Unitarian Universalist Congregation of South County

Order of Service April 7, 2024

Sounding the Chime

Welcome and Announcements *Rev Denis Paul*

Opening Hymn

Chalice Lighting A Sioux Prayer

Opening Words

Reciting the Covenant Together

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

Meditation

Response from *Nephelidia,* by Algeron Charles Swinburne

Offering

Today's offering will be split with WARM Center of Westerly. All plate cash will go towards the total to be shared. If you wish to contribute by check, please make check payable to UUCSC and put "Shared Collection" in the memo line.

Offertory

Story *The Gift of Fire*

Hymn

Sermon *Stealing A Soul* Rev. Denis Paul

Hymn

Closing Words *the words of T. S. Eliot*

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. (3x).

Newcomers, please fill out a yellow welcome card, which you can find in the back of the gray hymnal, and put it in with the offering or give it to one of the greeters.

Rev. Denis Letourneau Paul, Minister

Michael Galib, Music Director

Lee Cowan, Director of Religious Education

Sara Kaplow, Congregational Administrator, Karen St. Peter, Congregational Bookkeeper

Rev. Denis's Schedule: Office hours Tuesdays & Thursdays 10-4
Upcoming Beverages & Banter: Tuesday, April 23, 2 pm at Caf Bar.
Next furlough week: April 8 to 15, next study week April 16 to 22.