

Upcoming Worship Focus - July 14, 2024

**Who wants a happy ending?
Kevin Bruce and Kay Demlow**

Kevin Bruce and Kay Demlow will hold a friendly debate on the merits of a happy ending. We'll draw from some of our own favorite books and stories to examine whether we are ready for the unexpected.



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



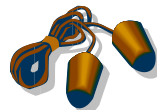
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Unitarian Universalist Community Church of Washington County

Hillsboro, Oregon
www.uccwc.org

**July 7, 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, July 7, 2024 at 10:00 am

Gathering Music Luna Thompson-Aue

Gathering

Singing Bowl Priscilla Bradley

Congregational Life Priscilla Bradley

Opening Hymn #1029 *Love Knocks and Waits for Us to Hear*¹

Time for All Ages Diane Larson

Singing the Children Out *As You Go*, by Kathleen Tracy

We hold you in our love as you go, as you go.

May your heart be at peace as you go.

To nurture the spark of your precious life,

We hold you in our love as you go.

Welcome Verse words by Lyn Cox
Cheryl Claar

Nurturing Our Community

Chalice Lighting words by Nancy Reid-McKee
Megan Bischoff

Reading of the UCCWC Covenant of Right Relations

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 Priscilla Bradley

Reflective Music Luna Thompson-Aue

Offering Words Priscilla Bradley

Exploring

Congregational Hymn #1007 *There's a River Flowin' in my Soul*

Reflective Reading words by Anil Seth
Darolyn Wylie

Centering Music Luna Thompson-Aue

Sermon What Did You Expect?
Darolyn Wylie

Returning

Closing Hymn #331 *Life Is the Greatest Gift of All*, harmony by David Dawson

Closing Words words by Mark Nepo
Darolyn Wylie

Chalice Extinguishing words by Amy Zucker Morgenstern
Megan Bischoff

Invitation to Fellowship Priscilla Bradley

Postlude Luna Thompson-Aue



We wish to thank Pamela Midyett for the flowers today in celebration of her 71st birthday.

Thank you to today's additional helpers

Zoom Hosts: Mary Jacobs and Jane Hogue

Producer: Pamela Midyett

Sound Tech: Mark Bischoff

Ushers: Pam Schossau and Schann Wysong

Board Member on Duty: Marci Pippin

RE Volunteers: Matt DePlois and Lisa Lake