

Accotink

Unitarian Universalist Church

A Welcoming & Inclusive Spiritual Home

where we inspire each other to live our values.

Together we Care in Community, Grow in Spirit, & Act for Justice.

Theme for July: Unity in Diversity ~ E Pluribus Unum



July 28, 2024

IN-PERSON & VIRTUAL SERVICES at 10a

Minister: Reverend William Levwood

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Minister's Office Hours: Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday 9:30a-1:30p

Virtual or In Person Hours outside of these hours are available by appointment ONLY.

email Reverend Levwood for scheduling

For immediate pastoral support call Rev. Levwood directly at (571) 210-0816

Music Director: Brad Rinaldo

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Congregational Administrator: RW Carney III

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Office Hours: Monday, Wednesday, Thursday: 11a - 3p

CIRCLES & SACRED GEOMETRY

Question(s) to Ponder: "What emotions do you feel when you think of where you are in the cycle of lifes?"

*"When we join hands in a circle, we have taken a step toward peace."
Gwyn Peterdi*

RINGING BOWL

PRELUDE

WELCOMING WORDS

Paulette Lichtman-Panzer

GREET YOUR NEIGHBOR

CHALICE LIGHTING

CENTERING WORDS

CENTERING SONG

#155, Circle 'Round for Freedom

TIME FOR ALL AGES

*Round
written by Jennifer Ward & illustrated by Lisa Congdon
read aloud by Judy Robison & Young Readers*

YOUNG READERS

CHILDREN'S RECEPTIONAL

As the children recess to their learning groups sing them out with the **Reeb Children's Benediction.*

Go in love, our hearts go with you.

Go in joy, our hopes go too.

Learn in love and grow in wisdom.

Shine your light in all you do.

JOYS & SORROWS

*This is a time to share joys and sorrows dear to our hearts, **no announcements** please.*

PASTORAL ANTHEM

PRAYER

RESPONSIVE READING

*#646, The Larger Circle
by Wendell Berry*

MEDITATION IN SONG

#212, We Are Dancing Sarah's Circle

INVITATION TO GENEROSITY

OFFERTORY ANTHEM

READING

*Within the Circles of Our Lives
by Wendell Berry*

REFLECTION

*Circles & Sacred Geometry
Judy Robison*

CLOSING SONG

#311, Let It Be a Dance We Do

ANNOUNCEMENTS

DONATE

CHALICE EXTINGUISHING WITH COMMUNITY BLESSING

This church is dedicated to the proposition that by embracing our differences and celebrating our diversity we honor the unity that makes us one and binds us forever together in spite of time, death and the space between the stars. We pause now in silent witness to that unity.

David Bumbaugh, adapted

BENEDICTION

COFFEE HOUR

* Latecomers are still welcome.

~ We welcome people of all ages into our worship service.

Outreach Collection Sponsor: John Peterson

Special thanks to:

Service Webinar Management: Jenn Carlson

Worship Associate: Paulette Lichtman-Panzer

Board Host:

Guest Speaker: Judy Robison

Each Sunday dozens of **volunteers** work together to make this service a success. If you'd like to be an Sunday Service Volunteer or some additional asset to Accotink as a whole, contact RW Carney III at (703) 503-4579 or at administrator@accotinkuu.org. Volunteering is a great way to form relationships with other Accotinkers.

Welcome to our Newcomers

If this is your first Sunday with us, please be sure to sign up for our future broadcast services and various newsletters via our in service chat options or by emailing, info@accotinkuu.org.

A variety of information about Unitarian Universalism and our congregation is available via our website and contact forms. A friendly AUUC Staff Member and/or Volunteer will be happy to answer your questions. In addition, we also publish a weekly newsletter, filled with information and opportunities to make a difference locally and nationally. If you would like to receive our newsletter, please speak to the Church Administrator at administrator@accotinkuu.org, and we will see to it that your name is added to our mailing list. We invite you to either download and/or print out this Order of Service. Please join us for coffee and conversation following the service today.

Our Shared Unitarian Universalist Values

Love is at the center of Unitarian Universalism. Love is the practice of our living tradition.
As Unitarian Universalists we covenant to:



- *Help everyone flourish with Dignity by building accessible and inclusive communities.*
- *Honor the web of life by protecting Earth & all beings from exploitation.*
- *Be Beloved Community by dismantling racism and all systemic oppression.*
- *Cultivate generosity by freely sharing our Faith, presence, and resources.*
- *Celebrate diversity by embracing our differences with love and respect.*
- *Transform the world with love by growing together, spiritually and ethically.*

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