



Lakeshore Unitarian

May 10, 2026



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>Mothering Love</i>
CHALICE LIGHTING	
CANDLE OF JOYS & SORROWS	<i>From the "Book of Life" and our Zoom Chat</i>
OPENING HYMN	<i>Hymn #1002 - "Comfort Me"</i>
AFFIRMATION	<i>This we promise...</i>
OFFERTORY	<i>"From you I receive, De toi je reçois..."</i>
MUSICAL REFLECTION	<i>"We Are One Again" - Lyrics/Music by Kerry-Anne</i>
MEDITATION	
HYMN	<i>Hymn #1073 - "The Earth Is Our Mother"</i>
PRESENTATION	<i>"The Legacy of Care: Supporting Mothers, Strengthening Generations" – Breanna Flis</i>
CLOSING WORDS	<i>Nurturing Expressions of Love</i>
EXTINGUISHING THE CHALICE	
POSTLUDE	<i>Go Now in Peace, Allons en paix...</i>

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

Gabor Matyas

Greeters

Matthew Da Corte, Sheila Laursen

Refreshments

Gary Spiller



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.1002 Comfort Me

Words and Music By: Mimi Bornstein-Doble

*Comfort me, comfort me,
comfort me, oh my soul.*

*Comfort me, comfort me,
Comfort me, oh my soul.*

*Sing with me, sing with me,
Sing with me, oh my soul.*

*Speak for me, speak for me,
Speak for me, oh my soul.*

*Move in me, move in me,
Move in me, oh my soul.*

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.1073 The Earth Is Our Mother

Words & Music: Julie Forest Middleton.

*The Earth is our Mother, we must take care of her;
The Earth is our Mother, we must take care of her;
Hey-yun-ga ho-yun-ga, hey-yung yung
Hey-yun-ga ho-yun-ga hey-yung yung*

*Her sacred ground we walk upon with every step we take;
Her sacred ground we walk upon with every step we take;
Hey-yun-ga ho-yun-ga, hey-yung yung
Hey-yun-ga ho-yun-ga hey-yung yung*

*The Earth is our Mother, she will take care of us;
The Earth is our Mother, she will take care of us;
Hey-yun-ga ho-yun-ga, hey-yung yung
Hey-yun-ga ho-yun-ga hey-yung yung*

*The Sky is our Father, we will take care of him...
The Sky is our Father, we will take care of him...
Hey-yun-ga ho-yun-ga, hey-yung yung
Hey-yun-ga ho-yun-ga hey-yung yung*



*The Sea is our Sister, we will take care of her;
The Sea is our Sister, we will take care of her;
Hey-yun-ga ho-yun-ga, hey-yung yung
Hey-yun-ga ho-yun-ga hey-yung yung*

*The Forest is our Brother, we will take care of him;
The Forest is our Brother, we will take care of him;
Hey-yun-ga ho-yun-ga, hey-yung yung
Hey-yun-ga ho-yun-ga hey-yung yung*

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.	Donations for New Hymnals	<p>LUUC invites you to help cover the \$30 cost of one (or more) of our new teal hymnals.</p> <p>Each sponsored book will include a bookplate inscribed with either “Donated by” or “In Memory of.”</p>	<p>For more information, please contact</p> <p>Sheila Laursen at sheila.laursen@bell.net or 514-697-4195.</p>
2.	Lakeshore Community Choir Benefits: proper posture, effective breathing; produce good tone and beautiful harmonies.	<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 <i>participation in services is optional.</i></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.	Chess for kids/teens (parents welcome too),	<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 <i>third Sunday</i> 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.	Bread and Beyond sandwich-making session is back!	<p>Join with others to make sandwiches for those in need. All ages welcome!</p>	<p>Bread and Beyond sandwich making session. <i>Exceptionally</i> 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>
5.	Caring Person for May & June Paul Sullivan **from 9th to May 23rd please contact Constance Belanger	<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>
6.	Tackling Hunger; Donate Non-Perishable Food	<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>