dream of rising.”

This line, I believe to be the Nembutsu itself, life rising up to itself. Our dream of rising is Amida's Vow of Namu Amida Butsu, touching our personal life.

She goes on....

*“How two hands touch and the bonds will
never be broken.
How people come, from delight or the
scars of damage,
to the comfort of a poem.”*

These words describe the reason and the place of our Sangha. We are connected to one another, through Amida Buddha's wish for the world. We come from many different places, some of us from happy families. Some of us were raised at the temple and Sangha, but some of us have come here from many difficult situations. Some of us left our own families for our own reasons. But hopefully in coming to this temple, this Sangha, you will find family, safety and connectedness.

*“Let me keep my distance, always, from those
who think they have the answers.*

*Let me keep company always with those who say
“Look!” and laugh in astonishment,
and bow their heads.”*

I believe that there are many religions that claim to have the answer. The one true religion. Even though there are Buddhist sects that have many rules of conduct and ritual, the hierarchies of priests and lay create a false sense of ego. I do not believe Jodo Shinshu is like that. When you come to our temple, you find a place that together we can just sense the wonder of this life, safety, the good and bad times that connect us, and bow our heads in Namu Amida Butsu.

If you have time, read some of her poetry. I would like to close with one of her most well-known poems, called "Wild Geese." I think it describes a way I hope our temple can be.

*You do not have to be good.
 You do not have to walk on your knees
 for a hundred miles through the desert, repenting.
 You only have to let the soft animal of your body
 love what it loves.
 Tell me about despair, yours, and I will tell you mine.
 Meanwhile the world goes on.
 Meanwhile the sun and the clear pebbles of the rain
 are moving across the landscapes,
 over the prairies and the deep trees,
 the mountains and the rivers.
 Meanwhile the wild geese, high in the clean blue air,
 are heading home again.
 Whoever you are, no matter how lonely,
 the world offers itself to your imagination,
 calls to you like the wild geese, harsh and exciting –
 over and over announcing your place
 in the family of things."*

*Wild Geese
 ~ Mary Oliver*

Namu Amida Butsu.

In Memory

**The Ogden Buddhist Temple Sangha extends its deepest sympathies
 to the families of the following member who recently passed away.**

May the family members find solace and comfort in the Nembutsu.

Namu Amida Butsu

**Yoshie Yoshimura ~ January 4, 2019
 Yukiko Kawaguchi ~ February 23, 2019**

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

“Let us construct a bridge of understanding between cultures and let everyone cross.”

“Teaching of the Buddha”

Buddha Dharma Kyokai Foundation of Canada

Well it's that time of year again, out with the old and in with the new. The past two years with Suzan and Shauna has been somewhat eventful, the new MOU (Memorandum of Understanding) between Rev. Hirano and the Buddhist Church of Ogden, the parking lot repaving, and so much of just the day to day decisions they have guided the board through. We thank them again.

I don't know if anyone walks into this position with an agenda, or goals to work on over the next two years, but I do have aspirations. I would just like to see our weekly attendance increase, that's it! Just get a few new faces that come back every week. As religions go this one is really good, we have always been open to all walks of life, we don't have a dress code, and we serve lunch a lot! What's not to like.

This takes work, like the quotation above, “let us construct a bridge” we need to reach out to strangers, be a little pro-active at our fund raisers. This is outside of our comfort zones and it will force each of us to become more informed about Buddhism. Oh, and by the way, Geoff has a class every Sunday morning at 12:30 you can come be a part of, just saying ... I have seen how the church has greeted everyone that comes into the building, we are so open to all cultures, but we may need a little work on the “understanding” of our own religion. No one said Buddhism was easy to understand, but it is a natural way of life. The lucky families that grew up with the first generation of emergent's was taught this natural way of life in Buddhism every day, they may not have known it was Buddhism. The time has come to learn (as Rev. Hirano would say) why do you do the things you do.

I invite the inactive members of the Buddhist Church of Ogden to come back, be a part of the construction of the bridge of understanding.

In Gassho,
Annette K.





Buddhist Women's Association

NEWS



By Brenda K.

“Never doubt that a small group of thoughtful, committed citizens can change the world; indeed, it's the only thing that ever has.”

~Margaret Mead

There was no rest for the Buddhist Women's Association members at the conclusion of 2018. The new year started off running for the organization with their first meeting of the year on January 6, 2019, planning the Ho'onko luncheon, membership party and spaghetti dinner.

Our appreciation to Tami H. and her Toban group for organizing and preparing the Ho'onko luncheon which was served on January 20 just prior to the service. Traditional Japanese dishes were provided, requiring a two-day process. The meal was delicious and received compliments from the congregation.

February 17 was the date for the BWA's annual Membership Party, beginning with a brunch at 11:30 at Jeremiah's restaurant. Members and spouses enjoyed a delicious meal followed by some fun Bingo games at the temple. This event concluded with a raffle for a \$50 prize.

Upcoming will be the BWA's **Spaghetti Fundraiser Dinner** on **March 30, 2019**, beginning at 5 p.m. and extending until 7 p.m. The cost will be \$8 for adults and \$5 for children under 12. Tickets are available from BWA members or can be purchased at the door. Also, opportunity drawing will be held for prizes at the event with tickets at \$2 each or 3 for \$5. There will be live entertainment. Please come and support this effort as all proceeds are donated to the temple general fund.



The BWA will also contribute to the preparations and sales of food items at the Japanese community's Nihon Matsuri Festival on April 27, 2019 from 10-5 along 100 South Street in Salt Lake City. Please go online to nihonmatsuri.com for further details and come and support our temple's fundraising endeavor.

Get your taste buds ready for the annual BWA Sushi Fundraiser on May 12, 2019 after Gotan'E service. Please use the order for at the end of this newsletter to reserve your sushi. Funds raised from this event will again assist with the general operating expenses for the temple.



The next BWA meeting will be March 10 at 11:00 a.m. at the temple. Your attendance would be appreciated.



BWA DONATIONS

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you*

Correction from last GEPP0:

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2019 Membership Dues

Courtney B.

Maya C.

Karen D.

Linda E.-R.

Candice F.

Christy F.

Julia F.

Chris G.

Fran H.

Kim H.

Mackenzie H.

Tami H.

Emy H.

Akiko K.

Ellen K.

Bobbie K.-U.

Judy K.

Brenda K.

Debbie K.

Sharon K.

Kyoko M.

Shauna R.

Lorraine S.

Ruth S.

Betty S.

Janice S.

Tomoko S.

Alice S.

Pam S.

Ruth S.

KayLe Y.

Kris Y.

Betty Y.

Yai Y.

Suzan Y.

DHARMA SCHOOL NEWS

Superintendent Message



Our Perch at the Church event was held on January 27th at Pine View Reservoir. The event was well-attended, and most everyone caught fish this year. All the Dharma School students, friends and family had a good time. We appreciate the time and effort of **Steve**

K., aka the temple fish

whisperer, for scouting out the perfect site for our event this year. Our thanks to **Ellen K.** and **Suzan Y.** for organizing the main dishes for the pot luck lunch held after everyone returned from fishing. Our special appreciation to **Marisa A.** for preparing the delicious pork broth for the noodles we all enjoyed. The event was well attended by our temple members, families and good friends.

The Dharma School's annual omigaki ritual, cleaning the onajjin (altar) pieces, was performed on February 3rd. Our Dharma School students did a great job polishing the altar pieces. A special thanks to **Mike K.** for providing the steamer to clean the intricate pieces.

The Dharma School will be preparing the annual Keirokai/Ohigan luncheon on Sunday, March 17th. Lunch will be served at noon followed by the Ohigan service. Please join us for the luncheon and service.

We have been invited to go bowling with the Salt Lake Dharma School on Sunday, **March 24th** at 11 a.m. at the Bonwood Bowl, 2500 Main Street, South Salt Lake. For lunch, the Salt Lake Dharma School will be providing pizza, drinks and salads. The Ogden Dharma School has been asked to bring desserts. Everyone will be responsible for their bowling and shoe rental fees. This is always a fun event to catch up with the Salt Lake Temple members, so we hope to see you all there!



In preparation for our temple's Hanamatsuri service scheduled for Sunday, April 14th, we are reaching out to our young Dharma School students who are interested in participating in our traditional Ochigo ceremony. Since we have a number of new Dharma School students, if any parents or grandparents are interested in having their children participate in this special program this year, please contact me at lkyled@yahoo.com. Also, our Dharma School students are beginning to plan their performance for the Hanamatsuri program held after the service. As in the past, their performance is the highlight of the program, so please save the date on your calendars so you can join us.



*In Gassho,
LaVerne K.*



Dharma School Donations

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Tami E.
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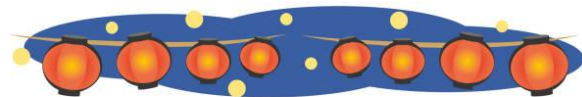


Patsy
 S.
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 Special Donation



Ernie & LaVerne K.
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 Special Donation

TAIKO DONATIONS



Ogden BWA Spaghetti Dinner



Saturday, March 30, 2019
5:00 - 7:00 PM

Ogden Buddhist Church - 155 North Street
\$8 Adults, \$5 Children

All proceeds to benefit the
Ogden Buddhist Church

Tickets available from any BWA member

FINANCE COMMITTEE REPORT

As the new committee chair, I would first like to thank Harry S. for being the chairperson all these past years. He had been a dedicated asset to the temple –helping in many ways to guide us for many years. Please don't worry –he still will continue to advise us in the future—he doesn't get off that easy.

We also would like to thank all the Sangha who supported the temple donation drive. The following is a recap of what the monies were spent for and our future projects.

In 2017 the special donations collected were \$22,340 and \$28,070 was spent for resurfacing the parking lot and purchasing new swamp coolers. In 2018 the altar carpet was replaced for \$1,677.

In 2019 we hope to purchase new classroom/bazaar chairs for \$1,200. We also will be replacing the playhouse shed with a larger shed to accommodate the grill, the Obon chairs, the freezers, etc. This will cost about \$17,550 but prevent the transients on the property and be much more useful. We also plan to have the property surveyed for about \$7,200. We are currently researching upgrading the kitchen stoves, sinks, etc. and will give details as we finalize any projects.


We appreciate all of the members' donations and I would like to propose a tax saving option for anyone over 70 ½ years old. Because you are required to take a distribution from your retirement accounts at that age, you can forego paying the tax on any distribution that is donated DIRECTLY to the temple. Yet, the amount donated will fill the "required distribution" and NOT be taxed to the donor. You are welcome to ask me any questions, regarding this if interested.

Finally, I will try to fill Harry's shoes and appreciate all the committee's efforts to keep the temple running smoothly. AKEMASHITE OMEDETOU GOZAIMASU


Namo Amida Butsu

--Maya C., Chair





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Las Vegas Obon Trip

August 2-5 2019



Come and enjoy the fun and festivities at the Obon festival in Las Vegas.

Trip will include:

- *Transportation from Salt Lake City Buddhist Church to Las Vegas at 9:00 A.M.*
- *May possibly have pick up in Weber or Davis County if enough interest is confirmed.*
- *Transportation to the Obon festival on Saturday, August 2nd.*
- *Three nights stay with meals (breakfast, lunch and dinner) in the California Hotel and Casino.*
- *Fees:*
Double occupancy \$251.25 per person.
Single occupancy \$331.25
- *Please advise special needs (handicapped, smoking or adjoining rooms)*
- *Trip limited to first 52 people. Payment due by June 1*



Please provide interest and payment to:

Tena M * Omitted for Online Version * *or ohtena@yahoo.com*

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MEMBER SPOTLIGHT

By Christy Fong

Taison Y., son of Toby and Mui, has spent many hours dedicated to soccer practice and games and now his efforts have been noticed and rewarded. Taison was invited to play in a Spanish academy of a professional soccer club called the Malaga CF. This is a team that was in the same league as Real Madrid and Barcelona until this season.

He was invited for up to 90 days, although he chose 30 days because of school commitments, to travel to Spain to live in a dorm and play with the first team in his age group. Most of the other players were from Spain, full time and under contract. He also was able to play with an Irish International and Dutch International player.

Because he was not under contract, he was not able to play in the highest-level matches, but was able to play one team lower where he had 3 goals and 4 assists! Yeah, Taison!

During his stay, he took a Spanish language and culture class along with his online high school coursework. He lived by himself, UBER'ed around town to practices and local sites, and had the experience of a lifetime in his 30 days. He hopes to return one day to experience it all again!

We wish him continued success with his extraordinary soccer talent! We know you have a very bright future ahead!



Moab Again 2019



November 8-10, 2019 Moab Valley Inn

711 South Main Street

Meeting Room: Moab Room for Hospitality

Saturday Night Dinner, Saturday and Sunday Service

Phone: (435) 259-4419 GROUP CODE: OBC112019

20-25 Block Rooms with Group Rates of \$79.95

Guest Speaker: TBA

Activities: TBA

Questions – Annette K

Annettekoga17@gmail.com



Mountain States Conference



OHIGAN SERVICE
March Shotsuki Hoyo
KEIRO-KAI
Sunday, March 17, 2019, 1:30 PM
Lunch at 12:00 noon

The word Higan comes from the Sanskrit word Paramita - "Other Shore." The words "other shore" refer to the "world of Nirvana." As the name Higan denotes, this is the time to remind within each and every one of us the Bodhisattva practice of the Six Paramitas of charity, morality, patience, effort, meditation, and wisdom. It is the means by which one crosses over the illusory ocean of birth and death to the other shore of Nirvana.

Shotsuki Hoyo - Monthly Memorial Service



HANAMATSURI SERVICE
April Shotsuki Hoyo
Sunday, April 14, 2019, 10:00 AM
Lunch & Program to Follow Service

Hanamatsuri or "Flower Festival" is held to commemorate the birth of Siddhartha Gautama in Lumbini Garden. According to the ancient legend, the universe was filled with joyful music, flowers bloomed in full glory and sweet rain fell from the heavens to make this a joyful event. During the service a flower shine known as the Hanamido is set up in front of the main altar as a symbol of Lumbini Garden. In this shrine is placed a statuette of the infant Buddha and the Congregation offers flowers and pours sweet tea over the image.

Shotsuki Hoyo - Monthly Memorial Service

March & April Shotsuki Hoyo

March Shotsuki Hoyo

March 17, 2019, 1:30 p.m.

Mar 22 2017 Toshiyuki Aoki
 Mar 18 2013 Akio Dick Hamada
 Mar 10 1967 Kanekichi Hamada
 Mar 29 2014 Hisano Higashiyama
 Mar 18 1971 Francis Hirabayashi
 Mar 18 1971 Ricky Hirabayashi
 Mar 11 1987 Yukiyo Iseki
 Mar 2 2015 Aileen Shizuko Kano
 Mar 29 1997 Kayzo Kano
 Mar 12 1999 Toyse Toshiharu Kato
 Mar 15 2005 Maxie Kimiko Kato
 Mar 14 1960 Tasaku Kumooka
 Mar 23 1988 Yoshimatsu Miyagishima
 Mar 23 1996 Hideo Miyawaki
 Mar 29 1998 Matsuyo Miyawaki
 Mar 22 1988 Mary M. Morinaka
 Mar 5 1979 Shuichi Murakami
 Mar 14 1994 Masako Nakagawa Burrell
 Mar 16 1966 Bunkichi Oki
 Mar 18 1975 Itsu Ota
 Mar 31 1973 Taiji Shimada
 Mar 14 1970 Yasu Shiotani
 Mar 3 1970 Utaro Sugihara
 Mar 11 1979 Masu Sugihara
 Mar 11 2000 George Joji Sugimoto
 Mar 16 1990 Mine Takabayashi
 Mar 17 2008 Judy Naoko Takara
 Mar 16 1983 Noble Edward Tsushima
 Mar 30 1988 Takashi Uemori
 Mar 27 2003 Saburo Butch Uyeno
 Mar 27 1964 Shinichi Yamada
 Mar 28 2014 Ted Teruo Yamada
 Mar 3 1996 Toshimi Yamada (Tsukamoto)
 Mar 7 1979 Mii Yamaguchi
 Mar 10 2007 Takeo Yamasaki
 Mar 16 1996 Ruby Toshiko Yamasaki
 Mar 28 1992 Kiyoshi Yei
 Mar 11 1976 Saburoji Yoshimura

April Shotsuki Hoyo

April 14, 2019, 10:00 a.m.

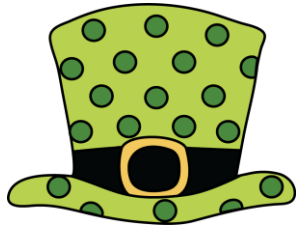
Apr 8 1982 Helen Haruye Estrada
 Apr 23 1974 Chohachi Fujita
 Apr 5 1979 Utaka Harada
 Apr 25 1970 Toraki Hattori
 Apr 2 1980 Joe Hideo Imaizumi
 Apr 2 1995 Miyoe Inouye (Miyamoto)
 Apr 16 1983 Ise K. Kato
 Apr 5 1979 Bunshiro Kikuchi
 Apr 4 2000 Mitsuru Koga
 Apr 1 2012 Fujie O. Kunitomo
 Apr 21 1963 Katsugoro Miya
 Apr 22 1967 Eimatsu Miyagishima
 Apr 4 1962 Kenjiro Mukai
 Apr 11 1993 Yukimi Nakashige (Naito)
 Apr 13 1962 Kosaku Nakata
 Apr 11 1975 Gentaro Nakashige
 Apr 30 2009 Kikue "Kixie" Oda
 Apr 13 1987 Chiyoichi Ogata
 Apr 24 1979 Haruge Okuda
 Apr 11 1987 Kumaye Okuda
 Apr 13 1980 Kirk Sakae Omori
 Apr 17 1984 George Sakae Omori
 Apr 4 1961 Kotaro Ono
 Apr 3 1991 Randall Petersen
 Apr 11 1979 George T. Ryujin
 Apr 21 1999 Tomotsu Tom Ryujin
 Apr 2 2004 Etsuko Ryujin
 Apr 4 1999 Mary Sase
 Apr 9 2009 Shige Shimada
 Apr 6 1990 Takino Sugimoto (Nakano)
 Apr 29 2015 LaVerne Vera Summers
 Apr 4 2010 Fred W. Taniguchi
 Apr 26 1995 Yoshiko Tawatai (Yamasaki)
 Apr 29 1993 Shizuyo (Shitsuyo) Uyematsu
 Apr 22 1971 Kiyoshi Yamamoto
 Apr 17 1995 Miyeko Yamane (Nakagawa)
 Apr 28 1967 Suzuko Yamashita
 Apr 24 2006 George Seiichi Yoshida
 Apr 7 2014 Debbie Yoshimura

The temple holds the Shotsuki Hoyo, monthly in memory of those Sangha members that have died during that month in previous years. During these services, the temple will list the names of those members who have died during the month in the preceding years. These services are not meant to replace the major memorial services as listed below. The numbers for the years of service are using the "kaiki" which beings the first year as 1 and second year as third year. To schedule a private memorial service please contact Rev. Hirano. Contact information - Office: 363-4742, Home: 299-8727, Emergency: 819-2648




2018 Memorial Service Schedule for those who passed away in:

2018 – 1 year	2007 – 13 year	1985 – 33 year
2017 – 3 year	2003 – 17 year	1970 – 50 year
2013 – 7 year	1995 – 25 year	1920 – 100 year

For corrections/additions to our Shotsuki Hoyo list, please contact Ruth Schriock, 801-292-6042



March 2018

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1	2
3 11:30 am – Dharma School Meeting 12:00 pm – Meditation 12:30 pm – Discussion Group 12:45 pm – Dharma School 1:30 pm – Family Service 	4	5	6 10:00 am Buddha's Round Table	7	8	9
← National Council Meeting →						
10 11:00 am – BWA Meeting 12:00 pm – Meditation 12:30 pm – Discussion Group 12:45 pm – Dharma School 1:30 pm – Family Service 	11	12 7:30 pm OBC Board Meeting	13 10:00 am Buddha's Round Table	14	15	16
17 12:00 pm – Meditation 12:00 pm – Otoki Lunch 12:30 pm – Discussion Group 12:45 pm – Dharma School 1:30 pm – Ohigan Service Keiro-kai Shotsuki Hoyo 	18	19	20 10:00 am Buddha's Round Table	21	22	23
← TechnoBuddha Conf →						
24 12:00 pm – Meditation 12:30 pm – Discussion Group 12:45 pm – Dharma School 1:30 pm – Family Service	25	26	27	28	29	30  5:00 pm BWA Spaghetti Fundraiser
31 12:00 pm – Meditation 12:30 pm – Discussion Group 12:45 pm – Dharma School 1:30 pm – Family Service						




Toban Cleaning Group:

Roland & Janice S. (Toban Cleaning Leader)
 Todd & Stacie H.
 Fran H.



April 2018



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1 	2	3 10:00 am Buddha's Round Table	4	5	6
7 10:00 am - SLBT Hanamatsuri Svc., Lunch, and Program * NO services in Ogden. Please attend SLBT's Hanamatsuri Service. *	8	9 7:30 pm OBC Board Meeting	10 10:00 am Buddha's Round Table	11	12	13 6:00 pm Hanamido Alter Making
14 10:00 am – OBC Hanamatsuri Svc., Shotsuki Hoyo, Lunch, and Program. 	15	16	17 10:00 am Buddha's Round Table	18	19	20
21 12:00 pm – Meditation 12:30 pm – Discussion Group 12:45 pm – Dharma School 1:30 pm – Family Service 	22	23	24	25	26 6:00 pm Nihon Matsuri Prep	27 ALL DAY NIHON MATSURI Festival
28 12:00 pm – Meditation 12:30 pm – Discussion Group 12:45 pm – Dharma School 1:30 pm – Family Service	29	30	Federation of DS Teachers Conf.			

Toban Cleaning Group:

Kirk & Betty Y. (Toban Cleaning Leader)
 Madison Y.
 Steve & Kris Y.



BWA SUSHI FUND RAISER



\$10.00 per plate

Available for pick-up following
Gotan-E Service on May 12th.

All proceeds will go to the Ogden Buddhist Church.



BWA SUSHI FUND RAISER

Thank you for your support!
Sushi plates will be ready for pick-up on the
Sunday of Gotan-E Service ~ May 12, 2019.

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of plates ordered _____ x \$10.00 each = \$_____ total due

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The Ogden Buddhist Church

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