

The Unitarian Universalist Church

March 2021. Online at uurockford.org

Respect. (To Re-Inspect, to look again).

March 7: R.E.S.P.E.C.T

March 14: Cancelled or called in?

March 21: Disability Inclusion

March 28: Holy Disrespect



R.E.S.P.E.C.T

March 7, 2021 at 10:00 a.m.

Rev. Dr. Matthew Johnson

Order of Service

Prelude	"Spirit of Life" Duane Wilke, aerophone, and Jesse Parker, piano	
Sing #1053	"How Could Anyone"	<i>Libby Roderick</i>
Welcome		
Covenant	Love is the spirit of this church, and reason is its guide. To dwell together in peace, to seek truth in freedom, and to serve human need: this is our covenant.	
Sung Response	May love shine forth through us today May light of reason guide our way May beauty, truth, and joy become A flame that burns in everyone.	
Invocation		
Musical Response	<i>Nessun Dorma</i>	Puccini
Story	"RESPECT" by Carole Boston Weatherford	Lindsay
Offertory	"Nocturne, Op. 15, No. 1"	<i>Frederic Chopin</i>
Testimony		Amy Brandon
Singing #201	"Glory, Glory, Hallelujah"	<i>Traditional/arr. Walden</i>
Readings	Romans 8:35-39 Still I Rise by Maya Angelou	
Centering		
Anthem	"R.E.S.P.E.C.T."	<i>Redding/Franklin</i>
Message	R.E.S.P.E.C.T.	
Singing #1007	"There's a River Flowin' in My Soul"	<i>Rose Sanders</i>

***Benediction and Closing Blessing**

Scott

“Go your way in peace,
Wander as you may;
Blessed is the path you take;
May love guide you on your way.”



Guest Musician, Duane Wilke
Guest Musician, Jesse Parker



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