UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST ASSOCIATION Shared Unitarian Universalist Values

(Adopted June 22, 2024)



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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

Paint Branch Unitarian Universalist Church Order of Service



Earth Song

Anthony Jenkins with Worship Associate Lula Beatty September 29, 2024 at 3:00 pm

Anthony Jenkins, Minister
Jeannette Jackson, Church Administrator
Sharon Werth, Chalice Dancers Director
Amelia Peele, Interim Music Leader
Francesco Berrett, Interim Pianist
Audrey Dixon, Tech Support Specialist

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Sunday, September 29, 2024 at 3:00 pm

Gathering Music Am "Cherish the Day" (Sade) Phil 7

Ama Chandra, Aaron Hill, Phil Thomas, Tom Monroe, Anthony Jenkins, Guest Musicians

Welcome & Announcements

Lula Beatty Worship Associate

Congregational Greeting

Lula Beatty

Call To Worship

Anthony Jenkins, Minister

*Hymn "What A Wonderful World" (Bob Thiele/George David Weiss)

Chalice Lighting

Anthony Jenkins

The Earth, every living creature, and all that's upon the Earth belong to the Eternal,

With seas as foundations, and rivers as boundaries.

 ${\it The \ Divine \ shaped \ the \ continents, \ and \ fashioned \ the \ Earth.}$

Who can possibly ascend the mountain of the Most High?

Who can stand before the Eternal in sacred spaces?

Those whose hands have been washed clean and hearts made pure, Who are not given to lies or deception.

The holy presence who redeems will right what has been wrong.

The Eternal will stand close to them with blessing and mercy at hand

Psalm 24:1-6

Candle For All Peoples

Anthony Jenkins

"Prayer of the Lakota" (Chief Yellowlark)

Joys And Sorrows

Anthony Jenkins

Silence

Communal Ritual and Music Meditation

"Mercy, Mercy, Me" (Marvin Gaye) /

"Feels Like Summer" (Donald Glover)

Reading

Anthony Jenkins

"The Moment" (Margaret Atwood)

Chalice Reflection

Lula Beatty

Offering

Anthony Jenkins

Offertory "Earth Song" (Michael Jackson, arr. Manner Effect)

Sermon "Earth Song"

Anthony Jenkins

Song "All Matter" (Bilal)

Extinguishing The Chalice

Lula Beatty

We extinguish this flame but not the light of truth, the warmth of community, or the fire of commitment. These we carry in our hearts until we are together again.

Elizabeth Selle Jones

Response Fuente de Amor/Spirit of Life

Closing Words

Anthony Jenkins

"This Is It" (James Broughton)

Closing Music

"Big Yellow Taxi" (Joni Mitchell, arr. Alan Ferber)

* Please rise in body and/or spirit

A special thank you!

Musicians: Ama Chandra – vocals, Aaron Hill – piano, Phil Thomas – drums, Tom Monroe – horns/piano,

Anthony Jenkins - bass/vocals

Tech: Audrey Dixon, Liz Citrin, Andy McIntire

Ushers: Chris Evans, Peter Dowling

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 rows.