

What Are You Wondering?



September 25, 2016
Rev. Melissa Carvill Ziemer
Unitarian Universalist Church of Kent



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Order of Service: September 25, 2016

** Please rise in body or in spirit*

*Please see one of our greeters if you would like
to use a large-print order of service*

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| Music for Gathering | Hal Walker, Music Director |
| Welcome and Announcements | Rev. Melissa Carvill Ziemer |
| Chime | |
| Chalice Lighting | from <i>Letters to a Young Poet</i> by Rainer Maria Rilke |
| Opening Music | <i>Let the Mystery Be</i> by Iris DeMent |
| Call to Worship | Becky Cline, Worship Associate |
| *Opening Hymn | #1064 <i>Blue Boat Home</i> |
| *Unitarian Universalist Covenant | James Vila Blake |
| Love is the spirit of this church, and service its law. This is our great covenant: To dwell together in peace, to seek the truth in love, and to help one another. | |
| *Doxology | <i>Old Hundredth</i> |
| <i>From all that dwell below the skies, let songs of hope and faith arise; let peace, good will on earth be sung, through every land by every tongue</i> | |
| Time for All Ages | Colleen Thoele, Religious Education Coordinator |
| Singing the Children Out | <i>You've got the light of Love inside you Go on your way in peace So, shine that light, this whole world now awaits you Go on your way in peace (2x) You know, we hold you, we hold you, yes, we hold you.</i> |

Wisdom Words

Sometimes
by David Whyte

Silence

Embracing Meditation

Prayer

Question Prayer
by Mark Belletini

Musical Meditation

Holy Now
by Peter Mayer

Reading

Utterance of the Timeless Word
by Angela Herrera

Time for Wondering

Exploring our Questions
by Rev. Melissa Carvill Ziemer
interspersed with words and song

Offering

Offertory

Living the Questions
by H. Walker and students of Maplewood Career Center

*Closing Words

#687 *Go your ways . . .*
by John W. Brigham

*Closing Hymn (insert)

Life Leads Us On
by Jason Shelton

*Benediction

Next Week: Homecoming
Led by Rev. Melissa Carvill Ziemer and Worship Associate Kathy Kerns

VISITORS - Welcome! We are glad you are here. Thank you for participating in worship with us today. We hope that you will find a spiritual home here and that you will be enriched in the liberal religious practice and heritage of Unitarian Universalism. The members of this church take pride in the fact that we embrace people of all races, ethnicities, ages, creeds, sexual orientations, and abilities. In addition, we are a “Welcoming Congregation,” which means that we have taken part in a special program, designed by the UUA, for congregations that see a need to become more inclusive towards bisexual, gay, lesbian, and/or transgender people. This congregation is a member of the Unitarian Universalist Association. The principles and purposes of the UUA, which we “covenant to affirm and promote,” can be found in the front of the hymnal, on the UUA website (www.uua.org), and on bookmarks available in the front entryway.

We are concerned about everyone’s safety.

If we need to evacuate the building for a fire drill or for any other reason, please follow the directions of the worship leader. Parents and guardians should look for their children on the grassy area behind the annex and should not go to the classrooms. People with mobility concerns or other special needs should proceed to the Founders’ Lounge where evacuation assistance will be available.

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