

**Order of Service – May 2, 2021 Unitarian Universalist Church West
“Desire, Sacrifice, and Celebration: EarthSpirit Beltane”
with the Rev. Suzelle Lynch and the EarthSpirit Team**

1. **Prelude** – “I Hear a Rhapsody” by G. Fragos, J. Baker and D. Gasparre; performed by Rupen Piirainen, Music Director
2. **Greeting and Invocation** – Kathy Bradshaw and Eddee Daniel
3. **Calling Directions – Lighting Chalice – Creating the Circle** – YRUU: Nico Schudson, Charlie Peters, Lily Wergin, Spencer Harris, Gillian Frey
4. **Unifying Song** – “We are the Flow, We are the Ebb, We are the Weavers, We are the Web.” Performed by Rev. Suzelle Lynch
5. **Welcome** – Marilyn Kupka and Rev. Suzelle
6. **The Beltane Flowers** – Kathy Bradshaw
 7. **Beltane Song** – by Ruben Piirainen, Music Director, and the UUCW Choir
 8. **Lusty Energy** – Rev. Suzelle
- Story** – “**The Bean Woman**” read by Melissa Musante and Steven White
9. **Creative Prayers** – Prayer Sticks with Rev. Suzelle
10. **All in Good Time** –by Alexa Sunshine Rose; into by Eddee Daniel; dancer, Nicole Grandstrand; music by members of UUCW Kaleidoscope band.
11. **Sacrifice – Taking Sacred Action** - Marilyn Kupka
12. **Song - “Earth Teach Me”** written by Rev. Lynch; performed by Jennifer Nicolosi and Rev. Suzelle
13. **The Earth Pledge** – by Foundation Earth; read by Eddee Daniel
14. **Offering Words and Offertory** – Kathy Herrewig, Chair of the Split the Plate Committee

Our Split the Plate partner organization for May is the Milwaukee Jewish Free Loan Association.
15. **Choir Music** – “**Standing Like a Tree**” words and melody unknown; arranged by Ruben Piirainen; performed by Ruben Piirainen and the UUCW Choir
16. **What are YOU Celebrating this Season?** – Litany of seasonal blessings by Patricia Montley (adapted); read by the Rev. Suzelle Lynch and Rev. Denise Cawley
17. **Brief Closing Thoughts** – Rev. Suzelle
18. **Releasing the Circle** – YRUU
19. **Grounding the Energy** – Kathy Bradshaw
20. **Postlude** – “Presto” by L. van Beethoven; performed by Ruben Piirainen

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