

UU Sunday Service -June 12, 2022

Theme: Working for a Better Future

Principle # 8 *We, the member congregations of the Unitarian Universalist Association, covenant to affirm and promote: journeying toward spiritual wholeness by working to build a diverse multicultural Beloved Community by our actions that accountably dismantle racism and other oppressions in ourselves and our institutions.*

Sermon: **Move the Mindset: Present and Future** by Ola Prejean & Francesco Crocco

Order of Service

1. PRELUDE: Aint No Jim Crow Statue Gonna Turn Me Around (Scott video)
2. WELCOME and INTRO: (Mary) [Read screen slide.] We welcome the folks here and on zoom, and any newcomers who have joined us. HAPPY FATHER'S DAY & HAPPY JUNETEENTH !!!
The theme this month: Working for a Better World. This Sunday we reflect on the 8th principle (Let's read it together) **journeying toward spiritual wholeness by working to build a diverse multicultural Beloved Community by our actions that accountably dismantle racism and other oppressions in ourselves and our institutions**
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3. OPENING: (Chris) *Wake Up!* Rev. Christian Schmidt
4. CHALICE LIGHTING: (Mary) *A Spark of Hope* by Melanie Davis. Let us read together
5. JOYS & CONCERNS: (Mary) Please come up if you wish and light a candle to share a joy or concern; or raise your hand on zoom.
And now, as is the tradition, I will light will light a candle for all the joys and concerns unspoken, but carried in our hearts. Then let us read **together**.
6. SONG: (Scott) *Get Together (Youngbloods)* by Libby Roderick
7. READING: (_____) *Gentleness in Living* by Rev. Richard Gilbert
8. RESPONSIVE READING: (Bill & congregation) *The Limits of Tyrants* by Frederick Douglass
9. SONG: (Scott) STLT#108 *My Life Flows on in Endless Song*
10. MEDITATION: (Mary) We pause now for the meditation.
11. SERMON: (Mary) **Move the Mindset: Present and Future** by Ola Prejean & Francesco Crocco
12. OFFERTORY: (Music by Scott, sung by all) *From You I Receive*
13. *[Passing of the offertory plate]* (Music by Bruce)
14. CHALICE EXTINCTION: (Mary) *Daring Vision* by Rev. Maureen Killoran
15. ANNOUNCEMENTS: (Mary) read from screen:
16. EVENTS CALENDAR (Mary) read from screen
You're welcome to stay a bit and visit while the "cleanup-shutdown committee" does its work. Then, we hope you will join us for lunch at XXX. For those who are tight-pressed financially this week, UU has a Lunch Bunch Fund so everyone can feel free to join in. **We value your company – If you are having money worries, well that is exactly the time you need us, friends, to take your mind off things for a few precious moments. So, just let Bruce know.**
17. And now we form a circle and join hands for our song (words on the wall & screen). *Then Chris will send us off with the closing words.*
18. ASCRIPTION: (Bill)
19. BENEDICTION: (Chris) *Words for Hard Times* by Rev. Maureen Killoran

Capitalism throws away its people when they are no longer productive, especially its old people.