

THE FIRST UNIVERSALIST UNITARIAN CHURCH

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ORDER OF SERVICE

March 7, 2021 | 10:30 a.m.

PRELUDE

“Kyrie”

John Leavitt

CALL TO WORSHIP & CHALICE LIGHTING

We light this chalice for the light of truth,
the warmth of love,
and the fire of commitment.
We light this symbol of our faith
as we gather together.

HYMN NO. 128 - “For All That is Our Life”

B. Findlow and P. R. Rickey

For all that is our life we sing our thanks and praise;
for all life is a gift which we are called to use
to build the common good and make our own days glad.

For needs which others serve, for services we give,
for work and its rewards, for hours of rest and love;
we come with praise and thanks for all that is our life.

For sorrow we must bear, for failures, pain, and loss,
for each new thing we learn, for fearful hours that pass:
we come with praise and thanks for all that is our life.

For all that is our life we sing our thanks and praise;
for all life is a gift which we are called to use
to build the common good and make our own days glad.

POEM FOR ALL AGES & CHILDREN’S SONG

May peace surround you, may love surround you
as you go, as you go, as you go on your way.

PRAYER & SILENT MEDITATION

HYMN NO. 123 - “Spirit of Life”

Carolyn McDade

Spirit of Life, come unto me
Sing in my heart, all the stirrings of compassion.
Blow in the wind, rise in the sea;
Move in the hand, giving life the shape of justice.

Roots hold me close, wings set me free,
Spirit of Life, come to me, come to me (Repeat)

READING

Romans 12:9-19

MUSIC MEDITATION

“An American Hymn”

words by Molly-Ann Leikin, music by Lee Holdridge

SERMON

“Litany of Humility”

HYMN NO. 407

trad., arr. by Mary Allen Walden

“We’re Gonna Sit at the Welcome Table”

We’re gonna sit at the welcome table.

We’re gonna sit at the welcome table one of these days, hallelujah!

We’re gonna sit at the welcome table,

gonna sit at the welcome table one of these days.

All kinds of people around that table...

No fancy style at the welcome table...

OFFERTORY SENTENCE

DOXOLOGY

From all that dwell below the skies

Let songs of hope and faith arise;

Let peace, good will on earth be sung

Through every land, by every tongue.

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

“Psalm 146”

Edward Eicker

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WELCOME

Today is Sunday, March 7. The preacher is the Reverend Brian Mason. The music for this Sunday's service is provided by Margaret Jerz and Dänika Kozlovich.

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NEXT SUNDAY'S SERVICE

Next Sunday, March 14, the guest speaker is Randy Jefferson.