

Unitarian Universalist Society of Fairhaven

*"No transmutation without fire...the self must lose to find
and die to live." – Evelyn Underhill*

Prelude "La Ténébre" Dwight Thomas, UUSF Choir
Words & Music: The Taizé Community

Words of Welcome Joanna Weeks

Call to Worship Rev. María Uitti McCabe

Chalice Lighting
"We light this chalice for love, hope & peace."

***Opening Hymn** UUSF Choir, Dwight Thomas
#266 "Now the Green Blade Riseth"
Words: John Macleod Campbell Crum; Music: Medieval French Carol

Story "The Easter Egg" Rev. María Uitti McCabe
By Jan Brett

Flute Duet Molly Bernard & Luana Marie Jøsvold
"Largo" from Sonata No. III
By J. B Loeillet

Joys & Sorrows Rev. María Uitti McCabe

Meditation Rev. María Uitti McCabe

Meditation Response UUSF Choir, Dwight Thomas
#1013 "Open My Heart"
Words & Music: Henry S. Flurry

*Open my heart to all that I seek;
Let me be part of the Love You give.*

Offering Joanna Weeks
*Our Share the Plate partner this month is Health Imperatives
of New Bedford <https://healthimperatives.org/>*
To give online, scan the QR code or type
tinyurl.com/GiveUUSF into your smartphone.



Offertory "Down to the River to Pray" UUSF Choir, Dwight Thomas
Words & Music: Allison Krauss

Reading Rev. María Uitti McCabe
"Calloused & Muddy From the Road"
By Patty Willis

Flute Duet Molly Bernard & Luana Marie Jøsvold
"Kristi-blodsdråper" from Suite 1, Opus 2
By Harald Sæverud

Homily "Resurrection" Rev. María Uitti McCabe

***Closing Hymn** Dwight Thomas, UUSF Choir
#267 "When Mary Through the Garden Went"
Words: Mary Coleridge; Music: Severus Gastorius

Benediction Rev. María Uitti McCabe

Chalice Extinguishing Rev. María Uitti McCabe

Postlude #268 "Jesus Christ Is Risen Today" Dwight Thomas
Words: Charles Wesley; Music: Lyra Davidica

** please rise in body or spirit*

Hearing assistance devices and large print hymnals
are available for use at the cloister-side entrance.
Please ask our ushers for assistance if needed

Would you like to meet with Rev. María?
Schedule a time at tinyurl.com/revmmcalendar

UUSF Covenant of Right Relations

We covenant to build a religious community guided by love and sustained by respectful relationships. Believing that building healthy relationships is a spiritual practice, we listen appreciatively, speak with care, express gratitude, and honor our differences, working toward consensus where possible and moving forward in faith where it is not.

We communicate directly, honestly, and compassionately, even when we are in conflict. When we hurt one another, we engage in the work of forgiveness and listening, repairing harm where possible, and knowing that healing and reconnecting take time.

In celebration of the common purpose that unites us, we abide by this covenant, imperfectly but faithfully, as we work together to build the world we dream of.

Welcome to UUSF! We're so glad you're here!

If you are new to our faith community, please fill out a newcomer card, located in the pews in front of you, and place it in the offering basket. We'd love to connect!

Coffee hour will be held in the Parish House following the service.

Nursery care is available from 9:45 a.m.-11:30 a.m. in the Harrop Center (the Tudor building behind the church). Ask a greeter if you need assistance!

Contact us: Phone: 508-992-7081 Email: welcome@uufairhaven.org

“Resurrection!”

Rev. María Uitti McCabe



Order of Service

March 31, 2024

Unitarian Memorial Church



A welcoming congregation

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