



Unitarian Universalist Congregation of South County
Order of Service, April 21, 2024

Sounding the Chime

Welcome and Announcements

Opening Hymn *Bring Out the Festal Bread* # 220

Chalice Lighting

Opening Words *Wild Geese* Mary Oliver

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.*

Hymn *For the Earth Ever Turning* Hymn # 163

Joys and Concerns

Offering *I Wandered Lonely as a Cloud* William Wordsworth

Offertory *Serenade* Timothy Brown

Sermon *Vis Medicatrix Naturae — The Healing Power of Nature*
Deirdre O'Connor

Closing Hymn *Blue Boat Home* Hymn # 1064

Closing Words from *Arctic Dreams* Barry Lopez

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).

Deirdre O'Connor and Adria Evans



*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 May 14 to 20.