# **Revolutionary Love**

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Sunday, August 24, 2025

Prelude It's a Lovely Day & It's a Good Day

Gathering Music #188 Come Come Whoever You Are Lynn Unger

**Welcome and Centering** 

Call to Worship The Flames of Love Rev. Kimi Floyd Reisch

and Chalice Lighting

Wonderbox Revolutionary Love Dayna Edwards

Voice #1 Some Things Lydia Patrick

Voice #2 Radical Welcome Carol Underwood

**Anthem** You Got a Friend in Music Chris Stapleton

Voice #3 A Beautiful Challenge Jennifer McCutchen

Voice #4 I Don't Know What I am Doing Dan Kelly

Anthem One Love Lea Morris

Prayer of Co - Creation Lyn Cox

**Sharing Our Gifts** Offering shared with *Mosaic Georgia* 

Offertory I Feel The Earth Move

**Gratitudes\Call to Connection** 

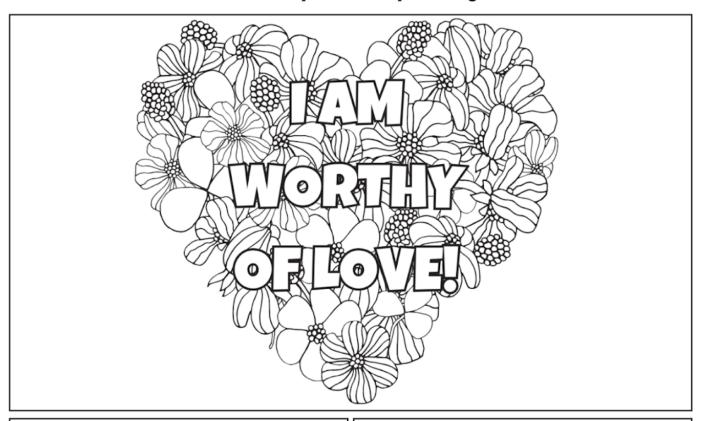
Closing Choral Reading Revolutionary Love Dayna Edwards

Closing Words Power and Love Martin Luther King Jr.

**Extinguishing Our Chalice** Elizabeth Selle Jones (adapted)



### **UUCG Beyond Sunday Morning**



#### **UU Values**

As Unitarian Universalists, we draw from our heritages of freedom, reason, hope, and courage, building six values with Love at the center. Inseparable from one another, these shared values are:

**Interdependence:** We honor the interdependent web of all existence.

**Pluralism:** We celebrate that we are all sacred beings, diverse in culture, experience, and theology.

**Justice:** We work to be diverse multicultural Beloved Communities where all thrive.

**Transformation:** We adapt to the changing world.

**Generosity:** We cultivate a spirit of gratitude and hope.

**Equity:** We declare that every person is inherently worthy and has the right to flourish with dignity, love, and compassion.





#### **Events This Week**

\* in-person + online ~ off-site

\*+ Today at 12:30pm: No Programming

~ Tue., Aug. 26 at 7:00pm: Choir Rehearsal

+ Wed., Aug. 27 at 7:00pm: Book Group

\* Thur., Aug. 28 at 6:30pm: Canceled-Music Night

## A Brief History of Pride

The first Pride parade was held on June 28, 1970. It went from Greenwich Village in NY to Central Park, which is 51 blocks. Between 3 and 5 thousand people turned out. Ever since, Pride Month has been celebrated in June.

The term Pride was coined in 1970 by activist Craig Schoonmaker, who in a 2015 interview said "There's very little chance for people in the world to have power... But anyone can have pride in themselves, and that would make them happier as people, and produce the movement likely to produce change."

Why do we celebrate Pride? Because we still live in a country where queer people are shamed for being who they are. It is a public example that self-love and community acceptance are powerful bridges toward liberation. - excerpt from "Pride Month: A History of Resistance" on thetaskforce.org