

## 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.

### How to Make a Donation to Paint Branch

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

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

Place cash or a check in the offering basket, or mail a check to the church at: P.O. Box 676, Laurel, MD 20725-0676.



### 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



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### **New Ways Ministry Speaks** Francis DeBernardo and Sister Jeannine Gramick *with Carol Boston and Carol Carter Walker* *Worship Associates*

March 10, 2024

3:00 pm

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REV. ANN KADLECEK, *MINISTER*  
JEANNETTE JACKSON, *CHURCH OFFICE ADMINISTRATOR*  
SHARON WERTH, *CHALICE DANCERS DIRECTOR*  
FRANCESCO BERRETT, *INTERIM PIANIST*

Paint Branch Unitarian Universalist Church  
Worship Service

Sunday, March 10, 2024 3 pm

**Gathering Music** Francesco Barrett, Pianist

**Prelude** Diana McFadden, Cellist  
*We Are A Gentle, Angry People*

**Welcome** Carol Carter Walker, Worship Associate

**Congregational Greeting**

**Call to Worship**

**Chalice Lighting**

*We light this chalice to awaken ourselves to  
the sacred present.*

*We light this chalice to be receptive to the  
beauty around us.*

*We light this chalice to remind ourselves  
that every person is frailty and splendor.*

**Candle for all Peoples**

**\*Hymn #389** *Gathered Here*

**Joys and Sorrows** Jim Flaherty, Pastoral Care Associate  
**Communal Ritual**  
**Silence**

**Stewardship Testimonial** Lula Beatty

**Offering**

**Reflection** Carol Boston

**Sermon** New Ways Ministry  
Francis DeBernardo, Executive Director,  
and Sister Jeannine Gramick, Co-Founder

**\*Hymn: #1017** *Building a New Way*

**Closing Words**

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

**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**

**Postlude** *We'll Build A Land* Diana McFadden

**Music for Connection and Conversation**

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

**A special thank you!**

**Tech:** Liz Citrin, Kathi Yu, and Keith Miller

**Ushers:** Chris Evans and Mary Rooker

**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