Ways to Get Involved at First UU

Contact the office at <u>office@uurochmn.org</u> to stay informed by signing up for our weekly newsletter (eNews).

Chalice Choir Practice ~ Sundays ~ 10:15 - 10:40 am ~Sanctuary~ all children 5 and older encouraged to attend.

Chain sawing buckthorn anyone? Saturday, February 10 Viola Road Land ~ 10am-1pm

Principled Values: Article 2 Reflection Group Registration Required ~ Contact the Office to Register Wednesday, February 21 ~ 6:15-7:00 Commons Sunday, March 10 ~ 12:30-2 Chapel

Armchair Travelers
Friday, February 9 ~ 7 pm ~ On ZOOM
Alaska: By Land and By Sea

Valentine's Dance Saturday, February 10 ~ 6 – 9 pm Commons

Capital Campaign Kick-off Dinner & Event Wednesday, February 14 ~ 5:30 Tupper Supper ~ 6:30 Event Register in your eNews or on our website

Family Work Days at the new Viola Land Saturdays, February 17, 24 and March 2 ~ 10am-1pm

UU Valentine's Tea Sunday, February 18 ~ 2 pm Commons

Fill the Freezer Drop-Off March 2 ~ 10-11am

Contact the office (office@uurochmn.org) or go to our website (uurochmn.org) for more information on these events. Scan the QR code below to be taken directly to our Happenings page.



FIRST UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST CHURCH

February Theme: Justice and Equity February 4, 2023 – Just-Us

Gathering Music Sermon by Dave Brubeck Matt Schuelka

Welcome & Greeting Rev. Luke Stevens-Royer

*Hymn #121 We'll Build a Land

words "kindred together" may replace "sisters and brothers"

Chalice Lighting

Music Softly, William, Softly by Dave Brubeck

Time for All Ages Amy Nelson

Children's Benediction

Can be found on the back cover of the grey hymnal

Reflection Trish Braga

Offertory Music Who Will Take Care of Me? By Dave Brubeck

Meditation & Prayer

Music Koto Song by Dave Brubeck

Readings Excerpt from Plan B: Further Thoughts on Faith by Anne Lamott

My Species by Jane Hirshfield

Music Lullaby by Dave Brubeck

Sermon Just-Us Rev. Luke Stevens-Royer

*Hymn #1008 When Our Heart is in a Holy Place

Benediction

Postlude Hymn to Freedom by Oscar Peterson

* Please rise in body or spirit.

THIS MORNING'S PARTICIPANTS...

Just-Us

Service Participants:

Rev. Luke Stevens-Royer, Trish Braga, Amy Nelson, Melissa Eggler, and music from Matt Schuelka

Today's flowers are in celebration of Joe and Kathy Schwartz's 58th wedding anniversary.

February's Offertory:

Hawthorne Helps

Hawthorne Helps is a partnership between Rochester Public Schools' Hawthorne Education Center (adult learning) and our UU Social Justice Outreach with support from local Faith Communities, service and business groups. 85% of Hawthorne students live at or below the poverty level.

Offering to our monthly justice



Give to the Building
Our Future Fund



Offering to support our church



Building Our Future: Beyond Ourselves

Follow this QR code to our Building Our Future: Beyond Ourselves webpage. Here you will find forum dates, updates, and topics concerning the future of our building and grounds.



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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 4 YRS – 5TH GRADE & YOUTH 6-12TH GRADE

Children's Faith Development is during service and children can recess after the Time for All Ages.

Youth are invited to either service and to also attend Faith Development at 10:10 am.

Connect with Amy Nelson or Derik Robertson, listed below.

PRESCHOOL PLAYROOM

The preschool playroom is available each Sunday, and for many church events, for ages 6 months -3 years. It 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.

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 Eggler, 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 Eggler, listed below.

SOCIAL MEDIA & WEBSITE

Find the church calendar, service videos, 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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