

ORDER OF SERVICE

The Chime Calls Us to Silence

Prelude Becca, Pianist
The Swan
From: Carnival of the Animals | By: Camille Saint-Saëns

Welcome Rev. Kellie, Minister

Call to Worship Somaya, Dir. of Family
Enrichment

Chalice Lighting
We light this chalice for the light of truth,
We light this chalice for the warmth of love,
We light this chalice for the energy of action.

Land Acknowledgment

Opening Hymn Ian, Music Leader
Finlandia for Animals
Words: Barb & Liz Weber | Music: Jean Sibelius

Story for All Ages Glen Helen Raptor Center

Tweet & Greet

Invitation to the Offering
50% of today’s collection plate will be donated to: Gem City Market, a community and worker owned co-op full-service grocery, open to all. It’s presence addresses high rates of diet-related illness and low access to groceries in the 45406 zip code and surrounding areas.

Offertory
#402 From You I Receive
By: Joseph and Nathan Segal

Joys & Sorrows
#1002 Comfort Me
By: Mimi Bornstein-Doble

Animal Blessing

Closing Hymn
All Earth’s Critters
By: Bill Staines

Extinguishing the Chalice
Go well into life now, and when you need us,
always remember that here you will find the hands of friends.

Announcements

Sharing the Benediction

Thank you to our Hospitality and Production team members:
Dori, Chris, CUUPS, Jen, Jeremy, Kris, Maureen, Sheila, Tim, Tina

Featured Value: Interdependence

Interdependence: We respect all life and the world we live in. We promise to take care of the Earth and all living things. We will build strong, caring relationships with fairness and kindness. If we hurt something or someone, we will work to make things better.

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THIS WEEK AT MVUUF

Scan QR code for more on these and other offerings.



Today

Food & Fellowship: Join us after the service, at the back of the sanctuary, to share some extra special treats, and conversation, in community.

CUUPS' Discussion: Join our Pagan group, Chalice of the Willow, for their monthly discussion at 2:30 PM in the Chapel today.

New Mom Baby Baskets: This All Ages Social Justice activity will kick-off at 2:30 PM in the Conference Room. Join them and help new moms in Dayton! More info on flier.

IFGD - Religion & Violence: Join the Interfaith Forum of Greater Dayton (IFGD) for a discussion on how religion shapes our view on violence. 4 PM to 6 PM today at First Baptist Church of Dayton (111 W. Monument Ave.). Free Parking. Snacks Provided.

Tuesday

Music Committee: Join our Music Committee for their meeting today at 7 PM on Zoom. No experience required, just a love of music! Zoom link on website (Scan QR Code).

Wednesday

From Seeds to Harvest: Stewardship for Us is offering a six-session zoom course on Stewardship, from 7 to 8:30 PM, every Wed., through Nov. 11, and MVUUF's Board has paid for every member of MVUUF to attend! Contact CQ or Lynn B. for access.

Thursday

Third Thursday Talk (TTT) - Dreams: Today at 7 PM on Zoom, Shannon H., a self proclaimed "dream enthusiast" and intuitive thinker will explore how and why we dream. Join us! Scan QR code for link.

Friday

Group Outing – Decision Height: Let's go see a show! "Decision Height," a play about women pilots during WWII is playing at the Herbst theater today at 8 PM. Tickets are between \$10 and \$15 dollars and complimentary tickets are available through MVUUF. Interested? Contact CQ. Scan QR code to learn more.

Every Week

Women's Group: This mall group ministry for women meets at 10 AM, on Zoom, every Sunday. Scan QR code for link.

Scripture Study: Explore sacred texts from the world's religions at 3 PM, on zoom, every Sunday. Scan QR code for link.

Worship for All Ages: Animal Blessing



Sunday, October 11, 2026

Rev. Kellie Kelly & Somaya Bernard

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Children and Youth will stay in the service today. Worship for All Ages are intentionally multi-generational, designed so everyone may participate in the service.



Glen Helen RAPTOR CENTER

RESCUE, REHABILITATION, OUTREACH

Each year, the Glen Helen Raptor Center rescues and rehabilitates over 200 Birds of Prey, cares for 20+ birds throughout their lifespan, and provides educational outreach to visitors and future rehabilitators alike.

Find them at www.glenhelen.org



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Dreaming

A Dream Enthusiast
explores how and why
we dream.



Third Thursday Talk Presented by Shannon Harper

Thursday, October 15th
From 7 PM to 8 PM
On Zoom

Scan QR Code,
or find link on
calendar, to Join!



Miami Valley Unitarian Universalist Fellowship

New Mom Baby Baskets

Nurturing New Beginnings

Guest Speaker: Quiana Bickham, Senior Program
Coordinator for Dakota Community Center

Activity: Making Gift Baskets for West Dayton's
Annual Community Baby Shower

An All Ages Social Action Offering
Sunday, October 11th @ 2:30 PM | Conference Room



Join
Us!