

## **Rev. Dennis McCarty**

"What Is Epistemic Justice, and Why Should We Care?"

Epistemology is the study of knowledge--what we know and how we learn it. Terms like "testimonial epistemic injustice" sound really complex. But what if we *think* we know something--that just isn't true? What if we *assume* something--without even realizing we're doing it? Breaking this complex-sounding topic down into real-world terms, we can better turn our good intentions into real-world practice.

Our Vision: An inclusive religious community, a beacon for reason, meaning and bold social action.

**Our Mission:** To celebrate dignity and respect for all, nurture lifelong spiritual growth, act for justice and equality, and serve the wider community.

**Pre-Service Music** 

Played by Chuck Miller

Welcome Margie Manning, Worship Associate

**Tingsha** 

Prelude Played by Chuck Miller, piano

**Call to Worship**"The Longing for Something More"

Written by Rev. Gretchen Haley

Delivered by Margie Manning

Chalice Lighting "A Sturdy Flame"

by Rev. Julianne Lepp Delivered by Margie Manning

We light this chalice with hope, a sturdy flame we nurture in these difficult times.

We light this chalice with the heart of compassion for a nation divided by politics and strife.

We light this chalice knowing that it will take all of us to repair this world we live in.

May we find rest, compassion and the hope that we need to nurture ourselves and each other.

May this sturdy light remind us of the people we can be, and the difference we can make in the world together.

**Story for All Ages** 

Can You Trust Your Ears? Lori Thorn

Sing the children to their classroom Hymn #414

"As You Leave This Friendly Place"



#### Unitarian Universalists of Clearwater – March 23, 2025

Hymn #208 "Every Time"

Joys and Sorrows Margie Manning

**Reading:** The Routledge Handbook of Epistemic Injustice

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Musical interlude: Chuck Miller

Sermon

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**Hymn #1018** "Come and Go with Me"

Offering Margie Manning

For online giving: https://uuc.breezechms.com/give/online

For text giving: (727) 500-2410

Offertory Music Played by Chuck Miller

**Extinguishing the Chalice** 

"Go in peace, go making peace, live gently, love mightily and bow to the mystery"

Postlude Played by Chuck Miller, piano
And Ed Kraemer, percussion

#### **Our Grateful Thanks:**

Worship Associate: Margie Manning; Service Technical Support: Jeremy Dillow, Rich Cann, David Feick; Zoom Host: Trude Diamond; UUC Choir: Barbara Bedingfield, Matt Bouchie, Rich Cann, Linda Carroll, April Cook, Gretchen Craig, Anne DiNatale, Pan Godchaux, Sue Hand, Ed Kraemer, Francine Lancaster, Chris Parliman, Bruce Peller, Donna Polhamus, Susie Safford; Guest Musician: Ed Kraemer, percussion; Slides and Video: Margie Manning and Jeremy Dillow; Ushers: TBD; Visuals: Ana "Soledad" Vaquer; Staff: Anne Gilbert, Campus Administrator; Rev. Amy Kindred, Developmental Minister; Chuck Miller, Pianist; Dr. Susan Robinson, Choral Conductor, Zoraida Santana, Custodian; Gary Strauss, Security Guard; Susan Strauss, Handyperson; Lori Thorn, Lifelong Learning; Dale Zwick, Bookkeeper; Pastoral Associates: Bill Foley, Pan Godchaux, Kathy Krohn; Aryna Ryan





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#### Hymn #414 "As You Leave This Friendly Place"

As you leave this friendly place, love give light to ev'ry face; may the kindness which you learn light your hearts till you return.

#### Opening Hymn #208 "Every Time"

(Chorus)

Ev'ry time I feel the Spirit moving in my heart, I will pray. Yes, ev'ry time I feel the Spirit moving in my heart, I will pray.

Upon the mountain, my God spoke, o'er the mount came fire and smoke. All around me looks so shine, ask my God if all was mine.

(Chorus)

The River Jordan runs right cold, chills the body, not the soul. Ain't but one train on this track, runs to heaven and right back.

(Chorus)



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# Closing Hymn #1018 "Come and Go with Me"

Come and go with me to that land, Come and go with me to that land, Come and go with me to that land where I'm bound. (2x)

There'll be freedom in that land...

There'll be justice in that land...

There'll be singin' in that land...