**RoG – OOS – V1 HANUKKAH DATE: 12-22-24**

**TITLE: The Soul of a Menorah**

**Multi-Platform**

**TEAM**

**Monthly Theme: PLURALISM**

**Worship Co-chair:** Kathy Jens-Rochow

**Worship Leader**:  RevAmy

**Worship Host:**  Peter Fox

**Chalice Lighter:** Allysandra Diaz

**Musician:** Cecilia Roy

**Song Leader:** Gary Gonzalez

**Storyteller:**  Karen Gonzalez

**Story Builder:** Karen Gonzalez

**Zoom Host:**  Susan Juncosa

**Audio Tech:**

**PPT Builder/Runner**: Steve Jens-Rochow

**Tech Builder:**  n/a

**Tech Broadcast:**

**Tech Backup:**

**Ushers:**

**Office OOS:**

**Media Librarian:** Brit Lundell

**PREPARING**

**10:00 ZOOM HOST to let people in, help with tech**

**Rebecca and Musicians – set up and test audio and video**

**10:27 ZOOM HOST start recording & FACEBOOK live feed**

**SPECIALS / NOTES:**

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**MUSIC:**

**OOS**

**GATHERING**

**Morning Sing CECILIA, THEO & GARY**

1010, We GiveThanks

1009, Meditation on Breathing

Oh Let Us Gather

**Ringing of the Chimes**

**Prelude**  --- need to confer  **CECILIA ROY**

**Welcome** “Your Inner Flame” by Rabbi Shimon Apisdorf **REVAMY**

**Theme Hymn**  “Draw the Circle Wide” (video on file – edited version) **RoG CHOIR**

**Chalice Lighting — PETER**

*We gather in this season  
 to find warmth from each other,*

*to nourish hope where reason fails.*

*Grateful for small miracles, we rejoice   
 in the wonder of light and darkness  
 and the daring of hope. (Webb)*

**CONNECTING**

**Covenant PETER**

*In the light of love, let us renew our covenant as we say together:*

***English****: Love is the spirit of this congregation and service is its law.*

*This is our great covenant:*

*to dwell together in peace,*

*to seek the truth in love,*

*and to help one another.*

***Spanish:*** *El Amor es el espíritu de esta congregación*

*y el servicio su ley principal.*

*Esta es nuestra gran promesa:*

*vivir juntos en paz, buscar la verdad a través del amor,*

*y ayudarnos mutuamente.*

**DEEPENING**

**Deepening Music Solo –** “Maoz T’sur” **REVAMY**

**Deepening Music –** #223, Rock of Ages, Let Our Song **REVAMY, CECILIA**

**Candles of Community**

**Stones of Reflection --** (instrumental interlude) **CECILIA**

**Pastoral Response REVAMY**

**Sung Response** (Music #371, text #381) **REVAMY**

**Wisdom Story “**Herschel & the Hanukkah Goblins” by Eric A.Kimmel

**Singing Youth to Class**

**Heritage and Hope REVAMY**

**Offering / Offeratory** #402, From You I Receive  **PETER / CECILIA**

**Message –** The Soul of a Menorah: It’s Hanukkah! **REVAMY, BENNETT**

**LORMAN, ANDREW MEIT**

**SENDING**

**Closing Music –** #221, Light One Candle  **REVAMY, CECILIA**

**Closing Words**  **REVAMY**

**Extinguishing Chalice REVAMY**

**Announcements for the Life of the Community PETER**

**Invite to Zoom and Live Hospitality** **PETER**

**Sending/Shine on**  **REVAMY**

**Music Reprise. – CECILIA**

**WEEKLY EMAIL INSERT:**

**The Soul of a Menorah: It’s Hanukkah!**

*As we hurtle through days filled with noise and confusion, it's easy to lose track of our souls … to remember that deep down our inner essence wants to do more than run errands. That we yearn to touch the infinite, luminous, divine, transcendent dimension...*

* *Rabbi Shimon Apisdorf*

In this season we celebrate the returning light of our earth, how do we see and know and share the light within each of us, and all of us – indeed that luminous, divine, transcendent dimension of everyone and everything in this interconnected and interdependent life we share? Gather with us this Sunday to celebrate Hanukkah and explore!

Come as you are at 10:30 this Sunday morning – either in-person at our new location in Davie (info below) or virtually on Zoom and Facebook Live. Come a bit before and we can chat prior to the service. We’ll be watching for you!

**In person at:**

* **11850 W State Road 84, Suite A9, Davie, FL 33325 (**[**Click for Directions**](https://riverofgrassuu.cmailroute.net/x/d?c=42346503&l=816c05de-92c8-475d-b1a4-8ddbf713ddf4&r=05ddea8a-7f24-4b42-8b70-ad51f4ef3a3d)**)**
* Service will begin at **10:30 AM**
* Childcare will be provided.

**Virtually:**

**Use the Zoom link below to gather with us virtually in Zoom. Or catch us on Facebook live on our facebook page at** [**https://www.facebook.com/riverofgrassuu**](https://www.facebook.com/riverofgrassuu)**.**

**Join Zoom Meeting**

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**Meeting ID: 961 564 350; Password: 873805**

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