

UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST SOCIETY
OF GRAFTON AND UPTON
November 13th, 2022

Grounding Your Life in the Heart
with Guest in the Pulpit Maddie Makara



UUSGU Mission Statement:
Spark the spirit and the mind.
Kindle loving community.
Ignite social justice in the world.

Unitarian Universalist Society of Grafton and Upton

Sunday, November 13th, 2022

Today's flowers are given by Holly and Morgan Utzig in celebration of
Lisa Utzig's birthday.

Community Music

Lisa Utzig

Call to Worship

Maddie Makara

Prelude

"The Earth is our Mother"

Performed by Diana Daugherty, Patty Byler, Susan West, Alison Snyder, Caroline Scott, Howard Kauffman

Welcome

MB DeKara

Chalice Lighting

(see blue music card in pew pocket)

Hymn

Lisa Utzig

"We Sing Of Golden Mornings" #44 in *Singing the Living Tradition*

A Time For All Ages

Cherilyn Reno

"Maybe: A Story About the Endless Potential in All of Us"

Written by Kobi Yamada

Narration by Stella Anderson, Director of Spiritual Growth and Development at First UU
Congregation of Ann Arbor

RE Recessional *"On Your Way"* by J. Livingston

Go with wisdom, go with wonder

go to meet a brand new day.

Learn to seek the light within you

as we send you on your way.

Sharing of Joys and Sorrows

MB DeKara

Prayer

Maddie Makara

***Hymn of the Month**

Lisa Utzig

“For the Beauty of the Earth” #21 in Singing the Living Tradition

Reading

Maddie Makara

“Wild Geese” by Mary Oliver

Sermon

Maddie Makara

Invitation to Generosity

MB DeKara

Our Share the Plate: Union of Concerned Scientists

The Union of Concerned Scientists is a national nonprofit organization founded over 50 years ago by scientists and students at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. They are approximately 250 scientists, analysts, policy experts and strategic communicators dedicated to the use of rigorous, independent science to solve our planet’s most pressing problems. Joining with people across the country, they combine technical analysis and effective advocacy to create innovative, practical solutions for a healthy, safe, and sustainable future.

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Offertory Music

Maddie Makara

“Gentle Arms of Eden” by Dave Carter

*** Invitation**

Maddie Makara

*** Extinguishing the Chalice**

(see blue music card in pew pocket)

*** Benediction**

Postlude

Lisa Utzig

**Please rise in body or spirit*

Events Calendar

Today, Sunday, November 13th

10:00am Worship Service

Coming this Week:

Sunday, November 13th

- 3:30pm Brownie Troop 64695

Tuesday, November 15th

- 6:30pm AA
- 7:30pm Adult Covenant Group
 - Contact Donna Maria Cameron at camerondonnamaria@gmail.com

Wednesday, November 16th

- 6:00pm Bell Choir
 - Contact Cherilyn Reno at dre@uusgu.org
- 7:00pm Choir Rehearsal
 - Contact Lisa Utzig at Lisa@uusgu.org

Thursday, November 17th

- 2:00pm Circle of Sisters
 - Contact Bernadette Warwick at bj.warwick@verizon.net
- 6:30pm UU Mass Regional Team Meeting
 - Contact Joann at admin@uusgu.org
- 7:30pm Men's Group
 - Contact Dave Nichols at nicholsdavid0@gmail.com

For information on future events please see the Church calendar at UUSGU.org

A Place to Create:

Use this space to brainstorm with words or symbols what grounding your life in heart looks like to you? How do physical properties of the Earth help in this grounding process?

UUSGU celebrates and supports all people regardless of age, race, marital status, gender identity, sexual orientation, class, ability, language, nationality, or cultural background.

UUSGU Staff:

Rev. Daniel Gregoire

Director of Religious Exploration - Cherilyn Reno

Music Director - Lisa Utzig

Thank you to today's volunteers:

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Kevin Hayes, Justin Clark, Barry Hall, and David Van Zandt

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