



Order of Service for January 21, 2024

Why Do We Have Many Sources of Wisdom?

Rev. Meg Roberts

♪ Prelude	Ming-Xuan Chung
Welcome to Beacon	Rev. Meg Roberts
♪ Congregational Song - # 188 <i>Come, Come, Whoever You Are</i> <i>Words: Adapt. from Rumi, Music: Lynn Adair Ungar</i>	Ming-Xuan Chung, Rev. Meg Roberts
Opening Words & Chalice Lighting - by Julianne Lepp	Rev. Meg Roberts
Reflection - <i>Beacon Community</i>	Rev. Meg Roberts
♪ Congregational Song - # 6 <i>Just as Long as I Have Breath</i> <i>Words: Alicia S. Carpenter, Music: Johann G. Ebeling</i>	Ming-Xuan Chung, Rev. Meg Roberts
Meditation	Rev. Meg Roberts
♪ Music - <i>Promise</i> <i>Music: Laufey</i>	Ming-Xuan Chung
Joys and Sorrows	Rev. Meg Roberts
Sharing the Plate	Carol Woodworth
♪ Sung Response - <i>For All That Is Our Life</i>	Ming-Xuan Chung
Our Thanks	Rev. Meg Roberts
♪ Congregational Song - # 1018 <i>Come and Go With Me</i> <i>Words and Music: African-American spiritual, Arrangement: Kenny Smith</i>	Ming-Xuan Chung, Rev. Meg Roberts
Closing Words & Extinguishing the Chalice - by Jane E. Mauldin	Rev. Meg Roberts
♪ <i>Carry the Flame</i>	Ming-Xuan Chung

We invite you to join us for Soup Lunch after the service for fellowship and conversation.

Instead of Coffee Hour this week, join us for our monthly soup lunch. Soup lunches take place after the Sunday service in the downstairs hall. Suggested donation is \$5 or as you are able.

If you can't stay long, please stay for a beverage and conversation.

For those on Zoom: Please stay and join us in small group conversation. Just stay online after the service ends.

Next Service: Sunday January 28, 10:30 am

Navigating the Seven C's – Sailing Through Calm, Stormy and Uncharted Waters

Guest presenter: Colin Chow

This time of year can bring forth a great deal of stress, anxiety, negativity and poor mental health. There is research that explains some of the reasons behind this. Colin will take us through Seven C's (Comfort, Communication, Conflict/Contempt, Change, Courage, Curiosity and Connection) which are mental health related concepts that can help explain why we might choose to "sink or swim" through the waters of our lives.

Colin Chow is honoured to return as a guest speaker with the Beacon Unitarian community. Colin has a strong connection to New Westminster as a previous long term resident. He has worked with many faith communities, independent/public schools, post-secondary art/college/universities and in print/radio journalism in his work as a Registered Clinical Counsellor, Educator and University Faculty.

Supporting Today's Service

Service Leader and Song Leader
Musician and Song Leader
Sharing the Plate
In-Person Greeters
Counters/Collectors
Sapperton Coffee Host
Soup Lunch Coordinator
Art Table
Audio Visual Technician
Zoom Greeter/Service Assistant
Zoom Recording Editor
Order of Service
Set up/Clean up

Rev. Meg Roberts
Ming-Xuan Chung
Carol Woodworth
Carol Woodworth, Laura Redmond
Jane Day, Michael Scales
Rob Warner
Peggy Lunderville
Family Ministry Team
Tyler Ewasiuk
Sue Sparlin
Tyler Ewasiuk
Rachael Greenland
All of us who can

Our Shared Ministry

Minister
Choir Director
Lay Chaplain
Family Ministry
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Shared Ministry Coordinator

Rev. Meg Roberts
Faith Veikle
Janet Pivnick
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Rachael Greenland
Sue Sparlin

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In the message box, note where you want the funds applied to:

- Beacon (note if pledge or general donation)
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If you wish to set up a pre-authorised deposit or need help with e-transfer please email me at treasurer@beaconunitarian.org

Please mail any cheques to:

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Thank you for your continued support - Carol Woodworth

[Lunch Bunch](#) meets online every Tuesday at noon.

[Beacon Choir](#) rehearses in-person Thursdays at 7:30 pm & typically performs 2 Sundays a month

[Film Club](#) meets online the 1st and 3rd Fridays of the month at 7pm

[Book Club](#) meets online the 2nd Fridays of the month at 7 pm

[Humanist Group](#) meets online the last Sunday of the month at 7:30 pm