

October 19, 2025

Meant To Be Broken

By rev. mandi huizenga



DuPage Unitarian Universalist Church
Sunday Worship Service

October's Theme: Holding Our History

WELCOME SONG

#100 *I've Got Peace Like A River*

Carl Kennedy, Director of Music & Worship Arts (he/him)

BOARD GREETING

Bob Smallwood (he/him)

PRELUDE

Poem, by Zdenek Fibich

Vera Pelin, pianist (she/her)

LIGHTING THE CHALICE

CALL TO WORSHIP

rev. mandi huizenga (she/her)

HYMN*

#298 *Wake Now My Senses*

DUUC MISSION STATEMENT

Kat Gelder (she/her)

CARES OF THE COMMUNITY

rev. mandi huizenga

MEDITATIVE PRAYER

Be Still and Breathe

Carl Kennedy

OFFERING

Kat Gelder

OFFERTORY

#315 *This Old World*

Carl Kennedy and Jon Berleman (he/him)

REFLECTION

Malicious Compliance

Kat Gelder

ANTHEM

Life Calls Us On

DUUC Choir

TIME TO GATHER

Difference Between Nice and Kind

Steve Cooper, Director of
Religious Education (he/him)

REFLECTION

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HYMN*

#131 *Love Will Guide Us*

BENEDICTION*

rev. mandi huizenga

CLOSING MUSIC

Love Is The Spirit of This Church

DUUC Choir

EXTINGUISHING THE CHALICE*

*We extinguish the light of this chalice
but not the light in our hearts.*

*Until we meet again,
may the warmth of our community carry you.*

**Please rise in body or in spirit*

The flowers today are given by the Kovacs and Cortes families in memory of Mary Helen Kovacs who passed away on October 19, 2024 from a rare cancer. She is greatly missed and remembered with love.

OCTOBER'S SPECIAL OFFERING

Our cash offering will be split 50/50 between DUUC and ALIVE Center. You can donate by texting "DUUC" to 73256 using your mobile device or by placing cash or check in the circulating basket during the service. If donating by check, please note "ALIVE" on the memo line. Thank you!

Please Note: Our sanctuary has a Hearing Loop assistive listening system. If you do not have a device with T-coil capability, you may ask an usher for a receiver and earphone.

Sunday morning worship is not possible without the many volunteers who make the morning run smoothly. We thank our audio-visual technicians, greeters, song leaders, offering counters, and ushers who do this good work. If you would like to volunteer to be part of the workings on Sunday morning, please contact: sundayservices@dupageuuchurch.org.

This Sunday's Adult Learning @ 10:15am

- Vision Driven Strategic Planning
- Science Sunday

Next Sunday's Adult Learning @ 10:15am

- Trunk or Treat

Sunday Morning after the service

- Newcomer Welcome (Lower Annex)

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