

“The Man, the Dream, the Movement”

January 18  10 AM

by Rev Clyde Grubbs & Mary Jane Holden



GATHERING MUSIC Lynn Biddick, piano

RINGING THE CHIMES

WELCOMING AND ANNOUNCEMENTS If you are visiting us for the first time, we're glad you're here! Visit uulacrosse.org/connect to tell us about yourself.

OPENING SONG STJ #1040 “Hush” Video by Unitarian Universalist Church Utica

CHALICE LIGHTING “The Promise and the Practice” by Rebekah Savage

We light our flaming chalice as a beloved people united in love and thirsting for restorative justice. May it melt away the tethers that uphold whiteness in our midst. May it spark in us a spirit of humility. May it ignite in us radical love that transforms our energy into purposeful action. This is a chalice of audacious hope. This chalice shines a light on our shared past, signaling our intention to listen deeply, reflect wisely, and move boldly toward our highest ideals.

GREET YOUR NEIGHBOR

TIME FOR ALL AGES “Let the Children March” by Monica Clark-Robinson. Read by Carmen Golay.

Youth invited to go to RE Activities as congregation sings STLT #168 “One More Step”: One more step, / we will take one more step, / 'til there is peace for us and everyone, / we'll take one more step.

COVENANT

We are a caring community that inspires, nurtures, and empowers one another.

With trust, respect, and compassion, we strive to listen deeply, communicate clearly, and act with love toward one another, our community, and the world.

PRESENTATION “The Man, the Dream, the Movement” by Rev Clyde Grubbs and Mary Jane Holden featuring Sly Sullivan, Lynn Biddick, Ryan O’Hern, Julie Chamberlain, Kristie Neve, Amber Miller-Adamany, and Amanda Strosahl.

PART 1: Second-Class Status

SHARING OF JOYS AND SORROWS

MEDITATION “The Promise and the Practice” by Viola Abbott

CONGREGATIONAL SONG STLT #95 “There Is More Love Somewhere” Lynn Biddick, piano.

PART 2: Rosa Parks

Music: “We Shall Not Be Moved” by Pete Seeger. Lynn Biddick, piano

PART 3: Martin Luther King, Jr. and His Dream

Music: “We Shall Overcome” Lynn Biddick, piano

OFFERTORY Visit uulacrosse.org/waystogive to make pledge payments or contributions to our general fund and/or special collection. This month’s special collection is St. Clare Health Mission.

PART 4: The Movement

CLOSING SONG STLT #149 “Lift Ev’ry Voice and Sing” Lynn Biddick, piano.

CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE

CLOSING WORDS AND CHALICE EXTINGUISHING “Fitted for This Day” by Rev. Kimberly Johnson

POSTLUDE Lynn Biddick, piano

COFFEE AND CONVERSATION

Join us Next Sunday at 10 AM

“Reverence: The Twin Sister of Justice”
with
Tom Thibodeau