## UPCOMING SERVICES AND EVENTS

- Our Stewardship Drive is now live at mcuuf2.org/stewardship Please have your pledge submitted by June 8.
- Today: Soup Sunday followed by our "Speaking of Death" workshop featuring a film screening of "Speaking of Dying".
- June: Pride Month in the Gorge! More info at mcuuf2.org/pride2025
- Sun. June 1 "How Much for Myself? How Much for Others?" with Elaine Castles. In person and online.
- Sun. June 8 "How to Live Without Fear or Worry" with Buddhist Monk and Teacher Bhante. In person and online.
- June 11 Second choir rehearsal for the Flower Communion service.
- June 15 Flower Communion Service at the Penchoen home. In person only.
- June 18-22 The UUA General Assembly (Baltimore and online).
- Thurs. Juneteenth (19<sup>th</sup>) Volunteers needed for tabling at celebration. See sign up sheet at service or contact Pat (pebrady1@gmail.com). Choir opportunity also available, practices June 16/18. See mcuuf2.org/events
- June 22 Service will be online-only viewing of the UUA General Assembly.
- June 22 7 PM Stonewall Uprising Film & Discussion at the Grange.
- Sun. June 29 MCUUF's Annual Congregational Meeting.
- Sun. June 29 12:30-2 pm, Fourth Workshop in series, "Speaking of Death: Death Care" with Tamara Thiel and Rev. Barbara Prose, by donation.
- Visit mcuuf2.org to read up on all the upcoming events and services.

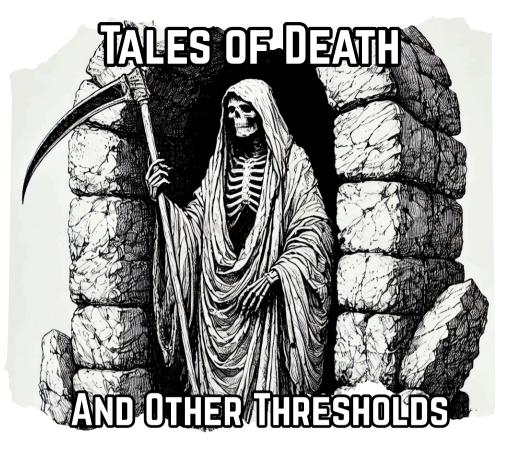
### SUPPORT NEEDED

- Greeters needed to provide a warm welcome on site and on zoom. Contact Debbie Olson: (509) 774-7773.
- "Water for Warm Springs" is accepting donations to address the water crisis on the reservation. Please note "Warm Springs Fund" when giving.
- Tabling opportunities and yard signs available for the We Are Immigrants/Somos Inmigrantes Campaign. Leanne Hogie (541-645-0443).

### REMINDERS

- MCUUF Board nominations are invited: Four 2-yr positions, and three
- 1-yr Nominating Committee positions, beginning July 1. Please contact Dennis Carlson, Aera Atkins or Kathy Jubitz.
- Childcare is available at services thanks to Elaina Kingston.

Please submit announcements by 12 pm Tues & Fri. Now also accepting contributions of art, photos, poetry or writing on June's theme of "Joy" for online publication. Email administrator@mcuuf.org with your contribution.



Mid-Columbia Unitarian Universalist Fellowship

## Sunday, May 25, 2025

Will Hornyak, Speaker Dan Ball, Celebrant Susan Randolph, Pianist



We gratefully acknowledge the many Indigenous tribes, who for millennia have stewarded the land on which we now meet, and we recognize and honor their enduring presence as our neighbors and fellow citizens. May their sacrifices, their resilience, and their ongoing contributions be in our minds and hearts as we gather today.

# Order of Service

Prelude Scriabin: Prelude Op. 11 (Horowitz)

### Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship Responsive Reading #436 in the grey hymnal

Chalice Lighting Celebrant: We are Unitarian Universalists. Congregation: We light this chalice in faith, in hope, and in love.

> Opening Hymn #175 "We Celebrate the Web of Life"

Sharing of Joys and Sorrows

Pastoral Hymn #96 "I Cannot Think of Them as Dead"

Time for All Ages

Sermon

### Offertory

Grieg Lyric Pieces Book II, Op.38 - 6. Elegie

The May plate is shared with the Immigration Counseling Service (ics-law.org). To Donate: Text (541) 625-2013 or visit <u>mcuuf2.org/donate</u>



Closing Hymn Hymn #108 "My Life Flows on in Endless Song"

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 "Fuente de Amor" / "Spirit of Life"

> > **Benediction**

### Our 7 Unitarian Universalist Principles Affirm and Promote:

- 1. The inherent worth and dignity of every person;
- 2. Justice, equity and compassion in human relations;
- 3. Acceptance of one another and encouragement to spiritual growth in our congregations;
- 4. A free and responsible search for truth and meaning;
- 5. The right of conscience and the use of the democratic process within our congregations and in society at large;
- 6. The goal of world community with peace, liberty, and justice for all;
- 7. Respect for the interdependent web of all existence of which we are a part.