

# ORDER OF WORSHIP

Sunday, January 13, 2018 9:15 & 11:30 AM

## GATHERING

\*Hymn & Invocation *Call Down a Blessing*  
Rev. Kellie Walker Hart, Minister of Music; Jill Khaleghi, Collaborative Pianist  
Chalice Lighting  
*We kindle this flame, symbol of our faith, for the light of truth, the warmth of  
community, and the fire of love which calls us to work for justice.*  
Welcome Melanie Cloonan-Schule, Worship Associate  
\*Hymn #131 *Love Will Guide Us*

## OFFERING

Offertory Words Melanie  
Offertory Music *Find a Stillness* (Cliff Hardin) Jill  
Children's Offering

## TIME FOR ALL AGES

Message Marci Beaudoin, Director of Faith Formation  
\*Bridge of Love *All I Really Need*

## CENTERING

Hymn #205 *Amazing Grace*  
Pastoral Prayer/Meditation Melanie  
Special Music *Grace* (Elizabeth Alexander) Beth Wyman, soloist

## THEME

Sermon *Goodness, Grace, & Wrestling with God:  
The search for goodness, grace, & God from the perspective of an atheist*  
Randy Galbraith, VUU Member and Guest Preacher

## BLESSINGS ON OUR WAY

\*Closing Hymn #348 *Guide My Feet*  
Extinguishing the Chalice (our usual words are below, to be read in unison):  
*Though we extinguish the chalice, our connection to each other and this  
community remains. May its light guide us this week as we  
walk the path of justice, speak words of love,  
and fill our world with compassion until we meet again.*  
Benediction Randy  
Traveling Music Jill