BRADFORD COMMUNITY CHURCH UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST

LIVING SPIRITUALLY, LEADING BRAVELY, LOVING BOLDLY

Pay Attention to Your Rights

Director of Community Worship: Patti Fitchett

Music Director: Rhys-Maxwell Barnes

Guest Artists: Bob Estes & Kristin Kornkven

10:00 A.M. Sunday, March 15th, 2026

Sung Meditation - Sara Dan Jones

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

Welcome & Call to Worship

Prelude – *The Heck* - Bob Estes

Chalice Lighting - Melanie Davis

If ever there were a time
for a candle in the darkness,
this would be it.
Using a spark of hope,
kindle the flame of love,
ignite the light of peace,
and feed the flame of justice.

Opening Words – *Notes From the Far Fringe* - Rev. Kimberley Debus

Hymn #170 – *We Are A Gentle Angry People*

Sharing of Joys & Concerns

Meditation – *For All That Is Our Life* - Liz Weber

Musical Meditation – *Gotta Make it Through These Days* - Bob Estes

Offertory – *Hold On My Dear Ones Here Comes the Dawn* - Heidi Wilson

Paying Attention to Your Rights

Video

Extinguishing the Chalice - Becky Laurent

As flame is to spirit, so spirit is to breath,
and breath to song.
Though we extinguish the
flame in this sanctuary,
may we tend it in our hearts until we meet again.

Benediction – *Go In Peace, Seeking Justice* - Jim Magaw

Postlude – *Pay Attention* - Bob Estes

Announcements

Please join us after the service for coffee and conversation.

In Gratitude

Special thanks to Rhys-Maxwell Barnes, Destiny Cooks, Bob Estes, Kristin Kornkven, David Lockwood. our Sound Team, and those who provided hospitality.

Upcoming Events at Bradford UU

Sunday, March 15: Pay Attention to Your Rights
Sunday, March 22: Pagans & Unitarian Universalism
Sunday, March 29: More Than Just Weight-Lifting: A Buddhist Perspective on Meditation
Sunday, April 5: Books as Salvation

Upcoming Membership Classes

The Membership Council is hosting two new Member Classes and a New Member Welcome.
Class 1: Sunday, March 15 at 11:30 a.m. Overview of Unitarian Universalist Association (UUA) and BCCUU history, plus a building tour. **Class 2: Sunday, March 29 at 11:30 a.m**. Sharing our faith and life journeys. **New Member Welcome: Sunday, April 19** during worship, followed by a potluck. Sign up at the back of the sanctuary. Contact Joy Latuvnik for childcare or questions.

There's Still Time To Make Your Pledge

To help close our $16,000 budget gap, a generous member is matching all increases and new pledges received by Sunday, March 15th. If you've been waiting for a sign that your efforts can make a real difference, this is a great opportunity! ***https://www.bradforduu.org/stewardship***

Spring Into Auction!

Bradford's annual auction will be **April 11th, 2026. The deadline for contracts is Sunday, March 15!** Any questions? See Katie Traxel or Diane Giles with questions or concerns**.**

C.U.S.H Soup Fundraiser

For just $10, you can choose from a variety of tasty soups, with vegan, vegetarian, and gluten free options available. **Place your orders by March 18th**. Orders will be available for **pickup or dine in on March 19th from 5:00 PM to 7:00 PM at St. Mary's Lutheran Church in the Fellowship Hall.**

Bradford Book Club

Join us **Wednesday, March 25th at 6:30 pm on Zoom.** This month's book is The Invisible Hour by Alice Hoffman. Contact Jennifer at jjburns1966@gmail.com for more information. The Book Club reading list is available at the back of the sanctuary and on the Bradford website in the Member's section.

From the Social Concerns Committee

Ever wonder about what the Social Concerns Committee does? Come check us out at our next meeting **Sunday, March 15th after the service**. We discuss everything from CUSH to upcoming elections, new projects, and more.

Scrip Cards by Raise-Right – Available

Use Scrip cards to help the church! A portion of each card sold goes to support Bradford UU's operating budget.
Sign up at the Scrip Table after service or contact either at carolynfeldt@att.net or kenntack@ameritech.net.

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