

Worship for December 2015

December 6th – The Angels Tell Us Not To Fear

How do we find reassurance when we are fearful, and how do angels show up in our lives? Rev. Alex McGee and Adam Slate will lead worship.

December 13th – The Giving Tree

Celebrate the season in multigenerational community at this festive service led by RevWik and Leia Durland-Jones. If you signed up to bring a gift for our church's Giving Tree effort, please place it under the tree in the sanctuary as we gather for worship. Our Children's Choir sings at the 11:15 service. Ceremonies of Child Dedication will be offered at both services.

December 20th – The Coming of the Sun

Christians feel expectant for the coming of the Son; Pagans feel expectant for the coming of the Sun. As both of these arrivals are soon upon us, what are we Unitarian Universalists feeling expectant about? [NOTE: This will be *multi-generational* service, and as it is the third Sunday of the month; our Social Action Collection offering will be to support Mental Health America.]

December 24th – Christmas Eve

4:30 – Our annual family-friendly, highly participatory Christmas pageant.
7:00 – A Christmas Eve communion, hosted by the TJMC Christian Fellowship
8:00 – A service of readings, carols, and candle lighting.

December 27th – A Different Kind of Christmas Story

For our final service of 2015, we'll take one last look at the Christmas narrative. So much of the world is inspired and moved by the idea of a child born under the humblest of circumstances growing to into one of the world's most significant religious figures. But in honoring the theme of overcoming adversity, are we missing another message of community? Why is it necessary to view Jesus as someone who came from nothing, rather than someone boosted by the love and joy of his family and friends? **[NOTE: This will be ONE multi-generational service at 10:00]**