



UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST CONGREGATION OF VENICE

*A welcoming, caring community encouraging spiritual
growth, seeking meaning, and pursuing justice.*



Sunday, August 2, 2026

TODAY'S SERVICE

"Who Guards the Temple Door?"

Pianist

Lise Frank

Worship Leader

Rev. Dr. Amy Petrie Shaw



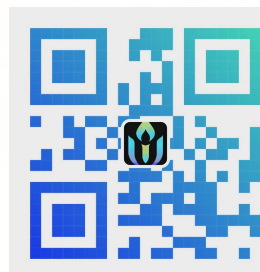
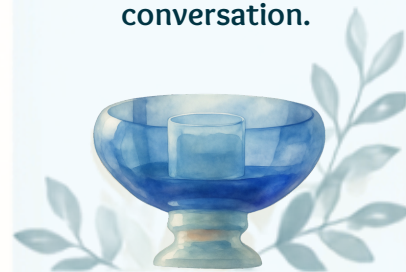
ORDER OF SERVICE

Music Before the Service.....Lise Frank
Things You Should Know.....Rev. Dr. Amy Petrie Shaw
Sounding the Singing Bowl.....Rev. Dr. Amy Petrie Shaw
Chalice Lighting.....Rev. Dr. Amy Petrie Shaw
Welcome.....Rev. Dr. Amy Petrie Shaw
Prelude.....Lise Frank.....Sonata in D Minor by Scarlatti
Opening Words.....Rev. Dr. Amy Petrie Shaw
Gathering Hymn.....Rev. Dr. Amy Petrie Shaw.....#347 "Gather the Spirit"
Offering Words.....Rev. Dr. Amy Petrie Shaw
Offertory Music.....Lise Frank.....#402 "From You I Receive"
Celebrations and Sorrows.....Rev. Dr. Amy Petrie Shaw
Meditation....Rev. Dr. Amy Petrie Shaw.....Words by Atticus
Interlude.....Lise Frank.....Elegy op. 7; No.3 by Nicolas Amanis
Reading...Rev. Dr. Amy Petrie Shaw.....from "On Sacred Art and
.....Profane Art" by Dr. Andrew Taggart
Centering Hymn....Rev. Dr. Amy Petrie Shaw.....#131 Love Will Guide Us
Sermon.....Rev. Dr. Amy Petrie Shaw....."Charity Ain't Access"
Extinguish the Chalice.....Rev. Dr. Amy Petrie Shaw
Closing Hymn...Rev. Dr. Amy Petrie Shaw.....#21 For the Beauty of the Earth
.....(v 1-3)
Benediction.....Rev. Dr. Amy Petrie Shaw
Postlude.....Lise Frank....."May Love Surround You"

Welcome!



We're so glad you're
here. Visitors, please
stop by the Lanai after
the service for
refreshments and
conversation.



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*Our Hymnals are in the bookcases just inside the doors to the sanctuary.

This Week at UUCOV

(All Meetings are in Waters Hall, except where noted.)

TODAY, SUN 02

10:00 AM: Sunday Service (Sanctuary)

11:00 AM: Refreshments & Conversation (Sanctuary Lanai)

MON 03

1:00 PM: Mahjongg Learn & Play

5:00 PM: Meatless Monday

TUE 04

10:00 AM-Noon: Library Hours

6:30 PM: Freethinkers of Venice Secular AA Meeting

WED 05

IVMS Event (Parking)

1:30 PM: Death and Grief Support Group

THU 06

IVMS Event (Parking)

5:45 AM: AA Meeting

2:00 PM: Fuller/Taylor Fellowship (off campus/private)

6:30 PM: Freethinkers of Venice Secular AA Meeting

FRI 07

10:30 AM: Adam/Fuller Fellowship (private)

SAT 08

10:30 AM: Blue Lotus Meditation Event (Zoom/Sanctuary)

SUN 09

10:00 AM: Sunday Service (Sanctuary)

Special Offering: Also Youth

11:00 AM: Refreshments & Conversation (Sanctuary Lanai)

Announcements

- On Wednesday, August 5th, at 9 AM, Richard Cannarelli will be a guest on the morning show of WSLR.org, Fogartyville Radio. The discussion topic will be Separation of Church and State.
- Next Sunday Special Collection will be for Also Youth
- The Sarasota School Board elections will take place on August 18. Be sure to plan ahead for early voting.
- Write postcards to encourage Black voters in North Carolina to participate in in-person early voting. Join us every Sunday from July 5 to October 11, 2026, at 11:30 AM in Waters Hall.

