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Going Gently



Unity Church-Unitarian

Sunday, January 9, 2022

9:00 and 11:00 a.m.

[Livestream](#) at 9:00 a.m.

ORDER OF WORSHIP

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**Please rise in body or in spirit.*

GATHERING MUSIC	Ahmed Anzaldúa, piano
WORDS OF WELCOME	Rev. Dr. Kathy Hurt
RINGING OF THE BELL	
PRELUDE	Prelude from Cello Suite No. 5 in C minor, BWV 1011 by J. S. Bach Jane Cords-O'Hara, violoncello
CALL TO WORSHIP	Nancy Dilts
LIGHTING THE CHALICE	
*OPENING HYMN (15)	The Lone, Wild Bird
SILENCE	
EMBRACING MEDITATION	
PRAYER	
INTERLUDE	Sarabande from Cello Suite No. 5 in C minor, BWV 1011 by J. S. Bach
OFFERING	
OFFERING MUSIC	
REFLECTION	
SERMON	Going Gently
*CLOSING HYMN (6)	Just as Long as I Have Breath
*BENEDICTION	
POSTLUDE	Gigue from Cello Suite No.5 in C minor, BWV 1011 by J. S. Bach

The flowers in the Sanctuary are given in memory of Frances E. Burton, beloved mother of Lyn Burton and grandmother of Rory Burton Feeney.

Good Courage Farm, today's offering recipient, is an emerging agrarian ministry in west-central Minnesota where people of all faiths gather to learn and work together for the healing of Creation. Good Courage grows good food while sharing practices of agricultural, social, and spiritual regeneration. Kerri Meyer, Unity's former religious education director, is its founding executive director. This collection will support Good Courage Farm's summer food/faith interns. Donate online at <https://bit.ly/sundayoffering>.

Worship associate Nancy Dilts and her family, husband Dan Philippon and daughter Grace, live in St. Paul, and joined Unity Church in 2016. After an almost 20-year career in environmental education and community outreach, she launched Nancy Dilts Wardrobe Consulting. Nancy brings together her passions — personal style, positive body image, and the environment — to help her clients feel great about how they look, using an economically and environmentally sustainable approach. She recently began a new initiative, Womxn Stand UP, services tailored specifically for the wardrobe needs of womxn running for office.

Currently based in Minneapolis Jane Cords-O'Hara is a busy freelance cellist who performs with a wide variety of groups. She is a member of The Knights, as well as Memphis based Iris Orchestra, Jamison Ensemble and Ladyslipper Ensemble in Minneapolis. She has performed, toured, and recorded with numerous other ensembles including the St. Paul Chamber Orchestra, Irish Chamber Orchestra, Orchestra of St. Luke's, Argento, Da Capo Chamber Players, Minnesota Opera, Yo Yo Ma and the Silk Road Ensemble, String Orchestra of NYC, and A Far Cry. Equally comfortable in many styles, Jane has played a large amount of new and spectral music, as well as baroque cello, and has performed with Lyra Baroque, Bach Society of Minnesota, and the WolfGang Ensemble. She teaches at Augsburg University and UW River Falls as well as running a private studio.

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