Bradford Community Church Unitarian Universalist Living Spiritually, Leading Bravely, Loving Boldly

Hospitality & Welcome



10:00 A.M. Sunday, August 10th, 2025

Gathering Music

- Sarah Dan Jones

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

Welcome - Patti Fitchett

Announcements

Call to Worship - Patti Fitchett

Prelude – Enter, Rejoice, & Come In - Louise Ruspini (shared by Rhys-Maxwell Barnes)

Chalice Lighting - Israel Zangwill

Come into the circle of love and justice Come into the community of mercy, holiness, and health Come, and you shall know peace and joy.

Opening Song #407 – We're Gonna Sit at the Welcome Table

Time for all ages – Strictly no Elephants - Lisa Mantchev & Taeeum Yoo

Sharing of Joys & Concerns

Meditation - Written by Emily Alviani (shared by Patti Fitchett)

Music Meditation – Crowded Table - Brandi Carlie (performed by Emili Alviani & Diane Gaudio)

Offertory – Minuet in F - Leopold Mozart (shared by Rhys-Maxwell Barnes)

Reflection – Hospitality & Welcome - Patti Fitchett

Hymn # 1018 – Come & Go With Me

Extinguishing the Chalice - Debra Burrell

We have basked in the warmth and beauty
of this flame and this community.
As the chalice flame is extinguished,
let us carry its glow within.
Let us kindle new sparks within these walls and beyond

Benediction – Sharing Our Blessings - Adam Slate (shared by Patti Fitchett)

Postlude – Come, Come, Whoever You Are - Jalaluddin Rumi (shared by Rhys-Maxwell Barnes)

Coffee Hour following service.

In GRATITUDE

Special Thanks to Director of Community Worship Patti Fitchett, Emily Alviani, Diane Gaudio, David Lockwood, Bob Estes and Warren Leisemann and everyone who brought items for the picnic!

UPCOMING EVENTS AT BRADFORD UU

Sunday, August 10th – Hospitality & Welcome

- 11:30am Community Potluck Picnic

Sunday, August 17th – The Value of Doing Nothing

Sunday, August 24th – Animal Blessing (Outdoor Service)

Sunday, August 31st – Labor Day Service

ANNUAL SUMMER PICNIC

Sunday, August 10th: Join us after service for Bradford's annual summer picnic, as we gather in community for food and fellowship at Bradford Community church.

RIGHT RELATIONS SHARING CIRCLE

The Right Relationship Sharing Circle scheduled for Sunday, August 10th has been **canceled** due to the church picnic taking place after the service. The next scheduled Right Relationship Sharing Circle will be held on Sunday, September 14, following the church service.

SECURITY CODE UPDATES

In an effort to tighten security, we will be revamping the door codes for the south (ramp) entrance. If you currently have a door code and would like to continue using one, please email me your requested 5-digit code (as long as it has not been shared with others), along with a brief explanation of why you need access. All existing codes will be removed from the system, and new codes will be entered by Monday, August 25.

SAVE THE DATE: ANIMAL BLESSING SERVICE

This special outdoor service on **Sunday, August 24th** is designed with the comfort of our animal companions in mind and is shorter than a traditional Sunday service. Afterward, everyone is invited to walk a block to Scoops for ice cream—including dog-friendly options for the pups!

Assistive Hearing Devices Available!

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