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The American Humanist Association (AHA) works to protect the rights of humanists, atheists, and other nontheistic Americans. The AHA advances the ethical and life-affirming worldview of humanism, which—without beliefs in gods or other supernatural forces—encourages individuals to live informed and meaningful lives that aspire to the greater good of humanity

## A Message from Fish Stark,

### Executive Director of the American Humanist Association

Before the end of the year, I want to speak with you, humanist to humanist, about the moment we're in—and why your voice is so needed right now.

We're up against something big. Christian Nationalists, emboldened by Trump's re-election and plans like Project 2025, are working harder than ever to turn this country into a theocracy. Among many disturbing things, just recently, Trump called for mandatory prayer in schools, a blatant attack on the separation of church and state. And that's just the tip of the iceberg.

Here's the thing: we don't back down. We're humanists. At the AHA we've been fighting for reason, compassion, and justice since 1933—and we're damn good at it. The AHA has spent decades standing up to religious extremism and protecting our democracy, and now, more than ever, we need everyone in this fight. That includes you.

## Humanist Forums

Forums are held 1st and 3rd Sundays at 11:00AM at the Mountain View Senior Center at 266 Escuela Avenue, other forum locations will be announced online. All forums are simultaneously available on Zoom. You can get both the Zoom location and venue from [meetup.com/humanistcommunity](https://www.meetup.com/humanistcommunity).



# EVENTS IN SILICON VALLEY

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## January 2025

Sunday

Monday

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Wednesday

Thursday

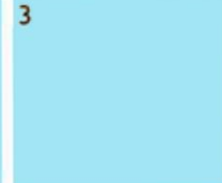
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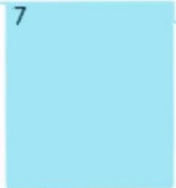
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Nancy Pelosi  
1st Female  
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5 11:00am Sunday Forum  
A Love Letter to Realism  
*video and discussion*  
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& Annual Meeting



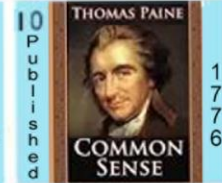
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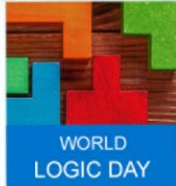


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12 11:00am Sunday Forum  
David Frum on Trump's  
"Predatory"  
Foreign Policy  
*video and discussion*



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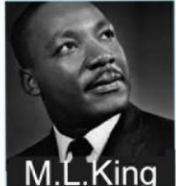


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19 1:00am Sunday Forum  
How Can We Humanists  
and Atheists Stop  
Christian Nationalists?  
*Judith Banister hosts*



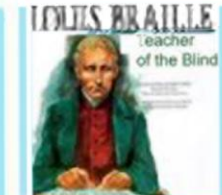
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