River of Grass UU Congregation

March 24, 2024 - 10:30 AM

Awakenings Reveal the Path

How many times have you discovered yourself and taken a road unintended? Or, opened yourself up to opportunities because of just where you were in life. Our speaker, Andrew Meit, will present his journey of challenges and aspirations.

Gather with us as we begin March's theme of "Awakening" this Sunday at 10:30! – either in person at the Old Davie Schoolhouse Heritage Hall or virtually on Zoom. Come a bit before and we can Chat before the service... See you then!

In person at:

- Our Sunday morning rental space is located at the Old Davie Schoolhouse
- 6650 Griffin Road, Davie, FL 33314 (Click for Directions)
- Service will begin at <u>10:30 AM</u>
- Childcare will be provided.

Use the Zoom link below to gather with us virtually in Zoom. Catch us on Facebook live on our <u>Facebook page</u>.

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

Andrew Meit

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Prelude - Performed by: Cecilia Roy, piano

Welcome – Andy Perez

Call to Worship – "The Power of Love" Written by: Rebbe Nachman

Theme Hymn #396 - "I Know This Rose Will Open" Words & Music: Mary E. Grigolia; Performed by:

River of Grass choir; Theo Lucas, Director

Chalice Lighting

Awaken in me...

A sense of wonder

A hope for renewal

A faith based in Love

Awaken in me...

The fire of commitment

The flame of truth

And the willingness to lead the way.

Awaken in me...

An understanding

That we are what we are

That we are perfect in our present form

Just Awaken me

To all the possibilities

My Soul yearns for

And the Need to connect with You. (Andrea Perez)

Covenant

In the light of love, let us renew our covenant as we say together:

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.

Deepening Music – Performed by: Cecilia Roy, piano

Candles of Community

Stones of Reflection

Pastoral Response

Sung Response Music #371, text #381 — Music: Genevan Psalter, 1551; Words: Composite Based on Isaac Watts, 1674-1748

Heritage and Hope – Dorothea Dix and Rebekah Taussig

Offering – Sunday Plate Donation

Offering Music #1012 – "When I Am Frightened" Words & Music: Shelley Jackson Denham; Performed by: Cecilia Roy, piano

APD Testimonial – Geri Mikulski and Stewardship Team

Wisdom Story – "Maybe" Written by Kobi Yamada; Illustrated by Gabriella Barouch; Read by: Andy Perez

Singing Youth to Class – "We Love You and Bless You" Words & Music: Rev. Amy Carol Webb **Message** – "Awakenings Reveal the Path" Andrew Meit

Music – "The River" Words & Music: Coco Love Alcorn; Performed by: River of Grass choir; Theo Lucas, Director; Cecilia Roy, piano

Closing Music - Performed by: Cecilia Roy, piano

Announcements
Closing Words
Extinguish Chalice
Shine On
Invite to Hospitality
Music Reprise