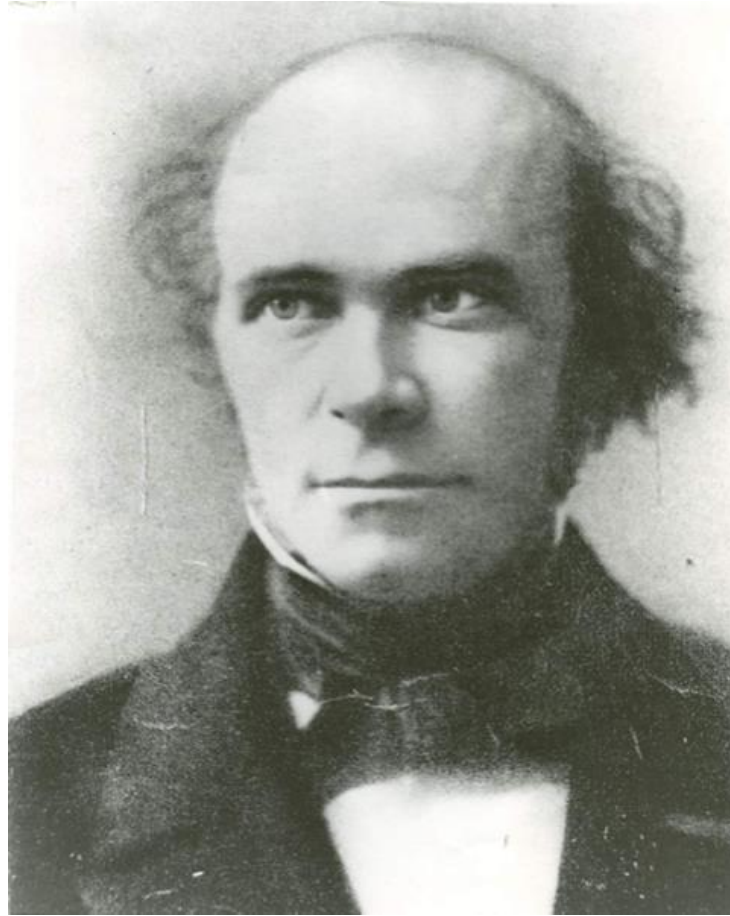


meeting on unceded, traditional x^wməθkwəyəm (Musqueam) land



*Theodore Parker (August 24, 1810 – May 10, 1860)**

Transient and Permanent

Rev. Lara Cowtan

In-person and live streamed from the UCV Sanctuary – March 19, 2023



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TODAY AT UCV

9 am: Chalice Choir rehearsal (Fireside)

10 am: Meditation Group (Meditation Room)

11 am: Sunday Service (Sanctuary)

11:15 am: Children's Group & Crossing Paths (Fireside & Lindsey-Priestley)

12:30 pm: Board Forum (Sanctuary)

12:30 pm: Gardening Orientation (UCV grounds)

1 pm: UCV yUUth (Hitschmanova)

2:30 pm: Vancouver Chinese Choir – External Rental (Sanctuary)

Please consider signing up for our Weekly and Monthly Bulletins at www.vancouverunitarians.ca/newsletter for a full accounting of UCV community events and announcements!

WANT TO LIGHT A CANDLE?

Silent candles can be lit anytime at the front of the Sanctuary. Community Candles are read from the book of Joys & Concerns in the Foyer and from the Live Chat on YouTube during the service. Requests for candles can also be submitted in advance at <https://ucv.im/candles> (before 9am Sunday).

TODAY'S OUTREACH OPPORTUNITIES FUND RECIPIENT

From March to June, 2023, our Outreach Opportunities Fund recipient will be the [HomeStart Foundation](#). This organization provides free furniture to help families in need. The UCV Refugee Team has used HomeStart to help furnish apartments for recent refugees. Homestart can also benefit the UCV congregation by providing our members with an economical means for down-sizers to donate unwanted furniture. Homestart charges donors a reasonable \$75 to have 2 people come to a location in their serving area and pick up donated items which are taken to their warehouse for redistribution to those in need. Please donate cash, use tap-to-pay or consider making an e-transfer to payments@vancouverunitarians.ca and type OOF in the message box.



CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP: 11:00AM, MARCH 19, 2023

Prelude	<i>God's Song (instrumental)</i> <i>Holy Now</i>	By Randy Newman By Peter Mayer Elliott Dainow, piano
Invocation	<i>Come and Find the Quiet Centre</i>	Words by S. E. Murray Tune: Beech Spring With the Chalice Choir
Welcoming		Rev. Lara Cowtan
Kindling the Chalice Flame		Rev. Lara Cowtan
Board Minute		Karin Hall
Opening Words		Rev. Lara Cowtan
Hymn #123	<i>Spirit of Life</i>	
Wisdom Story	<i>The Rabbit Listened</i>	By Cori Doerrfeld Read by Kiersten Moore
Community Candles		
Meditation, Spoken then Silent		Rev. Lara Cowtan
Musical Response	<i>I am Willing</i>	By H. Near, arr. S. Milloy With the Chalice Choir
Sermon	<i>Transient and Permanent</i>	Rev. Lara Cowtan
Hymn #145	<i>As Tranquil Streams</i>	

Offering, Affirmation of Gratitude, and Outreach Opportunities Fund Presentation

We continue to support the work of this congregation and our outreach opportunities recipient through an online offering. You may use **text-to-give** now (Simply text an amount to 778-771-1707 to get started today, or visit <http://ucv.im/give> for more information!) or **donate online** through our secure Breeze interface.

Benediction & Extinguishing the Chalice Flame		Rev. Lara Cowtan
Valediction	<i>Carry the flame of peace and love, until we meet again</i> <i>Carry the flame of peace and love, until we meet again</i>	

UCV MINISTER & STAFF

INTERIM MINISTER	Rev. Lara Cowtan
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TECH DIRECTOR	Christian Malcolm
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LAY CHAPLAINS	Laureen Stokes, Cheryl Amundsen, Louise Bunn
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THE FLOWERS THIS WEEK HAVE BEEN PROVIDED BY NAOMI TAYLOR.

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