

ORDER OF SERVICE
June 11, 2017
10:00 AM

WELCOME AND OPPORTUNITIES FOR GROWTH
Shanonda Nelson, Worship Associate

GREET YOUR NEIGHBOR

INTROIT "Turning of the World" Ruth Pelham
Once & Again Folksingers

CHALICE LIGHTING Worship Associate

OPENING WORDS Rev. John Morehouse

*OPENING HYMN #348 "Guide My Feet"

STATEMENT OF AFFIRMATION
Love is the spirit of this church, and service its law.
This is our great covenant: to dwell together in peace,
to seek the truth in love, and to help one another.

WELCOMING NEW MEMBERS

CANDLE LIGHTING A time to share a brief **personal** joy or sorrow.
A Pastoral Care Associate will be present at the candle boat after the service.

MEDITATION Rev. John Morehouse

MUSIC "Let the Way of the Heart" Darshan Song

SERMON "On the Road" Rev. Dr. John Morehouse

SHARE THE PLATE "Circle of Song" Tony Turner

AFFIRMATION OF GRATITUDE
Let us be grateful when we are able to give,
For many do not have that privilege.
Let us be grateful for all those who share their gifts,
For we are enriched by their giving.
And let us be grateful even for our needs,
So that we may learn from the generosity of others.

CLOSING HYMN #1 "May Nothing Evil"

CLOSING WORDS Rev. John Morehouse

POSTLUDE "Cornerstone" Shawn Kirchner

*Latecomers will be seated at this time.
Parents with young children are invited to use our nursery or sit in the foyer
where you can hear the service and your children can be children.
There are listening assistive headphones on the back wall of Sanctuary.

THIS WEEK AT CHURCH

Sunday, June 11
Meditation, Elm Room at 9:00 am
Annual Meeting, Sanctuary at 11:30 am
Board of Trustees, East Wing after the Annual Meeting
Monday, June 12
NVC Practice, Library at 7:00 pm
ICT4, East Wing & Sanctuary at 7:00 pm
Wednesday, June 14
Domestic Violence Task Force, East Wing at 12: 30 pm
COM, Meeting House at 7:30 pm
Thursday, June 15
Finance Committee, Fellowship Room 6:00 pm
Special Projects Choir at 7:45 pm
Friday, June 16
Shawl Ministry, Meeting House at 12:30 pm
Saturday, June 17
Special Projects Choir, Sanctuary at 9:00 am
Small Group Facilitators, Youth Room at 10:00 am

WELCOME! We're glad you're here this morning. If this is one of your first visits with us, please stop to talk with our greeters. They can be identified by the yellow ribbons on their nametags and they are happy to answer any questions you have about our church. Please join us after the service for our Fellowship Coffee Hour for refreshment and conversation. More information about this church and our programs can be found at our website www.uuwestport.org.

OPPORTUNITIES FOR GROWTH

CALL TO ANNUAL MEETING The 2017 Annual Meeting of The Unitarian Church in Westport Is today, following the service.

Our Big Tag Sale is set for Sat. Aug. 5. Many hands and thousands of items create this \$10K event, so save your donations until late July, if possible, and sign up to help! The foyer table has a list of accepted items. Linda at ludson30@hotmail.com, 203-226-5335.

SUMMER 2017 WORSHIP SCHEDULE

- June 25:** Mary-Megan Marshall – *“Facing Our Monsters”*
- July 2:** Maitreya and Sada – *“Satsang: Meditation, Healing Music with Chanting”*
- July 9:** Ann Lundberg – *“Seeking Refuge: The Greatest Humanitarian Crisis of Our Time”*
- July 16:** Tom Hearne – *“UU and Jesus”*
- July 23:** Carrie McEvoy – *“Effective Communications in Relationships”*
- July 30:** Shanonda Nelson – *“UU and Islam”*
- Aug. 6:** Laura Higgins – *“Expectant Waiting: Quaker-style Worship”*
- Aug. 13:** Janet Luongo – *“Dialogue with the Divine”*
- Aug. 20:** Jim Francek – *“Native American Spirituality”*
- Aug. 27:** Dr. Amanda Kemp – *“Say the Wrong Thing”*
- Sept. 3:** Rev. John Morehouse – *Water Ceremony at Compo*



OUR MISSION STATEMENT: *The Unitarian Church in Westport is a diverse and welcoming religious community, free of creed and dogma, and open to people of all backgrounds and beliefs. We **inspire** and support individual spiritual growth. We **connect** through worship, music, learning, and caring ministries. We **act** in the service of peace and justice.*

The Unitarian Church in Westport

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Ushers: M. Allen, C. Prescott, D. Jones, S. Brady
Rev. Dr. John T. Morehouse, Senior Minister
Rev. Dr. Edward Thompson, Minister of Music
Rev. Frank A. Hall, Minister Emeritus
Mary Collins, Lifespan Faith Development

David Vita, Director Social Justice and Membership