

meeting on unceded, traditional xʷməθkwəy̓əm (Musqueam) land



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To Whom it May Concern: On Learning to Pray

Rev. Lara Cowtan

In-person and live streamed from the UCV Sanctuary – November 20, 2022



Regular Office Hours: Monday to Thursday, 9:30 am to 2 pm

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TODAY AT UCV

9:00 am: Lay Chaplain Committee (Family Room)

9:00 am: Chalice Choir rehearsal (Fireside)

10:00 am: Meditation Group (Meditation Room)

11:00 am: Sunday Service (Sanctuary)

12:30 pm: Doctrine of Discovery Forum (Sanctuary)

12:30 pm: New Connections (Lindsey Priestley)

1 pm: UCV Youth (Hitschmanova)

2:30 pm: External rental (Sanctuary/Hall [at 6pm])

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

Our Outreach Opportunities Fund Recipient this week will be the Overdose Prevention Society. The mandate of the Overdose Prevention Society (OPS) is to be leaders in the harm reduction movement with a continual push for change and justice, offer employment and advancement opportunities for members of the Downtown Eastside community, and continually work to break the stigma of addiction through empowering drug users and fighting against preconceptions of substance use.



Please watch this informative interview with Sarah Blyth, Executive Director and other OPS staff. <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=TF7pn6nRxgo>

CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP: 11:00AM NOVEMBER 20, 2022

Prelude *Apres un Reve* Faure
En Priere Faure
Elliott Dainow, piano &
Richard Theiss, accordion

Board Minute Ingrid Luters

Opening Words & Chalice Lighting Rev. Lara Cowtan

Hymn #38: *Morning Has Broken*

Wisdom Story *Walking with Henry* By Thomas Locker, told by
Kiersten Moore

Let's sing the children out... "Go now in peace..."

Community Candles Cheryl Amundsen

Meditation – Spoken, then Silent Rev. Lara Cowtan

Musical Response *The Prayer* David Foster & C.B. Sager
Elliott Dainow, piano &
Richard Theiss, accordion

Sermon *To Whom it May Concern: on Learning
to Pray* Rev. Lara Cowtan

Hymn #128: *For All That is Our Life*

Offering and Affirmation of Gratitude

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 *Carry the flame of peace and love, until we meet again*
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UCV MINISTER & STAFF

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Laureen Stokes, Cheryl Amundsen,

Louise Bunn

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Rev. Dr. Steven Epperson

THE FLOWERS THIS WEEK HAVE BEEN PROVIDED BY NAOMI TAYLOR.

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