

The Power of Play

Sunday, June 6, 2021 — 10:00 am

CENTERING THOUGHT —

St. Paul proclaimed himself a 'fool for Christ.' Jews honor the Sabbath, that time to stop working and to take pleasure in life. Hindus say that the universe was created as 'lila,' divine play. ... Muslim Sufis teach through jokes about Mulla Nasruddin, a laughable sage/fool. Native Americans celebrate bawdy trickster-figures. Buddhists practice meditative games of breathing, attention, and joyful presence. Zen teachers poke fun at dogma, as in master Feng's pronouncement: 'The Buddha is a bullheaded jail keeper, and the Patriarchs are horse-faced old maids!'

— Drew Leder

GATHERING MUSIC

Sing Sing Sing Benny Goodman
Super Mario Brothers Theme 4 Stud

PRELUDE

Jungle Gym Jack Johnson, feat. G-love

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Kristin Parrish, UCC Board Member

CALL TO WORSHIP

with words of E. B. White

SOUNDING THE BELL

The Rev. Paige Getty

HYMN #1000

Morning Has Come (verses 1 and 2)

CHALICE LIGHTING

"We All Are Playing" by Rev. Scott Tayler

CONGREGATIONAL COVENANT

GREET YOUR NEIGHBORS

TIME FOR ALL AGES

Miss Mary Mack

Robin Slaw,
Director of Religious Education

OFFERING OF GIFTS & MUSIC

The Entertainer

Scott Joplin

Jeremy Rea, piano

To contribute remotely, text the word CHALICE to 73256
or visit uucolumbia.net/giving.

REFLECTION

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WE PLAY

Lisa Schlossnagle

Carol Zika

HOW DO YOU PLAY?

HYMN #346

Come Sing a Song with Me (verses 1 and 3)

SHARING JOYS & SORROWS

Send yours to JoysAndSorrows@uucolumbia.net.

CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER & REFLECTION

MUSIC MEDITATION

"Faith", Op. 102, No.6

Felix Mendelssohn

CLOSING WORDS

"All This Talk of Saving Souls" by Linda M. Underwood

EXTINGUISHING THE CHALICE

POSTLUDE

Happy

Pharrell Williams

Sir Duke

Stevie Wonder

I Got You (I Feel Good)

James Brown

Next Sunday's Worship: June 13 – 10am Eastern

Pride Service

With joy and conviction and determination, we celebrate LGBTQ+ Pride Month!

THE WEEK AHEAD

For information about each event visit the online calendar at
uucolumbia.net/calendar

June 6	Sunday	10:00 am	Worship Service
		After Service	Coffee Hour
		11:30 am	Young Adult Brunch
		11:30 am	The EnROADS Climate Workshop
		2:00 pm	YRUU attends HoCo Teen Interfaith Initiative
		6:30 pm	Annual Meeting
June 7	Monday	<i>Please note: No more Chair Yoga until the fall</i>	
		1:00 pm	Senior Support Group
June 8	Tuesday	6:30 pm	Tuesday Night Group Meditation
June 9	Wednesday	7:00 pm	Wednesday Listening Circle
June 10	Thursday	4:00 pm	Thursday Afternoon Men's Reflection Group
		7:00 pm	Chalice Choir Check-In
June 11	Friday	Jubilee Three Anti-Racism Training	
June 12	Saturday	Jubilee Three Anti-Racism Training	
		1:00 pm	Technical Run-Through of Worship
June 13	Sunday	Jubilee Three Anti-Racism Training	
		10:00 am	Worship Service
		After Service	Coffee Hour
		11:30 am	Young Adult Brunch
		4:00 pm	Black Lives Matter Vigil

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