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ANNUAL SOCIETY REPORT

Society Report for The Ethical Culture Society of Silicon Valley

Leader(s): none

President: John Dukovic

Administrative Director/Office Contact: none

Brief update on activities that occurred or were developed in 2020:

It was a very unusual year with the pandemic, of course. We managed to keep our eight monthly meetings going successfully by holding them on Zoom.

Ethical Action: Our Ethical Action Team considered a range of potential areas for projects and arrived at the decision to concentrate on the local homeless population, rededicating ourselves to delivering dinners to a local shelter, in coordination with the shelter and with some other organizations.

Ethical Education (children, YES, FES): none

Finances: Not having a building or a clergy leader, our expenses not high. We also haven't had to pay rent while we have been operating on Zoom. So, we are doing okay financially.

Membership: We have been fairly steady, with 30 members.

Goals for 2021:

- We'd like to explore with the AEU the possibilities for engaging with a clergy leader on a part-time basis.
- Another goal is to get more of our members participating in positions of responsibility in the Society.
- We also intend to change our AEU membership status from "Circle" (or Provisionally Admitted Society) to "Society" (i.e., a fully admitted Society) per the new provision in the AEU Bylaws.