

Unitarian Universalist Church of Spokane

# Order of Service



## March 20, 2011

### Today at Church

#### Sunday Worship Services in the Sanctuary

9:15 – 10:15 am • 11 am – 12 pm

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| • <b>Childcare</b><br>Murray Room<br>9 am – 12:30 pm   | • <b>Religious Education</b><br>RE Wing<br>9:15 – 10:30 am<br>11 am – 12:15 pm  |
| • <b>Building Your Own Theology<br/>Adult Enrichment Workshop</b><br>cummings Room<br>9 – 10:30 am | • <b>5th – 6th Grade OWL<br/>Parent Group</b><br>Alcott Room<br>12:30 – 2:30 pm |
| • <b>7th – 9th Grade OWL Class</b><br>Sanger Room<br>9 am – 12:30 pm                               | • <b>Menu for the Future<br/>Discussion Group</b><br>Sanctuary<br>12:30 – 2 pm  |
| • <b>Humanist Series<br/>Liz Moore, Director PJALS</b><br>Chapel<br>12:15 – 3 pm                   | • <b>Young Adult Group Potluck</b><br>Kitchen<br>12:30 – 2 pm                   |
| • <b>Worship Team Meeting</b><br>Thoreau Room<br>12:30 – 1:30 pm                                   | • <b>CUUPS Sabbat Celebration</b><br>Chapel/Church Grounds<br>5 – 9 pm          |
| • <b>5th – 6th Grade OWL Class</b><br>Sanger Room<br>12:30 – 2:30 pm                               | • <b>UU Youth Group Meet Up</b><br>7 – 8:30 pm<br>Bartok Room                   |

#### Our Ushers Today

• 9:15 – Karolynn Clark & Lola Reed • 11 – Tukcha Kim & Bobbi Konshuk



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### Coming Up Week of March 21, 2011

#### Monday, March 21

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| Problem Solvers Group Meeting                             | 10 am   |
| Friends of Sravasti Abbey                                 | 5:30 pm |
| Buddhist Meditation Group                                 | 6:30 pm |
| "Spirituality in Everyday Life" Adult Enrichment Workshop | 6:30 pm |

#### Tuesday, March 22

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| Memorial Garden Team Meeting    | 11 am |
| Requests for Reimbursements Due | 2 pm  |

#### Wednesday, March 23

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| Publications Deadline (Order of Service, Focus) | 10 am   |
| K-1 OWL Classes for Students & Parents          | 6 pm    |
| Bucket Drum Corps Practice                      | 6:30 pm |

#### Thursday, March 24

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| Management Team Meeting                               | 4 pm |
| Mixed Choir Rehearsal                                 | 7 pm |
| "Death of Josseline" Adult Enrichment Book Discussion | 7 pm |

#### Friday, March 25

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| "Death of Josseline" Adult Enrichment Book Discussion | 7 pm |
| CEE Sabbath Services                                  | 7 pm |

#### Saturday, March 26

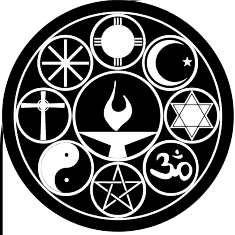
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| CUUPS Crafter's Circle Potluck                            | 11 am |
| "Native American Food & Spirit" Adult Enrichment Workshop | 1 pm  |
| Spiral Scouts   | 4 pm  |

#### Sunday, March 27

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| Religious Education & Childcare                        | 9 am         |
| "Building Your Own Theology" Adult Enrichment Workshop | 9 am         |
| 7th – 9th Grade OWL Class                              | 9 am         |
| Worship Services                                       | 9:15 & 11 am |
| Conversation with the UUCS Board of Trustees           | 12:15 pm     |
| 5th – 6th Grade OWL Parent Group                       | 12:30 pm     |
| 5th – 6th Grade OWL Class                              | 12:30 pm     |
| "Menu for the Future" Ethical Eating Discussion Series | 12:45 pm     |
| Sundays @ Seven Concert with Abby Crawford             | 7 pm         |
| UU Youth Group Meeting                                 | 7 pm         |

### March 6 Attendance Count

Worship Services 9:15 am – 63 • 11 am – 128 • Total – 191  
Religious Education – 89



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### Chimes, Welcome & Gathering Music

#73 "Chant for the Seasons" (Spring)  
Hollis Bredeweg, *Interim Minister*

### Opening Words

Brian Bonallo, *Worship Leader*

### Candle Kindling

Penny Reid, *Stewardship Team Member*

### Singing Together

#128 "For All That Is Our Life"

### Story for All Ages

Diane Huigen, *Director of Religious Education*

### Children's Recessional

#413 "Go Now in Peace"

### Announcements

Board of Trustees Members  
Cly Evans (9:15 am)  
maggie montana (11 am)

### New Member Joining Ceremony (See Insert)

### Offertory

"Morning Has Broken"  
Words by Eleanor Farjeon  
Old Gaelic Melody arr. by John Leavitt  
UUCS Mixed Choir  
Deborah Jacquemin, *Music Director*

### Candles of Care

### Meditation in Words & Silence

Brian Bonallo

### Readings

Matthew 9:16-17  
Revelation 21:1-5a  
Hollis Bredeweg

### Musical Interlude

"For Good" from *Wicked*  
Music & lyrics by Stephan Schwartz  
Cabaret Singer Abbey Crawford, *Soloist*

### Sermon

*In the Land of Beginning Again*  
Hollis Bredeweg

### Special Announcement

Ministerial Search Team

### Singing Together

#61 "Lo, the Earth Awakes Again"

### Benediction

Hollis Bredeweg

### Shalom Havayreem

All Assembled

### Postlude

"Magnetic Rag" by Scott Joplin  
Gennie Gregg, *Pianist*

### Question or Comments?

Visitor and Members — If you have questions or thoughts about our church or church community, please join members of the UUCS Board of Trustees and Membership Team at the front of the sanctuary after today's service.

UUCS Board of Trustees & Membership Team



Unitarian Universalist  
Church of Spokane

**New Member  
Joining Ceremony  
March 20, 2011**



**Covenant Statement**

*We, the Unitarian Universalist congregation  
of Spokane, promise to:*

- *support and care for one another,*
- *embrace diversity of persons  
and spiritual paths,*
- *search for truth and understanding, and*
- *work for social justice and  
environmental stewardship.*

*With this covenant, we honor each other with  
our laughter and tears, our compassion, and respect.  
We are a community of open hearts,  
open minds, and open hands.*

**Welcome To Our New Members**

You have accepted the responsibility of membership, finding that you support the ideals of Unitarian Universalism and our church and that you want to commit to these ideals.

The responsibility of becoming a member is a lifetime process. We are glad that you have chosen to be one with us. May you find the years ahead to be filled with the hope and vision that your membership promises.

After the service, you are invited to sign the membership book if you have not already done so as a symbol of your official commitment to our church. As we welcome you individually, we seal this covenant with a rose symbolizing our hope that you will fully bloom in your new church home.

Let the congregation join together.

**Unison Readings**

- **Congregation:** Each of us, through our membership in this community, chooses to create greater meaning for ourselves and for others. We celebrate your membership as fellow seekers and companions on our spiritual journey. With you, we pledge to listen deeply and to respond with open hearts and minds. We welcome your full participation in our community of faith.
- **New Members:** We embrace membership in this church as both a gift and a commitment. May our strands of connection grow ever stronger, day-by-day and year-by-year, as we join with you in living lives of service.
- **Everyone:** Together, we pledge to embody our Unitarian Universalist principles in our everyday lives, blessed by the freedom that encourages us to live with authenticity and integrity, and secure in the knowledge that we are members of a faith community that helps us to live our highest ideals.