

Unitarian Universalist Society of Sacramento

Sunday, February 19, 2023, in person and online

What's Our Story?

Unitarian Universalists' Journey Toward Beloved Community

Hymn #361 Enter, Rejoice, and Come In!

Words of Welcome

Music for Centering Contemplation
-Johannes Brahms

Chalice Lighting

Blessing Song for Children and Youth Lead with Love
-Melanie DeMore

Joys and Sorrows, Prayer, and Silence

Hymn #123 Spirit of Life/Fuente de Amor

Gift of Music Danos un Corazón (Give Us a Big Heart for Loving)
-Juan Antonio Espinoza, harm. Samuel Pascoe

Shared Offering for the Effie Yeaw Nature Center
Every Sunday we give half of the offering donations to a not-for-profit agency.
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Offertory Deep River
-African American Spiritual, arr. Mark Hayes

Spoken Response May generosity bless our world,
and may gratitude nourish our spirits.

Sermon What's Our Story? The UU Journey toward Beloved Community

Hymn #1028 The Fire of Commitment

Extinguishing the Chalice
We extinguish this flame, but we carry the light, love,
and commitment of this gathering into the days to come.

Benediction

SERVING IN WORSHIP TODAY

Guest Preacher Rev. Nancy Palmer Jones
with Rev. Dr. Roger Jones

Worship Associate Colette Kavanaugh
Pianist Irina Tchantceva ~Violinist Mary Blanchette

Song Leaders from the UUSS Choir

*Rev. Lucy Bunch is resting at home and will return soon. Music Director
Anthony Tavianini is on vacation and will return February 26.*

Funds for guest speakers in our series on the future of Unitarian
Universalism come from the Dr. Betty Ch'maj Events Fund at UUSS.

WELCOME TO GUESTS & NEWCOMERS!

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follow-up information and *Our Weekly Message* by email
at uuss.org/newcomers or at the Welcome Table in the hall.

Find our Weekly Calendar at uuss.org/bluesheets/

Assisted listening devices are in the rear or in the Welcome Hall.
Our induction-loop system connects to a T-coil hearing aid.
Restrooms are out the sanctuary doors to the left. A single-person restroom
is in the hallway to the right of the Library/Bookstore.

OUR CONGREGATION'S MISSION STATEMENT

We come together to deepen our lives
and to be a force for healing in the world.

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