



Unitarian Universalist Congregation of South County

Order of Service February 27, 2022

Chiming of the Singing Bowl

Opening Hymn *Shine on Me*, sung by Melanie DeMore

Opening Words *easy*, by Evie Shockley

Chalice Lighting

We light this chalice as the symbol of our chosen faith. May its light remind us of the light inside each one of us and may it guide us to live by our principles.

Covenant *Love is the spirit of this congregation, and service is its prayer.
This is our great covenant: To dwell together in peace,
To seek the truth in love, And to help one another.*

Joys and Concerns

Stewardship Reflection -- Caleb Grant

Sermon *Tempe, a Story of Hope* --Gcina Mhlophe

Closing Hymn *Lean on Me*, Bill Withers

Closing Words *New Day's Lyric*, by Amanda Gorman

Extinguishing the Chalice

We extinguish this chalice, but not its light. That we take with us out into the world, sharing it with those we encounter on our journey.

Closing Song

*Carry the flame of peace and love until we meet again.
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The member congregations of the Unitarian Universalist Association affirm and promote:

- ❖ The inherent worth and dignity of every person;
- ❖ Justice, equity and compassion in human relations;
- ❖ Acceptance of one another and encouragement to spiritual growth in our congregations;
- ❖ A free and responsible search for truth and meaning;
- ❖ The right of conscience and the use of the democratic process within our congregations and in society at large;
- ❖ The goal of world community with peace, liberty, and justice for all;
- ❖ Respect for the interdependent web of all existence of which we are a part.
- ❖ Journeying toward spiritual wholeness by working to build a diverse multicultural Beloved Community by our actions that accountably dismantle racism and other oppressions in ourselves and our institutions. *

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Sara Kaplow, Congregational Administrator • Susan Rogala, Financial Administrator

Rev. Denis's Schedule: Office hours Tuesdays 10-4
Beverages & Banter Schedule and links online and on the calendar

Next Furlough Week March 21st to March 28th