

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 8th 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.

How to Make a Donation to Paint Branch

<https://pbuuc.breezechms.com/give/online>; or

Text the whole dollar amount of your donation to 301-321-7215; or

Drop your check in the offering basket or mail it to the church at:
3215 Powder Mill Rd, Adelphi, MD 20783.

We no longer accept cash donations.



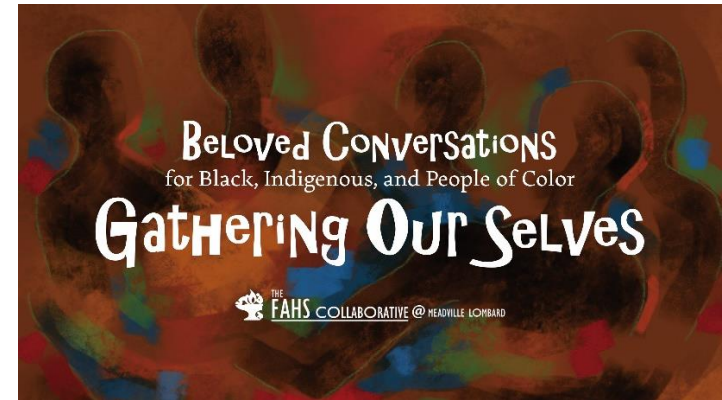
Paint Branch Unitarian Universalist Church

301-937-3666
www.pbuuc.org

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

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Order of Service



“Beloved Conversations about Race”
Carmelita Carter-Sykes, Mark Denome, Tricia
Most and Mary Rooker, with Rev. Ann Kadlecek

March 12, 2023

3:00 pm

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

Paint Branch Unitarian Universalist Church
Worship Service

Sunday, March 12, 2023 3 pm

Gathering Music David Chapman, Music Director

Welcome Carmelita Carter-Sykes and Mark Denome

Congregational Greeting

Call to Worship Rev. Ann Kadlecek

***Hymn #1022** *Open the Window* verses 1-3

Chalice Lighting by Anne Barker
Carmelita Carter-Sykes / Kathy Bartolomeo

What is done cannot be undone.
What is done next must now be done with care.
We gather because we are hopeful,
Because we have visions and dreams of a brighter future.

Joys and Sorrows
Kathy Bartolomeo, Pastoral Care Associate

Intonation *Just One Dream* by Walter Afanasieff

Silence

Offering
Offertory *Ebony and Ivory* by Paul McCartney

Reflection *Leaning into Discomfort to Learn about Racism*
Tricia Most

Reflection *Acknowledging Racial Harm* Mark Denome

Musical Interlude

Reflection *With a Little Help from my Friends* Mary Rooker

Reflection *My Identity Politics* Carmelita Carter-Sykes

Choir *Inscriptions of Liberty* by Claren D. Wilson
Paint Branch Choir

Closing Words

Response *Fuente de Amor/Spirit of Life*

Extinguishing Chalice Mark Denome / Kathy Bartolomeo

"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

Music for Connection and Conversation

** Please rise in body and/or spirit*

Thank you to today's volunteers!

Tech: Andy McIntire, Carol Boston and
Keith Miller

Ushers: Margaret McLellan & Kathy Bartolomeo
lead usher: Chris Evans

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