

Unitarian Universalist congregations affirm and promote eight Principles, which we hold as strong values and moral guides.

- 1) The inherent worth and dignity of every person;
- 2) Justice, equity and compassion in human relations;
- 3) Acceptance of one another and encouragement to spiritual growth in our congregations;
- 4) A free and responsible search for truth and meaning;
- 5) The right of conscience and the use of the democratic process within our congregations and in society at large;
- 6) The goal of world community with peace, liberty, and justice for all;
- 7) Respect for the interdependent web of all existence of which we are a part;
- 8) Journeying toward spiritual wholeness by working to build a diverse and multicultural Beloved Community by our actions that accountably dismantle racism and other oppressions in ourselves and our institutions.



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Unitarian Universalist Fellowship of San Dieguito

Service at 4:00pm

Watch this Sunday's Sermon via Zoom

<https://uufsd.org/zoom>



Tuesday, December 24, 2024

Christmas Eve Service

“The Divine Born in Turmoil”

Prelude *Katie Klaerich*

Gathering Hymn #253 "Oh Come, All Ye Faithful" *Rev. Ellie Kilpatrick*

Call to Worship

Chalice Lighting

Hymn #241 "In the Bleak Midwinter"

Time For All Ages: "Nativity Story" *Rev. Heather Megill*

Offering Benefiting Casas de Luz *Wenda Alvarez*

Pastoral Prayer

Hymn #244 "It Came Upon a Midnight Clear"

Reading 1: The Gospel of Matthew 2:1-15 *Wenda Alvarez*

"The Little Road to Bethlehem" *Jan Berlin*
By Michael Head

Reading 2: "The Work of Christmas" *Wenda Alvarez*
By Howard Thurman

Homily: "The Divine Born in Turmoil" *Rev. Ellie Kilpatrick*

Hymn #237 "The First Nowell" *Rev. Ellie Kilpatrick*

Extinguishing the Chalice

"We extinguish this flame
but not the light of truth,
the warmth of community,
or the fire of commitment.
These we carry in our hearts
until we are together again."

Benediction

Lighting of Our Candles

Rev. Ellie Kilpatrick

Hymn #251 "Silent Night, Holy Night"

Postlude #245 "Joy to the World!"

Katie Klaerich

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Welcome visitors! We are delighted you are here. Immediately following the service, we invite everyone to join on the central patio to enjoy refreshments and conversation, meet new friends, and gather in fellowship.

