



## Unitarian Universalists of Clearwater

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**Sermon:** *"Listening to the Divine Within"*

Tori Edwards

**Date:** *October 25, 2020*

**Our Vision:** An inclusive religious community, a beacon for reason, meaning and bold social action.

**Our Mission:** To celebrate dignity and respect for all, nurture lifelong spiritual growth, act for justice and equality, and serve the wider community.

**Welcome:**

Sue Hand

**Prelude:**

"The Scientist" by Coldplay

**Call to Worship:**

**TBD**

**Chalice Lighting:**

"Sacred Unknowing" by Amy Carol Webb

We light this flame  
For the art of sacred unknowing.  
Humbled by all that we cannot fathom in this time,  
We come into the presence of what we do know,  
Perhaps the only thing we can ever know:  
That Love is now and forever  
The only answer to everything  
And everyone  
In every moment.

**Opening Hymn:**

Hymn #352 "Find A Stillness"

"A Time for All Ages" - **Meredith Olson**

**Joys and Sorrows:**

Hymn #1031 "Filled With Loving Kindness"

**Offertory Message**

**For online giving:** <https://uuc.breezechms.com/give/online>

**For text giving:** (727) 500-2410

**Interlude:**

"Underwater Mountain" by Tim Finn



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**Closing Hymn:**

Hymn #331 "Life Is The Greatest Gift Of All"

**Extinguishing the Chalice:**

*"Go in peace, go making peace, live gently, love mightily and bow to the mystery"*



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### Our Grateful Thanks:

**Worship Associate:** Sue Hand; **Service Technical Support:** Jeremy Dillow; **UUC Music** Dr. David Katz, UUC Music Director; Van Fenstermaker, Guitar/Vocals; **Staff:** Rev. Dave, PPCM; Rev. Roberta, Transitional Minister; Anne Gilbert, Office Administrator; Meredith Olson, Transitional Director of Religious Enrichment; Gary Strauss, Security Guard; Susan Strauss, Custodian **Pastoral Associates:** Kathy Krohn (October 19 – October 25); Susan Hegner (October 26 – November 1).

Special Thanks to L. Wood for the beautiful and inspiring UUC original artwork





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### **Opening Hymn #352 "Find A Stillness"**

Find a stillness, hold a stillness, let the stillness carry me.  
Find the silence, hold the silence, let the silence carry me.  
In the spirit, by the spirit, with the spirit giving power,  
I will find true harmony.

Seek the essence, hold the essence, let the essence carry me.  
Let me flower, help me flower, watch me flower, carry me.  
In the spirit, by the spirit, with the spirit giving power,  
I will find true harmony.

### **Joys and Sorrows**

#### **Hymn #1031 "Filled With Loving Kindness"**

May I be filled with loving kindness. May I be well.  
May I be filled with loving kindness. May I be well.  
May I be peaceful and at ease.  
May I be whole.

May you be filled ...

May we be filled ...



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### Closing Hymn

#### **Hymn # 331 "Life Is The Greatest Gift Of All"**

Life is the greatest gift of all the riches on this earth;  
life and its creatures, great and small, of high and lowly birth:  
so treasure it and measure it with deeds of shining worth.

Mind is the brightest gift of all, its thought no barrier mars;  
it seeks creation's hidden plan, its quest surmounts all bars;  
it reins the wind, it chains the storm, it weighs the outmost stars.

We are of life, its shining gift, the measure of all things;  
up from the dust our temples lift, our vision soars on wings;  
for seed and root, for flower and fruit, our grateful spirit sings.