

Lakeshore Unitarian

May 3, 2026

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| GATHERING MUSIC | <i>Enter Rejoice and Come In, Venez entrez dans la joie (2x)</i> |
| WELCOME, ANNOUNCEMENTS, INDIGENOUS RECOGNITION OF NATIVE LANDS | |
| OPENING WORDS | <i>“Grace Meets Us Where We Are” - By Gretchen Haley</i> |
| CHALICE LIGHTING | <i>“Intention and Creativity” - By Deanna Vandiver</i> |
| CANDLE OF JOYS & SORROWS | <i>From the “Book of Life” and our Zoom Chat</i> |
| OPENING HYMN | <i>Hymn #346: Come, Sing a Song with Me</i> |
| AFFIRMATION | <i>This we promise...</i> |
| OFFERTORY | <i>“From you I receive, De toi je reçois...”</i> |
| MUSICAL REFLECTION | |
| MEDITATION | <i>“Holy is this place” - By Maureen Killoran</i> |
| HYMN | <i>Hymn #1028: The Fire of Commitment</i> |
| PRESENTATION | <i>“Sikhism” – Jaiseema Kaur</i> |
| CLOSING HYMN | <i>Hymn #1008: When Our Heart Is in a Holy Place</i> |
| CLOSING WORDS | <i>“Until We Meet Again” - By Amy Zucker Morgenstern</i> |
| EXTINGUISHING THE CHALICE | <i>Kindle New Sparks - By Debra Burrell</i> |
| POSTLUDE | <i>Go Now in Peace, Allons en paix...</i> |
| NEW MEMBER CEREMONY | <p><u>Let us repeat together our LUUC Congregational Covenant:</u></p> <p>In the spirit of fellowship and caring, we covenant together to minister to each other’s needs, and to the needs of all our fellow Creatures.</p> <p>We covenant to provide an environment where our ideals can be evaluated and our beliefs discussed respectfully, with open minds and open hearts.</p> <p>We covenant together to celebrate the ‘stuff of the everyday’ as well as the most cherished moments of our lives.</p> |

Join us for coffee & conversation in the reception hall

With Thanks

Service Leader

Irene Hausknost

Technician

Oddbjorn Taraldsvik

Musicians

Kerry-Anne Kutz & Michael Cartile

Online Greeter

Gabor Matyas

Greeters

Usha Thorne, Sara Maclean Kreps

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. 346 Come Sing a Song with Me
Words and Music By: Carolyn MacDade

*Come, sing a song with me,
come, sing a song with me,
come, sing a song with me,
that I might know your mind.*

*Come, walk in rain with me,
come, walk in rain with me,
come, walk in rain with me,
that I might know your mind.*

*And I'll bring you hope
when hope is hard to find,
and I'll bring a song of love
and a rose in the winter time.*

*And I'll bring you hope
when hope is hard to find,
and I'll bring a song of love
and a rose in the winter time.*

*Come, dream a dream with me,
come, dream a dream with me,
come, dream a dream with me,
that I might know your mind.*

*Come share a rose with me,
come share a rose with me,
come share a rose with me,
that I might know your mind.*

*And I'll bring you hope
when hope is hard to find,
and I'll bring a song of love
and a rose in the winter time.*

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when hope is hard to find,
and I'll bring a song of love
and a rose in the winter time.*

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. 1028 The Fire of Commitment

Words & Music: Samuel Anthony Wright

*From the light of days remembered burns a beacon bright and clear
Guiding hands and hearts and spirits into faith set free from fear
When the fire of commitment sets our mind and soul ablaze
When our hunger and our passion meet to call us on our way
When we live with deep assurance of the flame that burns within
Then our promise finds fulfillment and our future can begin.*

*From the stories of our living rings a song both brave and free
Calling pilgrims still to witness to the life of liberty
When the fire of commitment sets our mind and soul ablaze
When our hunger and our passion meet to call us on our way
When we live with deep assurance of the flame that burns within
Then our promise finds fulfillment and our future can begin.*

*From the dreams of youthful vision comes a new, prophetic voice
Which demands a deeper justice built by our courageous choice
When the fire of commitment sets our mind and soul ablaze
When our hunger and our passion meet to call us on our way
When we live with deep assurance of the flame that burns within
Then our promise finds fulfillment and our future can begin.*

Closing Hymn

No. 1008 *When Our Heart Is in a Holy Place*

Words & Music: Joyce Poley

Chorus: *When our heart is in a holy place,
When our heart is in a holy place
We are blessed with love and amazing grace,
When our heart is in a holy place.*

*When we trust the wisdom in each of us,
Ev'ry colour ev'ry creed and kind,
And we see our faces in each other's eyes,
Then our heart is in a holy place.*

Chorus: *When our heart is in a holy place,
When our heart is in a holy place
We are blessed with love and amazing grace,
When our heart is in a holy place.*

*When we tell our story from deep inside,
And we listen with a loving mind,
And we hear our voices in each other's words,
Then our heart is in a holy place.*

Chorus: *When our heart is in a holy
place,
When our heart is in a holy place
We are blessed with love and amazing
grace,
When our heart is in a holy place.*

*When we share the silence of sacred
space,
And the God of our Heart stirs within,
And we feel the power of each other's
faith,
Then our heart is in a holy place.*

Chorus: *When our heart is in a holy
place,
When our heart is in a holy place
We are blessed with love and amazing
grace,
When our heart is in a holy place.*

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

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| 1. | <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> |
| 2. | <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> |
| 5. | <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 sandwich making session. <u>Exceptionally</u> for this month, the next sandwich making session is on May 24th. Join with others to make sandwiches for those in need. All ages welcome! For a chance to take part and give back, please contact Gary Spiller gary_spiller@yahoo.com</p> |
| 6. | <p>Caring Person for May & June Paul Sullivan **from 9th to May 23rd please contact Constance Belanger</p> | <p>If you would appreciate a listening ear, support, or connection.</p> | <p>You can reach Paul at 514-457-1793 plsullivan43@gmail.com</p> <p>You can reach Constance at 438-396-6694 constancebelan@gmail.com</p> |
| 7. | <p>Tackling Hunger; Donate Non-Perishable Food</p> | <p>Sunday mornings at LUUC, you can donate to <u>West Island Mission</u></p> | <p>What to bring?: cereal, peanut butter, pasta sauce, juices, canned goods, rice, peanut butter, etc. Thank you!</p> |