

**Champlain Valley Unitarian Universalist Society**  
***Generous and Brave Go Together: An All-Ages Service***

***The Brave Little Parrot: an ancient Buddhist tale from India***

**PART 1** Poppy Rees, Dir. of Religious Exploration  
Cady Baker-Rouse, Neily Jennings, Bobbi Loney

**Gathering Song** *Woyaya* (# 1020 Teal)

**Welcome and Land Acknowledgement**

**How This Service Is Special** Rev. Tricia

**Chalice Lighting** Rev. Tricia

**PART 2**

**Meditation** Rev. Tricia

**PART 3**

**Interactive Sharing** All

**Hymn** *There Is More Love Somewhere* (# 95 Gray)

**PART 4**

**Offering**

This week's offering is split with **Gedakina**. Please write checks to CVUUS. Cash and checks not otherwise specified will be split between CVUUS and the donee. Donate online with QR code.



**Offering Music** Ronnie Romano

**Receiving the Offering** *From You I Receive* (#402 Gray)

**PART 5**

**Choir Anthem** *How I Got Over* by Clara Ward

**Closing Word** Rev. Tricia

**Postlude Song** *This Joy That I Have* by Shirley Caesar

**Thank you!** Thanks to the Tech Team of Richard Hopkins, Abi Sessions, and Karl Lindholm; our Choir and the House Band for music; *The Brave Little Parrot* crew Cady Baker-Rouse, Neily Jennings, and Bobbi Loney; Zoom social host Steve Butterfield; our greeters Bill Sessions and Susie Patterson; Jess Danyow for seasonal decorations; and all others who stepped up today.

**Social Hour:** Thanks to our fabulous Facilities Team for hosting today. Let Alan Moore know if your ministry team or small group would like to take a turn covering this. Find the sign-up sheet in Fellowship Hall.

**Radical Love Exchange:** Get your tickets and make selections by Nov 9! Hear winners announced NEXT Sunday after lunch.

**CVUUS Open Mic Night, Fri. Nov 10, 7 pm, Fellowship Hall**

See Carol Harden for details and to sign up.

**CVUUS Thanksgiving Dinner, Thur. Nov 23, Fellowship Hall**

Arrive anytime, but gather for drinks and hors d'oeuvres at 1 pm. Dinner at 2 pm. Dancing follows. We'll have live music (Red Dog Riley) and a caller to teach dances! Sign up during Social Hour to bring side dishes and desserts.

**CARE FOR PARKING:** Thanks for the ways that you care for one another by allowing those with mobility challenges or small children to have spaces in the parking lot. We are grateful that some folks carpool or share rides with those who don't drive, and we know that some people choose to walk or ride bikes. However you choose to travel, may you arrive safely, and with awareness of those around you. Parking will be tight this week with MANY overlapping groups so try to anticipate this and carpool or park off site if possible.

**Mezatanos: Frosty Ice Moon of the Western Abenaki (Nov. 13 - Dec. 11)** “Mezatanos” can also be translated as “Winter Making.” Can you feel the earth around us shifting to *make winter*? Consider sending some images to LiamBattjes@gmail.com to use in worship during this month -- intriguing photos of frost on a window, catching a snowflake on the tongue, dark brooding clouds over the hills, ice forming at the edge of a pond or creek. If you’re a fan of Robert Frost poetry, send a photo that reflects a few lines of poetry from Frost (this cold ambiguous yet beautiful season seems to fit his work). Any photos of human beings should be cleared by the subject. They may be visible on the video recordings of our services. Thanks for making our worship beautiful and communal.

#### **RELIGIOUS EXPLORATION (RE) FOR CHILDREN AND YOUTH**

~ Nursery is open and staffed from 9:45-11:15 Sunday mornings  
~ Weekly Sunday morning RE programs for preschool to grade 8

**Stay Connected! Weekly Blast (Wednesdays)** provides links to our upcoming worship service, past services, and events.

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**Hearing Assistance:** Headsets to amplify sound or for hearing the worship service audio while elsewhere in this building are available in the back of the Sanctuary by the sound system.



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Worship Leaders:

Rev. Tricia Hart and

Poppy Rees, Dir. of Religious Exploration

**November 5, 2023**

*Champlain Valley Unitarian Universalist Society exists to spiritually nourish, challenge, and sustain people of all ages and circumstances, so that they might lead lives of meaning, integrity, and service.*