



Lakeshore Unitarian



February 8, 2026

GATHERING MUSIC

Enter Rejoice and Come In, Venez entrez dans la joie (2x)

WELCOME, ANNOUNCEMENTS, INDIGENOUS RECOGNITION OF NATIVE LANDS

OPENING WORDS

“The Power of the Giggle”

CHALICE LIGHTING

CANDLE OF JOYS & SORROWS

From the “Book of Life” and our Zoom Chat

OPENING HYMN

Hymn #123: Spirit of Life

AFFIRMATION

This we promise...

OFFERTORY

“From you I receive, De toi je reçois...”

MUSICAL REFLECTION

“Send in the Clowns” (Stephen Sondheim), performed by Kerry-Anne Kutz

MEDITATION

HYMN

Hymn #100: I've Got Peace Like a River

PRESENTATION

“Little Miracles- Stories of Laughter and Healing” – Melissa Holland

CLOSING WORDS

EXTINGUISHING THE CHALICE

POSTLUDE

Go Now in Peace, Allons en paix...

Join us for coffee & conversation in the reception hall

With Thanks

Service Leader

Timothy Byrnes

Technician

Oddbjorn Taraldsvik

Musicians

Kerry-Anne Kutz, Michael Cartile

Online Greeter

Dori Abbott

Greeters

Gary Spiller, Sheila Laursen-Tustin

Refreshments

Nancy Schmidt

Gathering Music

Enter, rejoice and come in
 Enter, rejoice and come in
 Today will be a joyful day
 Enter, rejoice and come in.

Venez entrer dans la joie
 Venez entrer dans la joie
 Ce sera une journée joyeuse
 Venez entrer dans la joie.

Opening Hymn

No. 123 Spirit Of Life / Source De Vie
 Words & Music: Carolyn McDade

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.

Source de vie,
 viens comble moi,
 chante dans mon coeur
 réveillant mon humanité.

Souffle dans le vent,
 vogue sur la mer,
 coule dans mes mains,
 vie d'espoir et de justice.

Terre nourris moi,
 ciel emporte moi,
 Source de vie,
 viens vers moi, viens vers moi.

Affirmation

This we promise one to another
 We shall seek our truth with love
 We shall celebrate our lives together
 With all our joys and sorrows
 Thus may we enjoy the blessings of love
 among us

Nous nous promettons ceci, les uns aux autres:
 Nous chercherons notre vérité avec amour.
 Nous célébrerons nos vies ensemble,
 Avec toutes nos joies et nos peines.
 Ainsi, puissions-nous savourer les bénédictions de l'amour entre nous.

Offertory

*From you, I receive
To you, I give
Together we share
And by this we live*

*De toi je reçois
À toi je donne
Ensemble on partage
Une offrande de vie*

Hymn

No. 100 I've Got Peace Like a River

Words & Music: Marvin V. Frey

*I've got peace like a river,
I've got peace like a river,
I've got peace like a river in my soul.
I've got peace like a river,
I've got peace like a river,
I've got peace like a river in my soul.*

*I've got joy like a fountain,
I've got joy like a fountain,
I've got joy like a fountain in my soul.
I've got joy like a fountain,
I've got joy like a fountain,
I've got joy like a fountain in my soul.*

*I've got love like an ocean,
I've got love like an ocean,
I've got love like an ocean in my soul.
I've got love like an ocean,
I've got love like an ocean,
I've got love like an ocean in my soul.*

Postlude

Go now in peace

Go now in peace

May the joy of love surround you

Everywhere, everywhere you may go

Allons en paix

Allons en paix

Que nos jours soient remplis de bonheur

Et de joie, et d'amour, pour toujours

Lakeshore Unitarian Announcements

1.	<p>Valentine's Love Concert for Suitcases for Africa <i>Featuring students of Kerry-Anne Kutz and the Lakeshore Community Choir</i></p>	<p>LUUCers, please bring your lunch and stay for the concert!</p> <p>Cost: suggested donation: \$10–\$20, but give what you're comfortable with.</p> <p>All proceeds will go to Suitcases for Africa.</p>	<p>Feb. 15, 2026, 12:30 to 2:30, LUUC Hall</p> <p>If you wish to help with this LUUC-supported event, please email kerryanne.musique@gmail.com</p>
2.	<p>Lakeshore Community Choir</p> <p>Benefits: proper posture, effective breathing; produce good tone and beautiful harmonies.</p>	<p>This wonderful choir sings in a Holiday and a Spring concert, performs at a Remembrance Day ceremony and for a vigil commemorating the women of the Polytechnique tragedy.</p> <p>Members are often invited to sing, after practices, for LUUC 10:30 a.m. services, but <u>participation in services is optional</u>.</p>	<p>Rehearsal time: 8:45 - 10:25 a.m. in LUUC hall</p> <p>For information: lakeshoreluuc@gmail.com</p> <p>No previous experience necessary, and members don't need to know how to read music. Tell your friends!</p>
3.	<p>Chess for kids/teens (parents welcome too),</p>	<p>Free chess lessons from professional instructor and chess coach Steve Rosenstein, who has coached 3 national champions! Students can bring their own chess set or use LUUC's sets.</p>	<p>Chess meets every <u>third Sunday</u> of the month, from 10 a.m. to noon at LUUC. It's a wonderful Spiritual Exploration activity — no signup required, just drop in and have fun!</p> <p>For more information, contact Gary Spiller at gary_spiller@yahoo.com</p>
4.	<p>Bread and Beyond sandwich-making session is back!</p>	<p>Join with others to make sandwiches for those in need. All ages welcome!</p>	<p>Bread and Beyond is held <u>every third</u> Sunday of the month around noon. For a chance to take part and give back, please contact Gary Spiller at gary_spiller@yahoo.com</p>
5.	<p>Constance Belanger is the Care Person for February</p>		<p>You can reach Constance at 438-396-6694</p> <p>constancebelan@gmail.com</p>
6.	<p>Tackling Hunger; Donate Non-Perishable Food</p>	<p>Sunday mornings at LUUC, you can donate to West Island Mission</p>	<p>What to bring?: cereal, peanut butter, pasta sauce, juices, canned goods, rice, peanut butter, etc. Thank you!</p>