

WELCOME TO FIRST UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST CHURCH OF ROCHESTER, MN

Nurturing Spiritual Growth & Practicing Justice since 1866

HEARING ASSISTANCE & LARGE-PRINT BULLETINS

We have hearing assistant devices and large-print bulletins available for Sunday services. Please see an usher for these items or for assistance.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION FOR CHILDREN & YOUTH

New families are always welcome in classes. Families can recess together after the Time for All Ages, or can connect with Amy Nelson or Derik Robertson, listed below.

NURSERY CARE

Nursery care is available each Sunday, and for many church events, for ages 6 months – 5 years. The nursery is located up the small incline past the main lobby.

LIVE VIDEO OF THE SERVICE OUTSIDE OF THE SANCTUARY

If you or your children need more space or a coloring table, there are monitors with live video of the service near the lobby, and in the Commons below the Sanctuary.

GETTING INVOLVED

If you would like to find meaningful ways to serve in the church, get involved in classes or groups, or consider becoming a member, please contact Melissa Egger, listed below.

CARING CONCERNS

If you have a joy or sorrow you would like to have shared during the service, or would like to connect with our caring committee, please contact Melissa Egger, listed below.

SOCIAL MEDIA & WEBSITE

Find the church calendar, videos of sermons, and other information about the life of the church on our website at www.uurochmn.org and on Facebook: *First Unitarian Universalist Church-Rochester, MN*.

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FIRST UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST CHURCH

January Theme: Integrity

January 5, 2020 – On the Brink

Prelude	Incantation by William Grant Still	
Welcome		Rev. Luke Stevens-Royer
*Hymn #388	Dona Nobis Pacem	
Call to Worship		Paul Trewartha-Weiner
Lighting of the Chalice		
Music	Erotikon by Edvard Grieg	
Time for All Ages		Amy Nelson
Children’s Benediction		
Embracing Meditation		Melissa Egger
Prayer		
Hymn of Meditation	In My Soul In my soul, the sun is shining, in my blood, the rolling sea, in by breath, the air of mountains, in my body, mother earth.	
Offertory	A Winter’s Willow by Ralph Vaughan-Williams	
Readings	Praise Song for the Day by Elizabeth Alexander The New Year by Barbara Crooker	
Interlude		
Sermon	On the Brink	Rev. Luke Stevens-Royer
*Hymn	Auld Lange Syne Should auld acquaintance be forgot, and never brought to mind? Should auld acquaintance be forgot, and auld lang syne? Refrain: For auld lang syne, my dear, for auld lang syne, we'll take a cup of kindness yet, for auld lang syne. And there's a hand my trusty friend! And give me a hand o' thine! And we'll take a right good-will draught, for auld lang syne.	
Benediction		
Postlude	Radetzky March by Johann Strauss	

* Please rise in body or spirit as you are able.

THIS MORNING’S PARTICIPANTS...

On the Brink
Rev. Luke Stevens-Royer: Preaching
Mark Brutinel: Paul Trewartha-Weiner
Musicians:
Allen Bishop: Oboe
Connie Schuelka: Keyboards

FLOWERS: Today’s flowers are provided by:
Gus Braga to celebrate his retirement after 31 years of working.
Pat & Dave Siljenberg, “Peace to everyone in the New Year.”

THIS WEEK’S VOLUNTEERS...

Audio	9am – Jeff Millen 11am – Jay Smith	
1 st Sunday Hospitality Team Care Coordinator	Linda Thompson, Team Leader January 5-18	Ann Lien

SUNDAY, JANUARY 12

Still Working On It
Rev. Luke Stevens-Royer: Preaching
Gus Braga: Worship Associate
Musicians:
Jane Foote: Vocals
Connie Schuelka: Piano

FOR YOUR WINTER CALENDAR...

Sunday, January 12	Pathway to Membership
Sunday, January 12	Become a Dementia Friend Workshop
Friday, January 25	Walden Hill Youth Coffee Shop Fundraiser
Sunday, February 16	UU Valentine Tea

HAPPENING THIS WEEK...

Sun Jan 5		
10:15 am	Chalice Circle Facilitators Meeting	Melissa’s Office
12:00 pm	Audio Tech Meeting	Library
12:30 pm	Shared Ministry Team Meeting	Conference
Mon Jan 6		
9:30 am	UU Mah Jongg group	Chapel
10:00 am	Course in Miracles	Commons
6:30 pm	We Agnostics AA Meeting	Chapel
Tue Jan 7		
9:30 am	Great Books Book Club	Chapel
7:00 pm	UU Zen Meditation	Thoreau Room
Wed Jan 8		
3:00 pm	O’Connell-Nolte Wed. Chalice Circle	
	Walden Hill Wednesday - Childcare available until 7:15 pm (ages 6 mos-5 yrs)	
5:30 pm	Dinner: Rainbow Meal (free will donation, open to all)	Commons
6:00 pm	Choir Rehearsal	Sanctuary
6:15 pm	Walden Hill Youth	Murray Room
6:15 pm	Children's activity	Chapel
6:15 pm	Fireside Forum: Environment Minnesota	
	Join guest speaker, Anna Richey, for a conversation about policies and practices in environmental justice work in our area and wider Minnesota.	
7:00 pm	Audio Tech Meeting	Thoreau Room
7:00 pm	Talcott Chalice Circle	Clara Barton Room
7:15 pm	Finance Committee Meeting	RE Room 103
7:15 pm	Worship Committee Meeting	Conference Room
Thu Jan 9		
1:00 pm	Caring Crafters	Hearth Room
1:00 pm	Eggler Chalice Circle	Chapel
6:30 pm	O’Connell-Nolte Thurs. Chalice Circle	Chapel
Fri Jan 10		
1:00 pm	Friday Mah Jongg	Hearth Room
1:30 pm	Stewardship 2020 Meeting	Conference Room
Sat Jan 11		
10:00 am	SoulCollage	Commons
Sun Jan 12		
10:15 am	Monthly Parent’s Meeting	Thoreau Room
10:15 am	Children’s Choir	Chapel
12:00 pm	Become a Dementia Friend	Chapel
12:15 pm	Pathway to Membership	Hearth Room
7:00 pm	Bible as a Historical Document	Hearth Room