

River of Grass UU Congregation

March 13, 2022 – 10:30 am

Holding History - The Roots of Memory

Remembering who we want to be is tied up with remembering where we've come from. Holding on to our roots keeps us rooted. It also keeps us connected to gratitude and humility. To remember where you've come from is to remember that you didn't create yourself or earn your successes all on your own. Remembering where you've come from is also a way to celebrate your uniqueness. This Sunday, the Moonlight Owls Covenant Group will expand, through memory and verse, their roots, their families, their experiences, the unique roots that made them who they are. Please join us for this unique trip through memories and a new way to hold personal history.

Come as you are to gather with us for this Sunday's love-streamed service, remembering only the medium is virtual; the connections, the love, the spirit are real. Following the service, we will share virtual Hospitality time with a live chat and small groups where we can relish each other's beautiful faces and voices together once again.

Follow the link below to join us in Zoom – or if you'd like, we'll be simulcasting on our Facebook page at <https://www.facebook.com/riverofgrassuu/>. Tune in there for the service, then log onto our Zoom link for hospitality time afterward.

We welcome you on Sunday morning at 10:30. Come a bit before and we can Chat prior to the service... See you then!

Virtually at:

Topic: Worship March 13, 2022

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://zoom.us/j/961564350?pwd=cFpKY2RtRk4wVE5NbDczdTU5THViQT09>

Meeting ID: 961 564 350; Password: 873805

Find your local number: <https://zoom.us/u/ab3E9JRtb9>

Moonlight Owls Covenant Group

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River of Grass – March 13, 2022 – Order of Service

Oh, Let Us Gather

Welcome

Reading / Call to Worship

Theme Hymn – “We Are Building a New Way” Words & Music: Martha Sandefer

Chalice Lighting

*We light this flame this day
Prayerful that the gifts we bring
to this one moment of all time
may be instruments of healing
for ourselves, for one another, and for our world. (Webb)*

Covenant

*Love is the spirit of this congregation and service is its law.
This is our great covenant:
to dwell together in peace, to seek the truth in love, and to help one another.
El Amor es el espíritu de esta congregación, y el servicio su ley principal.
Esta es nuestra gran promesa:
vivir juntos en paz, buscar la verdad a través del amor, y ayudarnos mutuamente.*

Music Hymn – “On Holy Ground” Words & Music: Rev. Amy Carol Webb

Candles of Community

Pastoral Response

Announcements

8th Principle Testimony

Wisdom Story – “Kids Meet a 101 year old...”

Message – Holding History - The Roots of Memory - Moonlight Owls Covenant Group (Peter Fox, Kathy Jens-Rochow, Pam Kelner, Rita Cherubini, Eva Ainsley)

Music Hymn – “Everything Possible” Words & Music: Rev. Fred Small; Performed by the Boston Gay Men’s Chorus

Offering – Give digitally and via text: <https://riverofgrassuu.org/donations.html>

Closing Words

Extinguish Chalice

Carry the Flame

Hospitality Connection