

WELCOME Linda Hudson, Worship Associate

PRELUDE "I am Only One" Edward Thompson

CHALICE LIGHTING & OPENING WORDS Worship Associate

COVENANT

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.

LEADING LIGHT AWARD Ken Vogel Rev. Morehouse

REMARKS Beth Cliff

CANDLE LIGHTING Rev. Morehouse

STORIES OF SACRED ACTIVISM Janet Luongo

MUSIC "If I Had a Hammer" by Pete Seeger Rev. Thompson

HOMILY "History Is Listening: The Moral Imperative of Democracy" Rev. Dr. John Morehouse

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CLOSING PRAYER

Spirit of Life, come unto me. Sing in my heart all the
stirrings of compassion. Blow in the wind, rise in the sea;
move in the hand, giving life the shape of justice.
Roots hold me close; Wings set me free;
Spirit of Life, come to me, come to me.

BENEDICTION

Flowers

Flowers given today in support of our democratic process and in honor of
all Americans - past, present, future - who have worked to protect it
The TUCW UU the Vote Team

**This order of service is yours to keep. Please take it
with you when you leave.**

WELCOME! We're glad you're here this morning. More
information about our programs and our Event Calendar can be
found at our website www.uuwestport.org

HISTORY IS LISTENING: THE MORAL IMPERATIVE OF DEMOCRACY

Rev. John Morehouse

October 4, 2020 9 AM



The Unitarian Church in Westport

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Rev. Dr. John T. Morehouse, Senior Minister

Rev. Dr. Edward Thompson, Minister of Music

Rev. Frank A. Hall, Minister Emeritus

Kim Warman, Intern Minister

Rev. Jim Francek, Community Minister - Pastoral Care

Nate Pawelek, Director of Faith Formation

David Vita, Director of Social Justice and Director of Membership

Pastoral Care: If you are going through a challenging time or know somebody in the congregation who needs support from our Pastoral Care Chaplains, call to leave a confidential message in the PCA voice mailbox 203/227-7205 ext. 19 or email pca@uuwestport.org.

Please refer to *Soundings* to make sure you know all about what is happening at TUCW these days - our lives here are busy! WeekEND edition shows up in your inbox Friday mornings, WeekDAY edition, Sunday mornings. Also always available on the home page of our website, uuwestport.org.

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.*