

# Keweenaw Unitarian Universalist Fellowship



A Member of the Unitarian Universalist Association of Congregations  
A Welcoming Congregation

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**Next Sunday:**

**Sunday, August 27, 2017, 10:30 a.m.**

“Staying in Covenant:

A Reexamination of the Empowerment Crisis”

The Reverend Chris Rothbauer

*The Keweenaw Unitarian Universalist Fellowship is a Welcoming Congregation of people of diverse religious and spiritual beliefs. We foster the free exchange and exploration of ideas in a supportive atmosphere of mutual acceptance and friendship. We believe in encouraging justice, equality, compassion and growth for all humankind and responsible stewardship of our environment.*

## Regular Activities

**Tea with the Minister:** Drop in at KUUF office every Thursday 5:00-6:00 pm and Friday 9:00 to 10:00 am.

**Kaffeeklatsch:** Every 2nd & 4th Thursday, 10:00 am, varying locations (look for Digest announcement)

**Green Sanctuary Book Group:** Last Tuesday of the month, 7 pm, KUUF Office

**Caregivers Support Group:** Meets at KUUF office, contact Barry Fink, 482-4632, regarding meeting times

**Open Meditation:** Every Friday at noon at the KUUF Office.

**Youth Group:** Third Sunday 6:00 pm. at the KUUF Office.

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**August 20, 2017**

“Radical Worth and Dignity”

**Service Leader:** The Reverend Chris Rothbauer

**Music:** Alex Frazier, Pianist, Sandra Loy and Chuck Young, Guitarists, and the KUUF Choir

**Services:** Sunday, 10:30 a.m.

BHK Child Development Center, 700 Park Ave., Houghton, MI 49931

**Religious Education:** 10:30 a.m. (September - June)



*We are grateful for our hospitality volunteers this morning!*

*We are a welcoming congregation, intentionally inclusive of all persons, regardless of race; ethnicity; age; sexual, affectional, and romantic orientation; gender identity and expression; social and economic class; and physical and mental ability. No matter where you are on your spiritual journey, you are welcome here!*

**August 20, 2017**  
**“Radical Worth and Dignity”**

~ **Entering** ~

**Ringing of the Bell**

**Welcome**

**Prelude** “This Little Light of Mine” (African-American spiritual) KUUF Choir

**Chalice Lighting** *Words by Steve Stock*

**Hymn\*** “Come, Come, Whoever You Are” #188

**Call to Worship** *Words by Richard S. Gilbert* Rev. Chris Rothbauer

~ **Connecting** ~

**Moment for All Ages** Rev. Chris

*Not Your Typical Dragon* by Dan Bar-el and Tim Bowers

**Children’s Recessional** (*sung in unison*)

(*Adapted from Natalie Sleeth*)

Go now in peace, go now in peace;  
May the Spirit of Love surround you,  
Everywhere, everywhere, you may go.

**Joys and Concerns**

**Moment of Prayer and Meditation** (*sung in unison*)

(*Perkins/Peck*)

Oh, we give thanks for this precious day,  
For all gathered here, and those far away;  
For this time we share with love and care,  
Oh, we give thanks for this precious day.

**Invitation to Generosity**

*Today’s offering goes to support the programs of our  
fellowship. We are grateful for your generosity.*

**Offertory**

Alex Frazier

~ **Exploring** ~

**Reading** “A Person is a Puzzle” by Mark Mosher DeWolfe

**Response** “How Could Anyone” #1053

**Sermon** “Radical Worth and Dignity” Rev. Chris

**Music for Meditation**

Alex

**Congregational Conversation**

~ **Returning** ~

**Hymn\*** “Answering the Call of Love” #1014

**Extinguishing the Chalice\*** *Words by Elizabeth Selle Jones* Rev. Chris

**Closing Words\*** *Words by Andrea Hawkins-Kamper* Rev. Chris

**Recessional\*** (*sung in unison*)

Let us stand in celebration of life’s boundless mystery,  
Then in peace and love and courage may our hearts and  
minds be free.

**Benediction\*** *Words by Dawn Skjei Cooley* Rev. Chris

**Postlude** Sandra Loy and Chuck Young

**\*Please rise in body or spirit as you’re willing and able.**