

ORDER OF SERVICE for Sunday, April 3, 2022

# Islam & Us

With The Reverend Gordon Clay Bailey and Erin Mara

**Prelude:** Islamic Background Music - Ramdan Instrumental (3:50)

**Introduction/Zoom Orientation/Welcome** with Erin Mara

**Ringing the Bell**

**Welcome** with Erin Mara

**Chalice Lighting**

*"We light the chalice as a reminder that together we are a beacon in the desert. May its light lead the way to love, acceptance and justice as we strive for personal and societal transformation."*

**Opening Words** with The Reverend Gordon Clay Bailey

**Hymn/Song:** Come, Come, Whoever You Are (5:27)(Lyrics will be on the screen)

**Land Acknowledgment**

**Community Spotlight** with **Margaret Johnston**

**Of Our Hearts** with Erin Mara

**Pastoral Reflection**

**Pastoral Hymn:** Come Sunday Instrumental (3:29) Associated Performer, Double Bass, Producer: Charlie Haden - Associated Performer, Piano: Hank Jones - Composer Lyricist: Duke Ellington

**Offering and Invitations** with Erin Mara

The Offering this month is shared with **Foster Kinship** ([LINK](#)). As a tribute to Kathy Espin - helps the 33,000 children in Nevada living with relative caregivers, also known as kinship care. Foster Kinship was founded with a mission to strengthen the kinship caregivers' capacity to provide safe, permanent, and nurturing homes for children.

The link to donate your offering will be in the Chat on Zoom and there are boxes at the back of our sanctuary where you can donate.

And now, please join me:

*"With gratitude for the abundance in our own lives, we give for the life of this congregation and the benefit of the larger community."*

**Story for All Ages:** The Hungry Coat (8:40)

**Reading:** with Erin Mara

**Sermon: Islam & Us** with The Reverend Gordon Clay Bailey

**Closing Song:** Happy Islamic New Year by Ramol (3:08)

**Benediction** with The Reverend Gordon Clay Bailey

**Extinguish the Chalice**

*"We release that which was called with love and gratitude, and we extinguish the flame, but not our commitment to being a beacon in the desert. This burns brightly until we gather again."*

**Announcements** with Erin Mara

**Postlude:** Istanbul Instrumental (4:07) <https://youtu.be/2eDT-o8orZE>

**Let's Talk About It: Choose your own breakout room** with Erin Mara

1. Today's Service Topic
2. General coffee talk
3. Social Justice Chat
4. Pastoral Care sharing: How are you doing?
5. Newcomers: info about UUCLV
6. Welcoming Renewal Team (hybrid)

**Media for Service 03/13/2022**

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<https://youtu.be/A46atNZ7Wrg>

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<https://youtu.be/yq9RBK0R2TI>

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