September 28, 2025

Making Amends

By rev. mandi huizenga

This Sunday will center on our ritual of Making Amends by creating circles of flowers and stones. Online attendees are also encouraged to participate from home and can use any collection of small items that are available. Please join us!

DuPage Unitarian Universalist Church

Sunday Worship Service

September's Theme: Rooted

WELCOME SONG
Come, Come Whoever You Are
Vera Pelin, pianist (she/her)

BOARD GREETING
Chris Cable (he/him)

PRELUDE
Vera Pelin

LIGHTING THE CHALICE
Steve Cooper, DRE (he/him)

CALL TO WORSHIP
rev. mandi huizenga (she/her)

HYMN
We Would Be One

RITUAL OF REPENTENCE AND LAMENT INVOCATION
Carl Kennedy, DM&WA (he/him); Steve Cooper, DRE; rev. mandi huizenga

SONG OF INVOCATION
Sacred Circle
Carl Kennedy

PROMISES MADE
Steve Cooper

MISSION & VISION STATEMENTS
Carl Kennedy

CARES OF THE COMMUNITY
rev. mandi huizenga

UNISON PRAYER

RITUAL OF PROMISE
Steve Cooper, rev. mandi huizenga

RITUAL OF BROKENNESS
Carl Kennedy, Steve Cooper, rev. mandi huizenga

MUSIC
Where You Go I Will Go
Carl Kennedy

PROMISES MENDED
rev mandi huizenga

RITUAL OF MENDING
Carl Kennedy, Steve Cooper, rev. mandi huizenga

SONG
Draw the Circle Wide

CLOSE THE RITUAL
Steve Cooper

SONG
When the World is Sick
Carl Kennedy

BENEDICTION
rev. mandi huizenga

CLOSING MUSIC
Vera Pelin

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.
Steve Cooper

POSTLUDE
Vera Pelin

**Please rise in body or in spirit*

Today's flowers are in celebration of Miya Thalmann and Miguel Calvillo's 10 years together and 2nd wedding anniversary. The flowers are from their wedding florist, Southside Blooms, in Englewood, Chicago. They share, “We are elated to see how our relationship will continue to blossom with support from the DUUC community!”

SEPTEMBER'S SPECIAL OFFERING
Our cash offering will be split 50/50 between DUUC and Literacy DuPage. 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 "Literacy" 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
- Protest Poster Party - All Ages

Next Sunday's Adult Learning @ 10:15am
- Unitarian Universalist History: 1960 to present
- Science Sunday

Sunday Morning after the service
- Newcomer Welcome (Lower Annex)

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