



Unitarian Universalist Church of Tippecanoe County
333 Meridian Street - West Lafayette, Indiana 47906 - uuctc.org

March 3, 2019



SIDE WITH LOVE

Speaker: Rosemary Morrison, Interim Minister

Associate: Bill Welge

Sound Technician: Carl Seese

Sanctuary Prep: Don Gresham

Order of Service for March 3, 2019

Gathering Music "Tribute" by Jon Schmidt

Welcome

Prelude "In Perfect Silence" by David Tolka

Chalice Lighting

As we light this chalice may it remind us of the light we each are,
That love and justice call us
To be agent of transformation,
envisioning a world with our interdependence shaping all actions and decisions. May we strive to be deeply connected, radically inclusive and actively engaged, while we remain spiritually grounded and theologically alive.

Rev. Debra Faulk, Unitarian Church of Calgary

Our Covenant

Love is the spirit of this church, and service is its law,
This is our covenant:
To dwell together in peace, to seek the truth in love, and to help one another.

Opening Hymn #188 Come, Come, Whoever You Are

Candles of Joy and Concern

Time for All Ages Nicole McCabe

Sing the children to their classes
"Go now in peace. Go now in peace. May the love of God surround you.
Everywhere, everywhere you may go."

Sharing Peace (In the spirit of peace, please greet your neighbor.).

Hymn #163 For the Earth Forever Turning

Responsive Reading #551 Earth Teach Me

Offering

Offertory "The Release" by Paul Cardall
Mediation in the form of Lectio Devina

Sermon Our Interdependence Calls Us to Love and Justice

Closing Hymn #1018 Come and Go With Me To That Land

Chalice Extinguishing

The chalice extinguished still lives on in our lives. May we never forget that we are part of the whole, we are part of the problem, and we are part of the solution. We are called to be our best selves, sharing the transforming power of love. Our independent lives, the earth, and our children's children are depending on it.

Benediction J.K. Knost

Postlude "The Secret Life of Daydreams" by Dario Marianelli

WELCOME

UU CHURCH STAFF

Rosemary Morrison, Interim Minister
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THE MERIDIAN UPDATE WEEKLY BULLETIN

Sunday Forum 9:00 a.m.; Sunday Service & Religious Exploration Classes 10:30 a.m. Nursery & Childcare Available.

Sunday, March 3rd, 9:00AM, Forum

Speaker: **Larry Guentert**

Topic: **How Our Dietary Choices Affect our Health and that of the Planet**

Sunday, March 3rd, 10:30AM, Service

Speaker: **Rosemary Morrison, Invited Minister**

Topic: **Our Interdependence Calls Us to Love and Justice**

CALENDAR

MARCH 3RD- MARCH 9TH

Sunday, March 3

- 9:00 AM Forum (101)
- 10:30 AM Worship & RE
- 10:30 AM Youth Meeting (6th-12th graders)
- 12:30 PM OWL prek-6th grade classes

Monday, March 4

- 7:30 AM Tai Chi Qi Gong (FH) Outside
- 12:00 PM Meridian AA (FH & K)
- 7:00 PM AA Spiritual Experience (F, K)
- 7:00 PM Lafayette Insight Meditation Community (LIMC) 103

Tuesday, March 5

- 12:00 PM Meridian AA (FH & K)
- 6:00 PM Program Council (First Tuesdays, 101)
- 7:00 PM Lafayette Chamber Singers (S)

Wednesday, March 6

- 7:30 AM Tai Chi Qi Gong (FH) Outside
- 6:00 PM Girl Scouts (102)
- 7:00 PM Blue Moon Rising Choir Practice (FH)

Thursday, March 7

- 6:00 PM Finance Committee (102)
- 6:00 PM West Lafayette Zen Group (M)

Friday, March 8

- 7:30 AM Tai Chi Qi Gong (FH) Outside
- 12:00 PM Meridian AA (FH & K)

Saturday, March 9

- 8:00 AM West Lafayette Zen Group (M)

Room Legend Key

S—Sanctuary, FH —Fellowship Hall, M —Meditation Room

Sunday, March 10th, 9:00AM, Forum

Speaker: **Tom Smith, Linda McKinney**

Topic: **Green Burial**

Sunday, March 10th, 10:30AM, Service

Speaker: **Rosemary Morrison, Interim Minister**

Topic: **Justice Looks Like Love in Public**



CHILD AND YOUTH RELIGIOUS EXPLORATION

RE Calendar: Nicole McCabe, dre@uuctc.org

Visit <https://regluu.wordpress.com/>

For more information on UUCTC
RE program and activities

We did not weave the web of life;

We are merely a strand in it.

Whatever we do to the web,

We do to ourselves

—attributed to Chief Seattle, chief of the
Duwamish Nation

All living beings on the Earth are connected on a great invisible web of life. Our seventh UU Principle talks about respect for the interdependent web of which we are all a part. Here are some things you can do to celebrate our home, planet earth, together as a family...

Explore the topic together. Talk about the ways in which your family is part of the interdependent web of life. Discuss the ways members of a family are interdependent...

Extend the topic together. Create a family covenant. Most families have explicit rules, as well as many that go unspoken. Set some time aside to identify behaviors that help...

A Family Adventure. Go on a "web walk" early in the morning to find as many spider webs glistening with dew as you can. Notice how intricate they are...

Family Discovery. Watch nature shows such as "Planet Earth" on PBS, Netflix, or DVD. Subscribe to nature magazines like [National Wildlife Federation's Big Backyard](#) or [Ranger Rick](#); even small donations to [Sierra Club](#) ...

A Family Game. Create a web together with a ball of yarn.

A Family Ritual. Practice a gratitude bedtime ritual in which you take turns naming different animals and plants...

UPCOMING

EVENTS

MOVING
forward together

Be part of the larger UU Movement!

DELEGATE



Are you interested in attending either our district's Regional Assembly (April 5-7, St. Louis) or the UUA's General Assembly (June 19-23, Spokane, WA)? I'm

happy to answer any questions you may have. I'd also like to create a list for the Board of people attending who are interested in serving as delegates of our church.

Please contact:

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March/April Recipient

Adult Learners, Inc. provides resources and needs-based scholarships to adults who experience financial issues while pursuing educational and career goals.

Website: <https://adultlearnersinc.org>

Ostara Gathering

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7:00PM

The Wheel of the Year Services celebrate the history of Pagan solstices and quarter holidays. It is a family friendly event.

Sacred Earth Community Kirsten Reynolds

kirstensknits@gmail.com



Save The Date

May 25, 2019; 10AM to 2PM

