Announcements and Upcoming Events

Coffee Hour & Discussion of the Sermon

Announcements

Newcomers welcome! — We hope you felt at home here with us. Please be sure to sign the sign-in sheet in the lobby. If you'd like more information about the WUU, please visit our homepage or Facebook group, given below.

Getting Involved — We have several committees. More participation is needed by members and friends alike. Everyone is welcome and encouraged to join!

Visioning — Our visioning workshop will take place on 24/25 June. We're busy preparing a questionnaire for everyone's input. We hope you'll participate!

Strictly Fun Fourth Sundays (or Saturdays) — Have an idea? Just suggest it (even spontaneously), and see who comes!

We welcome your contributions no matter the size or form. Anyone with ideas for events, please do share them in person, on Facebook or via email!



"What We Share"



Led by Carolyn Burlingame-Goff
June 18th, 2017



Love is the doctrine of this church. The quest for truth is its sacrament. And service is its prayer.

Prelude

"Come Healing" (by Leonard Cohen and Patrick Leonard)

Welcome

Opening Words

—Betty Jo Middleton "In Our Time Together"

Chalice Lighting

Every person has wisdom to share.
When we are working together across lines of difference
When we listen with appreciation
Wisdom finds its way into our hearts.
We light this chalice for the values and hopes we share with one another, and with our neighbors.



"From You I Receive" (#402, Singing the Living Tradition)

First Reading (responsive)

—Tess Baumberger "We Travel This Road Together" Please respond to this call to worship with the words: "We travel this road together."

Sharing of Joys and Concerns

Story for All Ages

"The Golden Windows" (by Laura E. Richards)

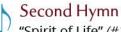
In unison:

Go now in peace, go now in peace. May the spirit of love surround you, everywhere, everywhere you may go.

Offertory

Meditation (guided)

-Stephen W. Dick



"Spirit of Life" (#123, Singing the Living Tradition)

Second Reading (responsive)

Please see hymn #469 (Singing the Living Tradition)

Sermon

"What We Share" (by Carolyn Burlingame-Goff)

Third Reading

-Renee Ruchotzke "We Are the Music"



Third Hymn

"This is my song" (#159, Singing the Living Tradition)

Benediction

My fellow travelers, we are one.
The thoughts we share make us one.
The joys we celebrate make us one.
Even as our dearest sisters and brothers
come and go from us, we are one.
Even as we scatter from this place
to so many diverse pursuits
throughout this country, this continent, this globe, we are one.

With gratitude we share this time together. With gratitude we depart. With gratitude we release one another, trusting in the wisdom which makes us one. Go in peace.

Extinguishing the Chalice

In unison:

We extinguish this flame but not the light of truth, the warmth of community, or the fire of commitment. These we carry in our hearts until we are together again.

—Elizabeth Selle Jones