

Upcoming Worship Focus - May 5, 2024

Either/Or

Scott Lindstrom

Life is not a true/false test. Come meet Ms. Tified who will learn from our youth how to embrace life's nuances in a complex and loving world.



Our Minister and Staff

Interim Minister: Reverend Ben Robins

Community Minister Emerita: Reverend Sue Ayer

Choir Director and Accompanist: Luna Thompson-Aue

RE Coordinator: Christine Hinderer



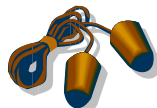
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Unitarian Universalist Community Church of Washington County

Hillsboro, Oregon

www.uccwc.org

April 28, 2024

10:00 am

In-Person Service

On-line Service: <https://uccwc.org/zoom-worship/>



UCCWC Vision Statement

A welcoming, liberal religious community
where we care for and encourage each other to

Free the Mind

Grow the Spirit

Reach out to the World

Sunday, April 28, 2024 at 10:00 am

Gathering Music Luna Thompson-Aue

Gathering

Singing Bowl Megan Bischoff

Introit Luna Thompson-Aue

Congregational Life Lois Pereira

Opening Hymn #16 *'Tis a Gift to be Simple*

Welcome Verse words by Jack Kornfield
Megan Bischoff

Nurturing Our Community

Chalice Lighting Megan Bischoff

Call to Worship Rev. Ben Robins

Chalice Hymn #123 *Spirit of Life*

*Spirit of Life, come unto me.
Sing in my heart all the stirrings of compassion.
Blow in the wind, rise in the sea;
Move in the hand, giving life the shape of justice.
Roots hold me close; wings set me free;
Spirit of Life, come to me, come to me.*

Joys and Concerns Lois Pereira

Choir Anthem *A Place in the Choir*, by Bill Staines, arr. by Susan Peck¹
UCCWC Choir

Time for All Ages Lois Pereira

Offering Words Lois Pereira

Exploring

Congregational Hymn #78 *Color and Fragrance*

Reflective Reading
excerpt from *How Falling in Love is Like Owning a Dog*, by Taylor Mali

Blessing of the Animals Rev. Ben Robins

Returning

Closing Hymn #118 *This Little Light of Mine*

Benediction words from *Sutta Nipata*
Lois Pereira

Chalice Extinguishing excerpt from *Wild Geese*, by Mary Oliver
Megan Bischoff

Invitation to Fellowship Lois Pereira

Postlude Luna Thompson-Aue

Thank you to today's additional helpers

Hosts: Mark Bischoff and Jane Hogue
Producer: John Sharp
Sound Tech: Lauri Watkins
Ushers: Lynne Kribs and Vicki Staley
Board Member on Duty: Bill Ellis

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