

Order of Service

Sunday, August 4, 2019

10:30 a.m.

+Welcome and Announcements

Carol Scott

Passing the Peace

Ringing the Gong

Prelude

#1053 *How Could Anyone?*

Call to Worship

C. Scott

Chalice Lighting

by Jennifer Leota Gray

C. Scott

*Hymn

#1014 *Answering the Call of Love*

*Unison Affirmation

First Unitarian Church of Wilmington is a beloved community that nourishes minds and spirits, fights injustice, and transforms the world through loving action.

Musical Response

Prayer / Meditation A Prayer for the Faithifiers, by Hilary Allen

Catherine Williamson

Shared Silence

Prayers of the People

Musical Meditation *To a Wild Rose Op. 51, No. 1* by E. MacDowell

Litany It Takes a UU Village to Raise a UU Child, by Tess Baumberger

C. Williamson

Response: It takes a village to raise a child.

*Hymn

#1028 *Fire of Commitment*

Sermon “The Death of Sunday School & the Future of Faith Formation”

C. Williamson

*Hymn

#1017 *Building a New Way*

Stewardship Moment

Will Scott-Spezak

Congregation in unison: *To the work of this congregation, which is weaving tapestry of love and action, we dedicate our lives and these, our offerings.*

Offertory

You've Got to Be Carefully Taught by R. Rogers

Closing Words

C. Williamson

Extinguishing the Chalice

Postlude

#1010 *We Give Thanks*

* Please stand, as you are comfortable in body or in spirit.
+ Ushers welcome late-comers into the service at this time.

Pastoral Care Needs:

If you are experiencing an illness or hospitalization, struggling with a loss, facing changes and stresses in life, or just need somebody to listen, the Pastoral Care team is here for you. Contact Dale Megill the Pastoral Care Associate for the month, at DaleM@firstuuwilm.org

Thank you to all our volunteers!

CHURCH OFFICE: Carolyn Gibson
GREETERS: Cathy & Don Lemasters, Donna Gonzalez
USHERS: Dan Cicala, Greg Griffin, Marty Peres,
 Lucy Rabe
SONG LEADER: Richard Speck
PASTORAL CARE: Dale Megill
FIRST U LIBRARY: Open Sunday mornings 9:00 a.m.-12:00
 p.m., first floor classroom wing
WELCOME TABLE: Joan & Richard Carter
AV TEAM: Jon Claney & friends

OUR MISSION:

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OUR ENDS:

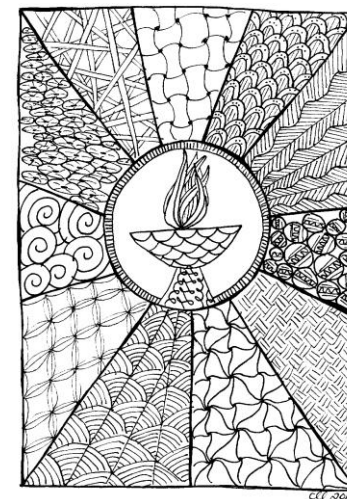
At First Unitarian Church of Wilmington, people of all ages:
 Feel safe, accepted, and loved – and empowered to be our authentic selves.
 Gain new perspectives and grow as informed, spiritual human beings.
 Act on our shared values and UU identity to fight for a more just world.
 Experience wonder, inspiration, fulfillment, and joy.

First Unitarian Church

A Welcoming Congregation ~ A Green Sanctuary

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The Death of Sunday School and the Future of Faith Formation



Catherine Williamson,
 Director of Religious Exploration

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