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Our Vision

We envision Pacific Unitarian as a recognized leading spiritual community seeking to grow, connect, transform, and heal.

Our Mission

We gather as a welcoming, progressive congregation where all are free to seek truth and meaning. We put our UU principles into practice by nurturing the spirit, creating community and working for justice in the world.

Our Values

Interdependence

We honor the interdependent web of all existence. With reverence for the great web of life and with humility, we acknowledge our place in it.

Pluralism

We celebrate that we are all sacred beings, diverse in culture, experience, and theology.

Justice

We work to be diverse multicultural Beloved Communities where all thrive.

Transformation

We adapt to the changing world.

Generosity

We cultivate a spirit of gratitude and hope.

Equity

We declare that every person has the right to flourish with inherent dignity and worthiness.

Pacific Unitarian Universalist Church

Biophilia

Connecting with Nature



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Childcare is available during the service.
Please see a greeter for assistance.

Sunday, April 6, 2024, at 10:30 am

Prelude	Dr. Severin Behnen, PUC Music Director
Welcome & Announcements	Tracey Blender, Worship Associate
Chalice Lighting	Tracey Blender
Opening Words	Pastor Joshua Berg's Office Plant
Opening Hymn*	#21 "For the Beauty of the Earth"
Moment for All Ages	Professor Robin Arehart
Singing Out the Children	#413 "Go Now in Peace"
Go now in peace. Go now in peace. May the love of God surround you everywhere, everywhere you may go.	
Candles of Joy and Sorrow	Tracey Blender
Prayer/Meditation	Campus Leaves
Musical Meditation	Dr. Severin Behnen
Reading	From <i>The Sacred Depths of Nature</i> by Ursula Goodenough Pastor Joshua Berg and a Stick

**The congregation is invited to rise in body or spirit.
Please silence cell phones and other electronic devices.
A Hearing Assistance System and printed copies of the service are
available. Please see an usher for assistance.*

Centering Hymn	#15, "The Lone Wild Bird"
Reflection	"Biophilia" Pastor Joshua Berg and Nature
Offertory	Tracey Blender

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Musical Offertory	"Ombra Mai Fu" ("Never Was a Shade") by George Frideric Handel Spirit of Life Choir
Closing Hymn*	#175 "We Celebrate the Web of Life"
Extinguishing the Chalice	Tracey Blender & Pastor Joshua Berg
Postlude**	"Turn! Turn! Turn!" by Pete Seeger Spirit of Life Choir

***Please remain seated until the postlude concludes in consideration of
the musicians and those staying to listen. If you prefer not to stay, please
exit before the postlude begins.*