

Order of Service

Sunday, April 30, 2023

Dancing ‘Round the Maypole

Join us at the end of the service for the annual dancing of the Maypole.

*Please stand in body or spirit as you are able.

Welcome Song “We Are a Circle” Rick Hamouris
We are a circle, within a circle, with no beginning and never ending.

Welcome Rev. Kathryn Hawbaker
Acknowledging Native Lands

Prelude “Loreta and Desiree's Bouquet” George Winston
Randall Kidder, pianist

Chalice Lighting

***Opening Hymn #311** “Let It Be a Dance” Words and music: Ric Masten
in Singing the Living Tradition

***Congregational Covenant excerpt**, from our FUUSM Bylaws:
*We will use clear, direct, honest, and loving communication
in reaching congregational decisions and resolving conflict
within the congregation.*

Time for All Ages *Braiding a Tapestry of Faith*

Sending Song #338 “I Seek the Spirit of A Child” Words: Carl G. Seaburg
in Singing the Living Tradition Music: Ralph Vaughan Williams

Collection of the Offering

Offertory “Rising Green” Carolyn McDade, words and music
Hymn #168 in *Singing the Journey*

Reflection *We Are Dancing in the Circle of Time* Rev. K. Hawbaker

Closing Hymn #1074 “Turn the World Around” Harry Belafonte

(Facebook Live ends)

Joys and Sorrows (Zoom participants are invited to share, too.)

Announcements

Recessional “Kerry Dance” J. L. Molloy



Welcome! We’re glad you’re here!

- **Owen Cejka** and **Deborah Lauer** will provide childcare during the service.
- We are grateful to our childcare staff; our pianist, **Randall Kidder**; our tech crew, **Mike Bailey** and **Ralph Olander**; our coffee hour volunteers; today’s host, **Adeline Bailey**, and greeters, **Shari** and **Dave Ballantyne**; and our minister, **Rev. Kathryn Hawbaker**.
- If you would like to learn more about membership or participation in FUUSM congregational life, please speak to today’s host during Coffee Hour.

Announcements

Today

- **Coffee Hour!** Please join us downstairs in the social hall. **Kayla Campbell**, **Beth Lapore**, and **Cathy Rees** will be your servers today.
- Join us in **Dancing Round the Maypole** outside in the courtyard!
- **Art intake** for the **aMAYzing Month of Art**.

Monday, May 1: May Day!

- 10 a.m.–noon, **arranging art** displays in sanctuary and social hall.

Tuesday, May 2: Primary Election Day. Please vote!

- 10 a.m.–noon, **arranging art** displays in sanctuary and social hall.
- 3:30-6:30 p.m., Girl Scout troop meets in social hall.

Wednesday, May 3

- 10 a.m.–noon, **arranging art** displays in sanctuary and social hall.
- Noon, **meditation** via Zoom.
- 5-7 p.m., **Worship & Music Committee**, RE parlor.

Thursday, May 4

- 10 a.m.–noon, **arranging art** displays in sanctuary and social hall.

Friday, May 5

- 6-8 p.m., **aMAYzing Month of Art Soirée** (opening gala), RE parlor.

Saturday, May 6

- noon.–4 p.m. **aMAYzing Month of Art Youth Program**, for ages 5-17. See Roger Kalter for more information or to register.

Sunday, May 7

- 9:30 a.m., **Today's Issues** discussion, RE parlor; **Choir** practice, sanctuary.
- 11 a.m., **Sunday service**, sanctuary, followed by **Annual Meeting!**
- **Special Coffee Hour** to celebrate Cody Henderhan, social hall.
- 12:15 p.m., **Mistakes and Miracles** discussion, RE parlor.

Lots of volunteers are needed, starting today, for the **aMAYzing Month of Art**. Call or text Roger Kalter at (740) 525-1833, or talk to him during coffee hour.

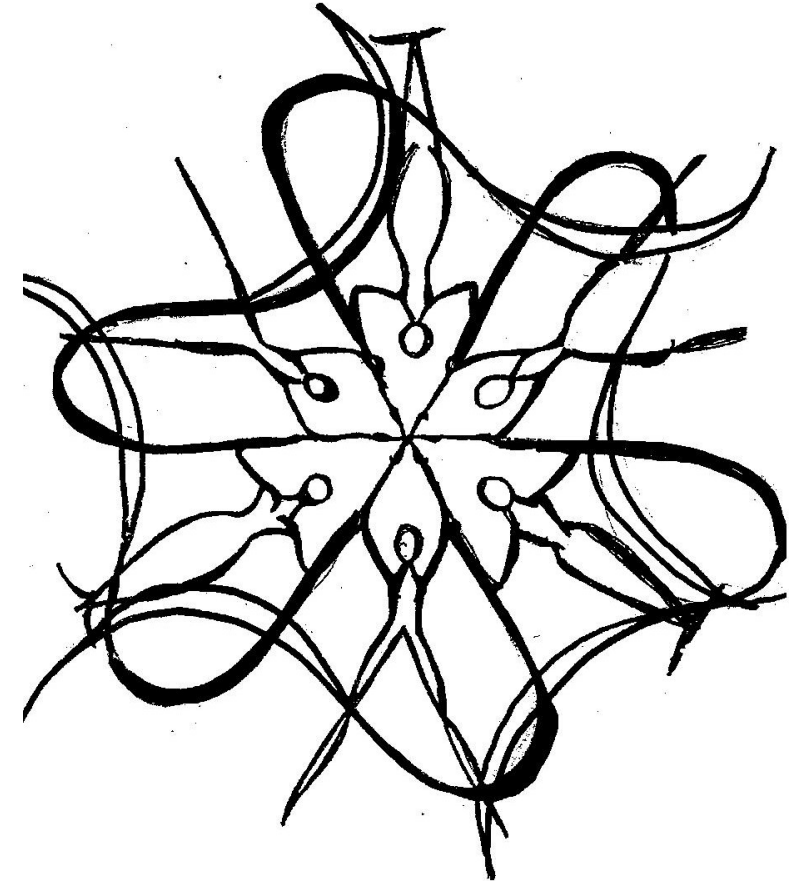
FUUSM office hours: Danielle Thrasher will serve as substitute office assistant this week while Dawn Hewitt is away. Normal office hours will be observed. Mon., Tu., Th., Fri. 10 a.m.–2 p.m. (740) 373-1238, fuusm@suddenlinkmail.com or fuusm.office@gmail.com.

Rev. Hawbaker is generally in the office Mon., Wed., and Friday, 11 a.m.–2 p.m. Appointments available by text or phone at (937) 470-4151, or via email to revkatgreen@gmail.com.

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