

Beacon Unitarian Church Order of Service for April 27, 2025 "Living Our Faith Out Loud" Rev. Shawn Gauthier

□ Prelude	Ming-Xuan Chung
Welcome to Beacon	Deepak Sahasrabudhe
Opening Words by Gretchen Haley	Rev. Shawn Gauthier
Chalice Lighting	Rev. Shawn Gauthier
☐ Congregational Song #347 "Gather the Spirit" Words and Music: Jim Scott	Ming-Xuan Chung
Joys and Sorrows	Judy Villett
Reading: "Caution Church Ahead" Elie Wiesel/Victoria Safford	Rev. Shawn Gauthier
Reflection: "Living Our Faith Out Loud"	Rev. Shawn Gauthier
☐ Congregational Song #131 "Love Will Guide Us" Words: Sally Rogers, Music: Traditional arr. by Betty A. Wylder	Ming-Xuan Chung
Sharing The Plate	Glenn Wootton
☐ Sung Response "For All That Is Our Life" Words: Bruce Findlow, Music: Patrick L. Rickey	Ming-Xuan Chung
☐ Congregational Song #95 "There Is More Love" Words and Music: African American Hymn	Ming-Xuan Chung
Announcements and Gratitudes	David Kristjanson
Closing Words attributed to John Murray Shawn	Rev. Shawn Gauthier
Chalice Extinguishing Words by By James Galasinski	David Kristjanson
☐ "Carry the Flame"	Ming-Xuan Chung
I Postlude	Ming-Xuan Chung

Please join us after the service today for our monthly Soup Lunch on the Lower Level Suggested donation is \$5 or what you can. Newcomers please be our Guest.

We invite you to join us for Coffee Hour after the service for fellowship and conversation.

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

Sapperton Hall: Please join us on the Lower Level for our monthly Soup Lunch

Next Service: Sunday, May 4 @ 10:30 am
"You Are Contagious - A Celebration of Joy"

Special Musical Guests 'Quayside Voices'

Join us on Sunday for a joyful and inspiring service with a lively and engaging TEDx talk called "You Are Contagious" by Vanessa Van Edwards, exploring how our emotions and energy affect those around us—and how joy truly is contagious! Adding to the celebration, we welcome guest performers Quayside Voices, an a cappella quintet from New Westminster. With uplifting pop songs and opportunities to sing along, they'll help us tap into the spirit of joy through music and community. Whether you're a regular or a first-time visitor, we invite you to bring your voice, your curiosity, and your smile as we share in this unique experience together.

Supporting Today's Service

Guest Speaker Rev. Shawn Gauthier

Service Leaders Glenn Wootton, David Kristjanson

Pianist and Song Leader Ming-Xuan Chung In-Person Greeters Jane Day, Judy Villett

Newcomer Hosts Marilyn Medén, John Hagen Counters/Collectors Dan Theal, John Hagen

Sapperton Coffee Host Karen Greenland Audio Visual Technician Tyler Ewasiuk

Camera operator Deepak Sahasrabudhe

Zoom Greeter/Service Assistant Laura Redmond
Zoom Recording Editor Tyler Ewasiuk
Set up/Clean up All of us who can

Our Shared Ministry

Minister Rev. Meg Roberts

Lay Chaplain Janet Pivnick, Laura Redmond

Administration Support Rachael Greenland

Note from the Treasurer Beacon gratefully accepts donations via Interac e-transfer to the email below. In the message box, note if you want the funds applied to 1. Beacon Pledge 2. Minister (it will go to the Minister's discretionary fund) or 3. Sharing the Plate (half goes to Beacon, half goes to Peer Support Program - Century House. If you wish to set up a pre-authorised deposit or need help with e-transfer email treasurer@beaconunitarian.org. Please mail any cheques to: Beacon Unitarian Church/ Box 414 – 552 Clarke Road/ Coquitlam, BC V3J 0A3. Thank you for your continued support.

<u>Stay Connected!</u> We send out a weekly email called Beacon This Week that informs you of all upcoming Beacon activities. Please ask one of the Greeters to sign you up, or <u>email Rachael</u> (<u>adminsupport@beaconunitrian.org</u>)

Lunch Bunch meets online every Tuesday at noon.

Film Club meets online the 1st and 3rd Fridays of the month at 7pm

Book Club meets online the 4th Friday of the month at 7 pm

Humanist Group meets online the last Sunday of the month at 7:30 pm

For support when life is challenging, contact our Pastoral Support Team pastoralcare@beaconunitarian.org

For other Beacon programming please visit our website www.beaconunitarian.org