
Hymn Lyrics

#16 Simple Gifts

'Tis a gift to be simple, 'tis a gift to be free,
'tis a gift to come down where we ought to be,
and when we find ourselves in the place just right,
'twill be in the valley of love and delight.

When true simplicity is gained,
to bow and to bend we shan't be ashamed.
To tun, turn will be our delight,
'till by turning, turning we come 'round right.

FIRST UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST CHURCH

January Theme: Living with Intention

January 9, 2022 – *This Will Do*

Gathering Music		Austin Ferguson
Welcome		Rev. Luke Stevens-Royer
Chalice Lighting		
Music	<i>Love is Little</i>	Austin Ferguson, Joe Mish, Rev. Luke Stevens-Royer
Time for All Ages		Amy Nelson
Music		
Reflection		Paul Trewartha-Weiner
Music		
Embracing Meditation		Melissa Egger
Prayer		
Music		
Readings	<i>Plague Year</i> by Nikita Gill <i>Burning the Old Year</i> by Naomi Shihab Nye	
Music		
Sermon	<i>This Will Do</i>	Rev. Luke Stevens-Royer
*Hymn #16	<i>Simple Gifts</i>	
Benediction		
Postlude		

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

THIS MORNING'S PARTICIPANTS...

This Will Do

Preaching:
Rev. Luke Stevens-Royer

Service Participants:
Melissa Egglar
Amy Nelson
Paul Trewartha-Weiner

Musicians:
Austin Ferguson
Joe Mish

Offertory:
Monthly Justice Partners

We are building on our justice partner relationships with a focus on one organization each month. This will include opportunities for learning, volunteering, and donating half of the Sunday collection each week to support their work.

January's justice partner is UnRestrict Minnesota

UnRestrict Minnesota works to protect, expand, and destigmatize access to abortion care – and all reproductive healthcare – in Minnesota through public education, advocacy, and the law.

If you have an offering, please place it in an offertory box as you are leaving. Thank you.

Use the QR code to go directly to our giving page on our website:



FOR YOUR WINTER CALENDAR – VISIT OUR WEBSITE FOR MORE INFORMATION

ALL EVENTS ARE IN PERSON UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED

Wednesday, January 12 - Zoom	Justice forum with special guest, Jason Sole
Wednesday, January 19 - Zoom	Woman's Book Study – "Warrior Goddess Training" by Heathrash Amara
Friday, January 28 – Zoom	Armchair Travelers

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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.

FAITH DEVELOPMENT 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 Egglar, 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 Egglar, 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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