



ORDER of SERVICE - for Sunday, September 11, 2022

Believing in a community that unites all people

Pre-Service Quiet

Prelude *Let the Magic Start* Jim Scott, Guest Musician

Chalice Lighting Reading number 72 from the
Hua Hu Ching, translated by Brian Walker

Introit *Gather The Spirit*

Welcome Sue Neaz

Opening Words *We Bid You Welcome* Bill Derr
by Kenneth Patton

✳ **Opening Hymn #38** *Morning Has Broken*
Deb Bonneau, Pianist

8th Principle Moment 8th Principle Taskforce

Change For Change Collection

Reading *Peace Talk in the Garden* by Jim Scott

Offertory *From the Third Dimension*
(Newcomers: please accept this service as our gift to you.
Do not feel obligated to participate in the offering at this time.)

Joys & Sorrows

Pastoral Prayer

Musical Meditation *With Every Story Told*

Reflection *How To Be A Wave* Rev. Aaron R. Payson

Water Ceremony

Benediction

✳ **Closing Hymn** *May Your Life Be As A Song* Jim Scott

✳ Please stand in body or in spirit

Text-to-Give - Without check or cash and want to participate in our weekly offering? From a smartphone text the amount of your contribution to 508-231-5335. First-time contributors will be asked for one-time registration information by Simplegive. Thank you for helping us continue to be a congregation of love, hope and justice!

SERVICE NOTES

*Thanks to this morning's
Volunteers:*

Worship Associate: David Fields

Audio-Visual Team:
Betty Jenewin, Paul Marr
& Frank Sweetser

Facebook Moderator: Sue Neaz

Church Photographer: Betty Jenewin

Greeter & Connection Team:
Maya Desai & David Fields

Visit a Connections Team Member
at the Welcome Table for more
information about UUCW!

UPCOMING SERVICES

Unless noted otherwise
Preservice Quiet & Prelude at 9:50 am
Worship Service and RE Classes at 10 am
Fellowship at 11:15 am
Rev. Aaron Payson, Preaching

Sunday, September 18
A Shoreline Meditation

Sunday, September 25
Rally Sunday
Religious Exploration Classes Begin
From Be-longing to Belonging

Sunday, October 2
The Courage of Oneness

FELLOWSHIP INFO

Please! *No food or drink in the
sanctuary during the service.*

Please join us after the service
today in Fellowship Hall for coffee
and conversation!

UUCW Activity Calendar ~ September 11 - 18

Regularly Scheduled UUCW Events/ Community Groups

Sunday, September 11 - Multi-Platform Worship Service at 10 am

Sunday, September 18 - Multi-Platform Worship Service at 10 am

All other meetings of the church must be scheduled on a case-by-case basis following the guidelines of the Health & Safety Team. Please contact the office to schedule any meetings of the church.



Choir Rehearsal

Th, 7 - 8:30 PM
Sunday, 9 - 9:30 am

Evening Book Club

2nd Wed, 7 - 8:30 pm, Lounge

Get Out The Vote Team

2nd Thurs, 6:30 - 7:30 pm, Zoom

Loaves & Fishes Food Pantry Setup

3rd Fri, 4 - 10 pm, Fell Hall

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3rd Sat, 10 am - noon, Fell Hall

Lunch With the Minister

1st Wed, Noon-1:15 pm, Lounge

Men's Group

4th Fri, 7 pm, Meeting Room 1

Monday Meditation Group

9:30 - 11:30 am, Zoom

Side With Love Task Force

1st & 3rd Tues, 6:30 - 7:30 pm, Zoom

Staff Meeting

Mon, 10 am - noon, Meeting Room 1

Women's Social Circle

2nd & 4th Sat, Off-Site/Zoom

Al-Anon Adult Children (ACOA)

Thurs., 7:30 pm, Meeting Room 1

Alcoholics Anonymous (AA)

Fri., 8 pm, Lounge

Debtors Anonymous (DA)

Tues., 7 pm, Meeting Room 1

Greater Worc. Humanists

2nd Tues, 6:30 pm F.Hall

League of Women Voters Board

2nd Mon, 5:30-7:30 pm, Fell. Hall

Overeaters Anonymous

Sat., 7:30 am, Meeting Room 1

WGLN Rainbow Lunch

2nd & 4th Wed, 12 - 2 pm FH

Worcester Community Drum Circle

4th Fri, 7 - 9 pm, FH

THE OFFERING - LAST WEEK

<i>Sunday, September 4 pledges</i>	= \$9,385.00
<i>FY2022 Pledges to date</i>	= \$28,144.00
<i>Budgeted FY2022 Pledges to date</i>	= \$182,083.33
<i>Sunday, September 4 offering</i>	= \$126.00
<i>FY2022 offering to date</i>	= \$10,225.25
<i>Budgeted FY2022 offering to date</i>	= \$5,783.88

RELIGIOUS EXPLORATION & EDUCATION

Religious Education: 10 - 11:15 am, Youth Group: 6 - 8 pm, For information on UUCW RE programs, please email the RE program at uucwre@gmail.com

TEXT ALERTS FROM UUCW

TEXT ALERTS from UUCW are now being offered. In case of cancellation of Worship/RE or other events, you can receive alerts on your smartphone. To sign up, text UUCWORCESTER to 84483. Please note that carrier SMS fees may apply.

WORSHIP ARCHIVE

If you missed last week's service or want to revisit a service from this year or last? Visit the UUCW Worship Archive at <https://www.uucworcester.org/sunday-morning-worship/service-archive/>! Each week we post the service from the previous Sunday to grow our archive of service experiences. These services are also available on the UUCW YouTube Channel.

OFFICE INFORMATION

Office Hours : In person: M, W: 9 am - 3 pm; Th: 9 am - 2 pm; by phone (508-853-1942 ext 102) and email (office@uucworcester.org) only on Tuesdays.

CONGREGATIONAL MISSION STATEMENT

The members and friends of the Unitarian Universalist Church of Worcester covenant to be a congregation of love, hope and justice inspiring people to take on the challenges of a changing world.

WELCOMING CHURCH MISSION STATEMENT

The Unitarian Universalist Church of Worcester strives to further the affirmation and celebration of LGBTQI individuals in all aspects of the church community. We also seek to increase the visibility of UUCW as a Welcoming Congregation within the greater community.

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