

**We welcome everyone. Our Unitarian Universalist community seeks truth and deeper meaning, pursues justice through inspired action, and cultivates compassion and love for all connected by the web of life. *Mission statement, adopted May 18, 2014***

#### **Programs for Children and Youth:**

##### **Sunday, April 13th:**

Join us in Community Hall at 10:00 AM for the multigenerational service "Seeing One Another Clearly", be sure to pick up an Interactive Order of Service on the way in.

Child Care (Nursery/Toddler) opens for drop off at 9:45, other age-based groups will not be meeting so everyone can go to service.

##### **Next Sunday, April 20th:**

After the story in service, there will be a combined age group session for Prek 4-Grade 12.

Child Care (Nursery/Toddler) opens for drop off at 9:45.

If you are visiting or new to Albany UU, please accompany your child/children to their group to leave contact info with our volunteers. Registration forms are available in the lobby if you'd like to sign up.

**Pickup is at 11:15**, except for high school age kids who are released on their own.

Interested in helping out? Questions about the program? Email Elizabeth Baldes, Director of Programs for Children & Youth, at [ebaldes@albanyuu.org](mailto:ebaldes@albanyuu.org).

#### **Unitarian Universalist Article II Value for April**

**Transformation.** We adapt to the changing world. We covenant to collectively transform and grow spiritually and ethically. Openness to change is fundamental to our Unitarian and Universalist heritages, never complete and never perfect.

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#### **Albany Unitarian Universalist**

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# **To See One Another Clearly**

Rev. Ann Kadlecsek



## **Albany Unitarian Universalist**

Sunday, April 13, 2025

10:00 AM

# To See One Another Clearly

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**Gathering Music** Chris Milkins, Pianist

**Announcements** Debbie Brown, Worship Associate

**Auction Testimonial** Randy Rosette

**Coffee Hour Connection** Green Sanctuary Team

**Ringing of the Chime** Debbie Brown

**Welcome**

**Congregational Greeting**

**Prelude** *Beyond Ourselves* Albany UU Choir  
Olga Martinez, Director of Music Ministry

Music by Lee Dengler  
Words by Susan Naus & Lee Dengler

**Call to Community** Rev. Ann Kadlecek

**Opening Hymn** #345 *With Joy We Claim the Growing Light*

**Chalice Lighting** The Milkins Family

*We light this chalice  
For the growing light,  
The widening view,  
And the power of change,  
Within each of us  
And all of us.*

**Activity** *Optical Illusions* Rev. Ann Kadlecek & Adrian Cattell,  
Lead Youth Group Advisor

**Joys and Sorrows** Donna Meixner & Sharon Babala

**Sung Response** #123 *Spirit of Life*

**Offering** Debbie Brown

**Offertory** Chris Milkins

**Reading** *Two Windows* Rev. Ann Kadlecek & Adrian Cattell  
A retelling of a Hans Christian Anderson story

**Sermon** Rev. Ann Kadlecek

**Anthem** *Connected* Albany UU Choir  
Music & Words by Brian Tate (adapted)

**Benediction** Rev. Ann Kadlecek

**Chalice Extinguishing** The Milkins Family

*We extinguish this flame but not the light of truth  
The warmth of community, or the fire of commitment.  
These we carry in our hearts until we are together again.*

Flowers for this service were donated by Patricia Bailey.  
~ In memory of Winifred I. and Wilbur J. Brown, long-time  
Unitarians and parents of Patricia Bailey and Peter Brown. ~

Musicians and other service leaders are grateful for your appreciation.  
However, we ask that you refrain from audible applause during the service.  
Thank you!