

# Announcements

## UPCOMING SERVICES AND EVENTS

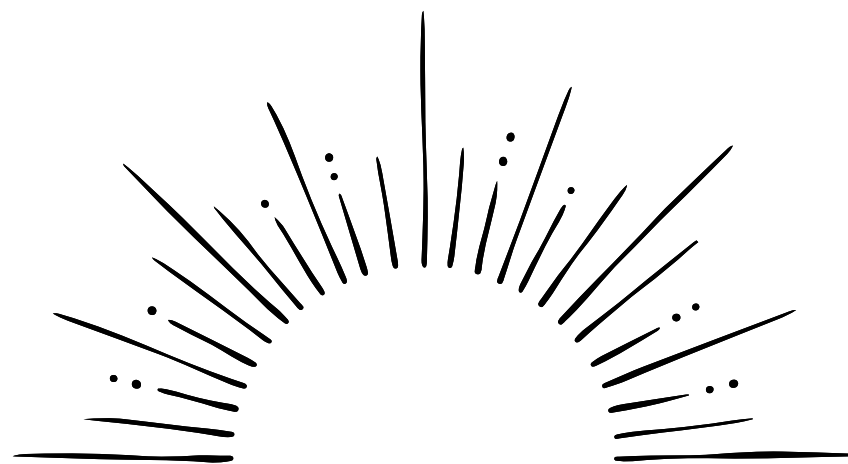
- Today - Groundhog Day Sing-Along during Coffee Hour.
- Sun. Feb 9th, 10 am - Guest speaker Keren Rodriguez from Interfaith Movement for Immigrant Justice joins Rev. Barbara Prose. Soup Sunday to follow. In person and online.
- Friday, Feb. 14th, 7 pm - Valentine's Day Comedy Show Meetup. Contact Jennifer Wright: [kiwijenn1@gmail.com](mailto:kiwijenn1@gmail.com)
- Sat. Feb 15th, 9 am to 12 pm - Worship Retreat with Rev. Barbara Prose, followed by potluck. RSVP with Elaine.
- Sun. Feb 16th, 10 am - Rev. Barbara Prose answers the question, "Why do Atheists go to church?"
- Tues. Feb 18th, 7 pm to 8:30 pm - Democracy: A Conversation. Downstairs at the Grange.

## SUPPORT NEEDED

- Greeters needed to provide a warm welcome on site and on zoom. Contact Debbie Olson: (509) 774-7773.
- Flower Bringers needed to provide bouquets for service one Sunday per month. Afterwards, take the bouquet home or gift it. Contact Pat Evenson-Brady: [pebrady1@gmail.com](mailto:pebrady1@gmail.com)
- "Water for Warm Springs" is accepting donations to address the water crisis on the reservation. Please note on your donation that it is for the "Warm Springs Fund".

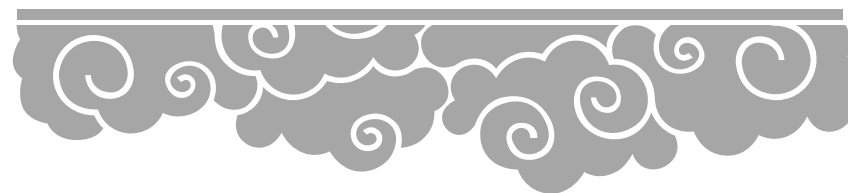
## REMINDERS

- Please submit your announcements for for the eNews and Order of Service by Saturday afternoon. Email both [administrator@mcuuf.org](mailto:administrator@mcuuf.org) and [worshiptech@mcuuf.org](mailto:worshiptech@mcuuf.org)
- Childcare is available at services thanks to Elaina Kingston



Mid-Columbia Unitarian Universalist Fellowship

## Come, Let Us Worship Together



Sunday, February 2, 2025

Speaker and Celebrant Elaine Castles

Featuring Pianist Diana Beterbide

# Order of Service

Music for Gathering

Morning Song: We Give Thanks (#1010)

Welcome & Announcements

Opening Words

Chalice Lighting

Celebrant: We are Unitarian Universalists.

Congregation: We light this chalice in faith, in hope, and in love.

Opening Hymn: Here We Have Gathered (#360)

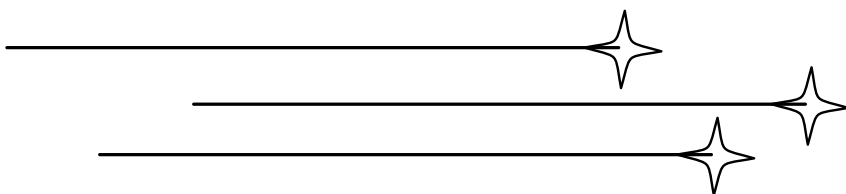
Sharing of Joys and Sorrows

Pastoral Hymn: Though I May Speak with Bravest Fire (#34)

Time for All Ages

Reading: “Holy is the Firm” by Annie Dillard

Special Music



Sermon

Offertory

Closing Hymn: Gather the Spirit (#347)

Extinguishing the Chalice

We extinguish this flame but not the light of truth,  
the warmth of community, or the fire of commitment.  
These we carry in our hearts until we are together again.

(Elizabeth Selle Jones, #456)

Closing Circle

Closing Song: Spirit of Life / Fuente de Amor

Benediction

## Offering



February's plate is shared with:

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In honor of Black History Month

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