

ORDER OF SERVICE

Question of the Day: When was the last time you enjoyed the simple pleasures in life?

The Chime Calls Us to Silence

Welcome

Tim, Worship Associate

Call to Worship

Rev. Kellie, Minister

Chalice Lighting

Land Acknowledgement

Opening Hymn

#1040 Hush

Words & Music: Jason Shelton

Jeff, Music Leader

Story for All Ages

Singing the Children Out

#414 As We Leave this Friendly Place (Adapted)

Words: Vincent B. Silliman | Composer: J.S. Bach.

*As you leave this friendly place,
Love give light to every face,
May the kindness you all learn,
Light your hearts 'til you return.*

Joys & Sorrows

#95 There is More Love Somewhere

Words & Music: African American Hymn

Musical Meditation

#1051 We Are...

Words & Music: Ysaye M. Barnwell

Becca, Accompanist

Anthem

Superwoman

Words & Music: Alicia Keyes

Jessicah, Soloist

Sermon

Womanist Theology: Black Women Find the Sacred in Everyday Life

Invitation to the Offering

50% of today's collection plate will be donated to: The House of Bread, which serves free, hot, nutritious lunchtime meals to anyone in need, 365 days a year. For more information, visit <https://houseofbread.org>.

Offertory

#149 Lift Every Voice and Sing

Words: James Weldon Johnson | Composer: J. Rosamond Johnson

Arrangement: Elijah Muse

Closing Hymn

#1051 We Are...

Words & Music: Ysaye M. Barnwell

Extinguishing the Chalice

Announcements

Meredith, Director of Membership

Sharing the Benediction

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Thank you to our Hospitality and Production team members:

23, Jerry, Jim, Kris, Maureen, Maury, Sharon, Tim

Featured Value: *Pluralism*

We celebrate that we are all sacred beings, diverse in culture, experience, and theology.

We covenant to learn from one another in our free and responsible search for truth and meaning. We embrace our differences and commonalities with Love, curiosity, and respect.

THIS WEEK AT MVUUF

Today

Food & Fellowship: Join us after the service today for a special spring-themed coffee hour. Enjoy some extra snacks and refreshments in Beloved Community.

Saturday

LAST CHANCE! Strategic Planning Listening Circle: MVUUF is in a time of transformation, you have the opportunity to direct its course! Join today's listening circle in the chapel at 10:30 AM. Scan QR code to RSVP.



Board Meeting: The Board of MVUUF does the work of governance, so we all may do the work of church. All are welcome to attend and observe their meetings. Join them today from 1 PM to 3:30 via zoom. Meeting link can be found on our website.

Next Sunday

NEW! Fiber Arts Group: Whether you are a fiber artist or fiber novice, we hope you will join this new group which will be the fourth Sunday of every month after the service in the chapel. Please bring your own fiber craft to begin with.

Ostara Ritual: Join our pagan group, Chalice of the Willow (CUUPS), as they celebrate the spring equinox with an Ostara Ritual today from 6:30 PM to 9:00 PM in our chapel. Ritual to be followed by a potluck.

Every Week

Scripture Study: Explore sacred texts from the world's religions at 8:45 AM, online, every Sunday. Zoom link can be found on our website.

Women's Group: This small group ministry for women meets at 10 AM, online, every Sunday. Zoom link can be found on our website.

Our Vision

We envision a world free of injustice and inequity where inclusive Love flourishes and the sacredness of every individual is celebrated.



Our Mission

We covenant to create a Beloved congregation that nurtures spiritual growth and joy, collaborates with other progressive groups, and inspires remarkable transformation in us and our world.

Womanist Theology: Black Women find the Sacred in Everyday Experience



"I Will Follow You My Dear" Quilt by Stephen Towns (2024) .

Sunday, March 15, 2026

Rev. Kellie Kelly

Miami Valley Unitarian Universalist Fellowship (mvuuf.org)

Youth Group meets in the parlor at 1 PM. Children in Preschool through 5th Grade begin in the Worship Service before going to Children's Program after the Story for All Ages. We also have a children's area at the front of the sanctuary where we encourage families to sit.

Families should plan to pick up their children at 2:15 PM.

MIAMI VALLEY UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST FELLOWSHIP'S
CHILDREN & YOUTH RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM PRESENTS

SPRING BREAK MOVIE NIGHT

Wednesday, March 25 @ 5:30 PM
515 E. Third St., Dayton, OH 45402

FAMILY FRIENDLY MOVIE, PIZZA, &
POPCORN PROVIDED

MOVIE

Miami Valley Unitarian Universalist Fellowship

UU History REDUX

Learning and Exploring Unitarian Universalist History
through an Anti-Racist, Anti-Oppressive Lens

Saturday Mornings 10 AM to Noon on Zoom

March 28 | April 11 | May 2 | May 16 | May 30 | June 13

No RSVP Required. See website for more information
and zoom link: www.mvuuf.org

Chalice of the Willow at
Miami Valley Unitarian Universalist Fellowship

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RITUAL

MARCH 22, 2026 | 6:30 PM | CHAPEL

Ritual to be Followed by a Potluck Dinner
515 E. Third St. Dayton, OH 45402

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|  <h2>COMMUNITY EVENTS</h2> <p>Don't forget these regularly occurring, community building events!</p> | |
|  | <p>Second Thursday</p> <p>Smart Choices Lunch 11:30 AM - 2:00 PM MCL Cafeteria Conversation, community & celebration!</p> |
|  | <p>Fourth Saturday</p> <p>Adult Game Night 7:00 - 10:00 PM Conference Room Play, laugh, & let loose! Bring a game or enjoy what's offered.</p> |
|  | <p>Fourth Sunday</p> <p>Fiber Arts Group 2:30 - 3:30 PM Chapel Knit, crochet, sew and grow in community. Newbies welcome!</p> <p style="text-align: right;">March 22nd</p> |
|  | <p>Various Once a Month</p> <p>Food & Fellowship Sundays 2:00 - 3:00 PM Various Special Food & Special Connections. See website for full schedule.</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Next One: April 5th (Easter)</p> |
| <p>For more details and updates about these events, please visit our website or follow us on social media www.mvuuf.org</p> | |