



All Will Be Well



3 November 2024
Rev. Kristina Church
Unitarian Universalist Church of Kent

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Order of Service: 11:00 AM

November 3, 2024

Gathering

Music for Gathering

Welcome

Rev. Kristina Church, Minister

Chime

Prelude/Processional

Breaths
words adapted from Birago Diop
music by Ysaye Barnwell
led by the Kent UU Peace Chorus

Chalice Lighting

Call to Worship

Rev. Kristina Church

Opening Hymn

#1051 We Are . . .

Reflecting

Ancestor Stories

Rev. Renee Ruchotzke
and Rev. Kristina Church

Music Meditation and Grief Ritual

Bloodlines
by Alexandra (ahlay) Blakely
Kent UU Peace Chorus
led by Emily Hall, Director of Music Ministries
Vanessa Vesely, piano; Carol Gould, viola

Silence

Reflection

Rev. Kristina Church

Ritual: I call upon you

created by Tandi Rogers

Reflection Hymn

Ancestor, Sky People
by Harmony Grisman

Returning

Offering

Grandmother Song
by Sandy Vaughn, adapted
led by Kevyn Breedon

Extinguishing the Chalice

We extinguish this flame, but not the light of truth, the warmth of community, or the fire of commitment. These we carry in our hearts until we are together again.

Closing Hymn

All Will Be Well
by Meg Barnhouse

Benediction

words by Leia Durland-Jones
Rev. Kristina Church



Next Sunday: November 10, 2024
Living in the Whirlwind

9:15 AM All-ages Worship
Led by Rev. Kristina Church and Music Director Emily Hall

10:00 AM Lifespan Religious Exploration
and Social Hour in Hobbs Hall

11:00 AM Traditional Worship
Led by Rev. Kristina Church with Worship Associate CLM Lori Mirkin-McGee

Activities & Events: Nov. 3 - 10, 2024<https://kentuu.org/calendar>kentuu.org/news/announcements-events

Nov. 3 Sunday

9:15 AM Worship
10:00 AM Small Groups & Social Hour
11:00 AM Worship
4:45 PM Community Mea

7:30 AM Rental: Hobbs Hall Kitchen
4:30 PM Legacy Giving Team
5:30 PM Website Committee
6:30 PM Board of Trustees

Nov. 4 Monday

7:30 AM Rental: Hobbs Hall Kitchen

Nov. 8 Friday

8:00 AM Rental: Hobbs Hall Kitchen
5:15 PM Hobbs Hall Reserved –
Market set up
6:30 PM New to UU Gathering
7:00 PM Auction Event

Nov. 5 Tuesday

7:30 AM Rental: Hobbs Hall Kitchen
1:00 PM Staff Meeting
6:00 PM Resilience Sing

Nov. 9 Saturday

8:00 AM Rental: Hobbs Hall (Haymaker Market)
2:00 PM Hobbs Hall reset
3:00 PM Fessenden Hall Reserved

Nov. 6 Wednesday

7:30 AM Rental: Hobbs Hall Kitchen
4:30 PM Knitting & Crochet Group
5:00 PM Youth Music Group
6:00 PM OWL
6:00 PM Gather Round for Peace
6:30 PM RE Committee

Nov. 10 Sunday

9:15 AM Worship
10:00 AM Small Groups & Social Hour
11:00 AM Worship

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Church Office: The church office is located in the Eldredge Annex
(yellow house) next to the church building

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#1001 Breaths

Refrain: Listen more often to things than to beings,
listen more often to things than to beings,
'tis the Ancestor's breath when the fire's voice is heard,
'tis the Ancestor's breath in the voice of the waters.
Zah Whsssh Aahh Whsssh

Those who have died have never, never left.
The dead are not under the earth.
They are in the rustling trees,
they are in the groaning woods,
they are in the crying grass,
they are in the moaning rocks.
The dead are not under the earth.

Refrain

Those who have died have never, never left.
The dead have a pact with the living.
They are in the woman's breast,
they are in the wailing child,
they are with us in our homes,
they are with us in this crowd.
The dead have a pact with the living.

Refrain

#1051 We Are . . .

For each child that's born,
a morning star rises and
sings to the universe
who we are.

We are our grandmothers' prayers
and we are our grandfathers' dreamings,
we are the breath of our ancestors,
we are the spirit of God.

We are mothers of courage and fathers of time,
we are daughters of dust and the sons of great visions,
we're sisters of mercy and brothers of love,
we are lovers of life and the builders of nations,
we're seekers of truth and keepers of faith,
we are makers of peace and the wisdom of ages.

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Ancestor, Sky People

by Harmony Grisman

Ancestors, sky people,
all here today.
Hear my heart song.
Hear my respect.
Hear my love.
Hear my grateful tears fall.
We are truly blessed.
We are truly blessed.
We are truly blessed.

All Will Be Well

by Meg Barnhouse

Julian, you are holy, you are holding my hand. (x 2)
She said, "All will be well, and all will be well,
all manner of things will be well."

I said, "Julian, do you not know, do you not know about...
sorrow...pain...hunger...shame?"
She said, "All will be well, and all will be well,
all manner of things will be well."

I said, "Julian, do you not know, do you not know about:
loneliness...disease...cruelty?"
I said "Julian, it's too much. It brought me to my knees."
She said, "All will be well, and all will be well,
all manner of things will be well."

She said, "No one does not know, does not know about:
sorrow...pain...hunger...shame."

She said, "All will be well, and all will be well,
all manner of things will be well."

She said, "No one does not know, does not know about:
loneliness...disease...cruelty.

I know, it's too much. It brought me to my knees, where I heard:
'All will be well, and all will be well,
all manner of things will be well.'"

I said, "Julian, you are holy, you are holding my hand. (x2)
And so, All will be well, all will be well;
all manner of things will be well."

She said, "Babygirl, do you not know, do you not know about:
tenderness...friends...the Spirit?
it's only love that never ends and so,
all will be well, and all will be well,
all manner of things will be well."