

## UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST ASSOCIATION PRINCIPLES AND PURPOSES

We, the member congregations of the Unitarian Universalist Association, covenant to 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.

Many Unitarian Universalist congregations, including ours, have added an 8<sup>th</sup> Principle:

- 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.



### Paint Branch Unitarian Universalist Church

301-937-3666  
[www.pbuuc.org](http://www.pbuuc.org)

Meeting Sundays at 3pm at:  
University Christian Church  
6800 Adelphi Road  
Hyattsville, MD 20782

## Paint Branch Unitarian Universalist Church Order of Service

January 22, 2023 at 3:00 pm



### A Responsible Search

**Kirk Freeman**  
with **Worship Associate Lula Beatty**

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REV. ANN KADLECEK, *MINISTER*  
DAVID CHAPMAN, *MUSIC DIRECTOR*  
JEANNETTE JACKSON, *CHURCH OFFICE ADMINISTRATOR*  
SHARON WERTH, *CHALICE DANCE DIRECTOR*

Paint Branch Unitarian Universalist Church  
Worship Service

Sunday, January 22, 2023 at 3:00 pm

**Gathering Music** David Chapman, Music Director

**Welcome** Lula Beatty, Worship Associate

**Congregational Greeting**

**Call to Worship** Kirk Freeman

**\*Hymn #131** *Love Will Guide Us*

**Unison Chalice Lighting**

*We spark this sacred flame as a reminder of the fire that burns within each of us: the fire of hope, love, commitment, and justice.*

*We light this chalice as a community because we know that the fires within each of us burn brighter and warmer when we are together.*

*May its light and warmth bring us comfort for the journey and its dance inspire us to be free.*

*Kirk Freeman*

**\*Hymn #108** *My Life Flows On*

**Joys and Sorrows** Kathy Bartolomeo, Pastoral Care Associate

**Intonation** *Meaning* by Gavin DeGraw

**Silence**

**Chalice Reflection** Lula Beatty

**Offering**

**Offertory** *Searching* by Allen Collins and Ronnie VanSant

**Reading** Adrienne Rich

**Sermon** Kirk Freeman

**Closing Words** Kirk Freeman

**Response** *Fuente de Amor/Spirit of Life* PBUUC Choir

**Extinguishing Chalice**

*"Our service has ended, but our work is not yet done. May our spirits be renewed, and our purpose resolved as we meet the challenges of the week. The chalice flame is extinguished until once again ignited by the strength of our communion."*

*- Martha Kirby Capo*

**Announcements** Lula Beatty

**Music for Connection and Conversation**

*\* Please rise in body and/or spirit.*

Thanks are extended to: Carol Boston, Andy McIntire, and Keith Miller - tech team; Chris Evans and Margaret McLellan - ushers.

This service is recorded using a camera in the rear of the sanctuary. If you wish to avoid being on camera, please sit in the back couple of rows.