



Unitarian Universalists of Clearwater – July 10, 2022

Sermon:

“My UU Journey”

Speakers: Joe Myers and Chuck Shimer

To learn more about Joe and Chuck, read their bios on our website: <https://www.uuc.org/board>

Our Vision: An inclusive religious community, a beacon for reason, meaning and bold social action.

Our Mission: To celebrate dignity and respect for all, nurture lifelong spiritual growth, act for justice and equality, and serve the wider community.

Welcome:

Sue Hand

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Prelude:

“The Road Not Taken”

Words by Robert Frost

Performed by the Boise State Meistersingers

Call to Worship:

“Come, Come, Whoever You Are”

Adapted from Rumi

Chalice Lighting:

“Exploring Who We Are”

By Melanie Davis

Under the right circumstances, playing with fire is a delight – imagine being gathered round a fire pit as the crackling flames invite us to sing, dance and roast a marshmallow or two.

Our chalice invites us to play, although with ideas rather than with marshmallows. The flame encourages us to explore who we are, who our neighbors are, and where we are on our spiritual journeys.

Today, we light this chalice in the spirit of play. Let us trust the light to guide us in this hour and in the days to come, finding joy along the way.

Opening Hymn: #361

“Enter, Rejoice, and Come In”

Performed by the First Unitarian Church of Baltimore

Joys and Sorrows:

Sue Hand

Musical Response:

“May I be Filled with Loving Kindness”

Traditional Buddhist Meditation

Adapted by Mark W. Hayes Music: Ian W. Riddell



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Offering Message:

Sue Hand

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Interlude:

“On My Way”

By Lea Morris

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Closing Hymn #188:

“Come, Come, Whoever You Are”

By Rumi

Extinguishing the Chalice:

“Go in peace, go making peace, live gently, love mightily and bow to the mystery”

Our Grateful Thanks:

Worship Associate: Sue Hand; **Service Technical Support:** Jeremy Dillow, Rich Cann, David Feick; **Staff:** Anne Gilbert, Campus Administrator; Gary Strauss, Security Guard; Susan Strauss, Custodian; **Pastoral Associates:** Kathy Krohn, Pan Godchaux, Bill Foley, Lauren Logan, Bruce Gotts

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Opening Hymn #361 “Enter, Rejoice, and Come In”

Enter, rejoice, and come in.

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Today will be a joyful day;

Enter, rejoice, and come in.

Open your ears to the song...

Open your hearts ev'ryone...

Don't be afraid of some change...

Enter, rejoice, and come in...

Closing Hymn #188 “Come, Come, Whoever You Are”

Come, come, whoever you are,

Wanderer, worshiper, lover of leaving.

Ours is no caravan of despair.

Come, yet again come.