BRADFORD COMMUNITY CHURCH UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST

"Ensnared in the Interdependent Web"



10:00 A.M. Sunday, April 28th, 2024 http://BradfordUU.org

Opening Meditation

When I breathe in, I breathe in peace When I breathe out, I breathe out love.

Call to Worship Announcements Prelude – "A Breeze from Alabama" Chalice Lighting

> We are all capable In different ways With various strengths and talents. We are all holy Part of the universe And the interdependent web. We light this chalice Cherishing our differences And holding each other in sacredness.

Hymn #401 – "Kumbaya" Time for All Ages – Interdependence Sharing of Joys & Concerns Pastoral Meditation Musical Reflection – "Sunday" Reading – "What If"

Offertory – "When It's Springtime In the Rockies"

Closing Song – "People Have the Power"

Reflection – "Ensnared in the Interdependent Web"

- Stephen Sondheim - Rev. Victoria Safford - Shared by Dani Lockwood - Saur & Woolsey - Patti Fitchett - Choir! Choir! Choir! feat. Patti Smith - Rev. Ben Atherton-Zeman

Extinguishing the Chalice - Rev. Ben Atherton-Zeman As we extinguish the flame on our chalice, we ignite it inside ourselves. Our commitment to our mission and to one another is an unquenchable flame. Let us remember that we are not alone until we light this flame next time. Recessional/Postlude - "Blue Skies" - Irving Berlin

- Sarah Dan Jones

- Patti Fitchett

- S. Joplin - Cindy Fesgen

- Jim Soli

COFFEE HOUR & SOUL MATTERS SHARING CIRCLE FOLLOWING SERVICE

IN GRATITUDE

Special thanks to everyone who made this worship possible in Director of Community Worship Patti Fitchett, worship associate Dani Lockwood, musician Alex Poyner, church administrator Krystal Rose, child-care provider Julie Zillmer, technician Warren Leisemann, and those who provided today's hospitality.

ABANDON FEAR: EMPOWERED LOVE LIVES HERE! – PLEDGES DUE NEXT SUNDAY!

Last week we heard from our Stewardship Team of Joy Latuvnik-Morin, Bob Estes and Rev. Erik about the planning of next year's budget and how we all can contribute to making 2024-25 a great success for Bradford UU!

Please consider raising your pledge 5% - 9% over last year! Please visit BradfordUU.org/stewardship to review our stewardship materials and to submit you pledge! You may also return a physical pledge card in today's collection basket. Questions about your pledge? Want to set up automatic payments? Speak to Katie Traxel or contact bradforduu@gmail.com.





SCRIP CARDS BY RAISE-RIGHT – AVAILABLE AFTER SERVICE



Visit Carolyn and Marlene after service to learn how you can help the church through our Scrip card program!

Sign up at the Scrip Table after service or contact either at carolynfeldt@att.net or kenntack@ameritech.net.

UPCOMING SERVICES & EVENTS AT BRADFORD UU

- 10:00am – Hyphenated-Faith, RE Party & Potluck! Sunday, May 5th

INTERESTED IN MEMBERSHIP AT BRADFORD UU? We'RE INTERESTED IN YOU!

Bradford UU is currently planning our next membership Sunday where we will open our membership roles to those who wish to join us on our spiritual journey. If you are interested in finding out more about membership, or you are a member who'd like to help with the membership team, please speak with one of our ministers Rev. Erik or Rev. Dr. Monica.

SHALOM CENTER DRIVE



Bradford's Social Concerns committee is holding a food drive for the Shalom Center's Food Pantry. Boxes for donations are located near the entrance under the coat rack. We will collect donations through the end of April. The Shalom Center has listed the following items as most urgently needed, but all non perishable food and hygiene items are appreciated:

Food: Jelly, hamburger helper, ramen, beans, canned fruit, applesauce, soup, and cereal Non-food: Body wash, hair conditioner, over-the-counter pain reliever, disposable razors, laundry detergent pods

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