

Dharma Family Service Announcements 3/14/21

Upcoming BCA Center For Buddhist Education Online Events:

(Registration info is all on the Buddhist Churches of America Website)

3/19 4-6 pm

Taitetsu Unno Memorial Lecture
Special IBS event celebrating his life and accomplishments
featuring Dr. Kenneth Tanaka

3/27 11am-12:15 pm

Innovations and Challenges With Bon Odori Online
Featuring short presentations by 5 BCA temples followed by an
open forum to exchange ideas

Other Upcoming Events:

Ainu, Okinawa and Indigeneity Series

The University of British Columbia

Mar 15th 12pm (PT)

Ainu: 150 years of resilience
Dr. Kanako Uzawa

Mar 29 5PM (PT)

Re-thinking Okinawan Indigeneity: Articulation and
Activism
Dr. Megumi Chibana

Registration: <https://cjr.iar.ubc.ca/ainu-okinawa-and-indigeneity/>

May 15th 2-4 pm

Life Enrichment Program

Featuring Chenxing Han, author of *Be the Refuge: Raising the Voices of Asian American Buddhists* in conversation with Dr. Funie Hsu, SJSU

More details to come so please stay tuned!

Don't forget to watch the documentary about photojournalist and special guest speaker at the BCA National Council Meeting, Regina H. Boone's inspiring journey uncovering the truth about her grandfather who was incarcerated during WWII and disappeared never to return home.

It is available to view for free on the NHK website until March 31st:

<https://www3.nhk.or.jp/nhkworld/en/ondemand/video/3016040/>



We have begun selling 200+ Tickets/Memberships for 2021. Funds raised from this sale will benefit Church Security and Building Infrastructure.

Due to the Covid-19 Lockdown and Social Distancing we are asking buyers to either:

- **Go to the Church Website to purchase tickets online: <http://BuddhistChurchofOakland.org/200plus/>**

or

- **Reserve tickets by calling/emailing Church BEFORE mailing or sending a check. Board members will not have tickets to sell but can assist you in reserving a ticket.**

Once we receive your payment, we will mail you a Ticket/Receipt from the Church Office.

There are only 299 tickets/memberships available, so please do not delay in making your purchase. Please contact the Church Office for 200+ Club questions or program details.

Thank you for your continued support.

BCO 200+ Committee

CELEBRATE HANAMATSURI

BCO Bento Sale !

Saturday, April 3rd - 11:30am to 2:00pm
Pre-Order Only - Drive-Thru Pickup



Join us for a gourmet Japanese dinner prepared by professional Chef Royce Mori

Please place your order:

1. Online Ordering on the BCO Website: www.BuddhistChurchofOakland.org/bento/
2. Mail your order with Check to Church by Wednesday March 24th
3. Call Church with your order. Please bring payment when picking up

LAST DAY TO ORDER: Wednesday March 24th 2021. DRIVE-THRU PICKUP: Saturday April 3rd—11:30 to 2:00

BENTO #1 - Chicken Karaage

Served with:
Udon Noodles (with green onions and Kamaboko (fish cake))
Roasted broccoli (with bacon and caramelized onions)
Steamed White Rice

Chicken Karaage

_____ Qty @ \$15.00 = _____

BENTO #2 - Hamachi Kama (Pescatarian)

Served with:
Daikon Oroshi/Lemon Wedge Sunomono (cucumber salad)
Shira-ae Spinach (creamed spinach), Miso Glazed Eggplant
Steamed White Rice

Hamachi Kama

_____ Qty @ \$18.00 = _____

BENTO #3 - Ramen Salad (Vegan)

Served with:
Crispy Tofu, Corn, Spinach, Green Onions, Crispy Shallots,
Sesame-Soy Dressing
Inari Musubi

Ramen Salad

_____ Qty @ \$13.00 = _____

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_____ Qty Total \$ _____

Buyer Name: _____

Phone Number: _____

Email Address: _____

Special Instructions/My order will be picked up by: _____

Please note: All Bentos are being sold at Cost. If you would like to make a donation to Church. Please send a separate Check or make a Donation on the BCO Website.

Thank you for your participation.

About Chef Mori: Royce Mori grew up in the Bay Area as a member of the Southern Alameda County Buddhist Church (SACBC). After attending the California Culinary Academy, he has worked at Roy's, Ozumo, Straits and Okura. He opened his own restaurant, The Red Crane and currently operates Meaningful Meal Non-Profit Fundraising to support local causes. He started a weekly Wednesday Asian meal program at SACBC and cooks for several local temples and Asian groups.

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