

Temenos
Retreat and Sanctuary

Temenos is a where people come for nourishment and new vision in a contemplative format. Our Sunday Services speak to a Global Spirituality We welcome families and individuals of all faiths and belief systems. It is in our great diversity that we may accomplish great good. We belong to the Swedenborgian Churches of North America, the International Council of Community Churches, Peace 21 Community, Wild Church and Earth Stewards Network.

Please take the time prior to service for silent contemplation. Light a candle and breathe.

Our Values

Radical Kindness

An Inclusive, Evolving, Global Consciousness

Environmental Stewardship

Intentional Community Service

Extravagant Generosity

Anna Montejo & Jacqui Royle Schwartz – “live stream tech” / altar design

Jake Sperberg – Cannine Assistant

Cynthia Sperberg – Jake’s caretaker

Christine Campbell piano/vocals

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Office Hours
(limited coverage)

9:00a.m. – 1:00 p.m. Monday through Thursday)

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Sunday Service
September 27th, 2020
Rev. Christine Campbell

“Catch the Wind”

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*"You do not need to know precisely what is happening,
or exactly where it is all going.*

*What you need is to recognize the possibilities and challenges offered by the
present moment, and to embrace them with courage, faith, and hope."*

THOMAS MERTON

Sunday, September 27th, 2020
Reverend Christine Campbell
“Catch the Wind”

Wind

Music Meditation

Breathe

You are invited to light a candle as a symbol your intent or prayer

Silent Meditation

Opening Songs

When I Breathe In
Be Not Afraid

Morning Devotions

Prayer Songs

As the Deer
O Lord Hear Our Prayer

Prayer for Our Community:

O Great Love, thank you for living and loving in us and through us. May all that we do flow from our deep connection with you and all beings. Help us become a community that vulnerably shares each other's burdens and the weight of glory. Listen to our hearts' longings for the healing of our world.

Pause - a moment in Silence as you add your own longings)

Knowing you are hearing us better than we are speaking,
We offer these prayers in all the holy names of God, amen. ... Richard Rohr

Song

Breath on Me Breath of God

Readings

Contemplation

“ Catch the Wind”

Closing Song

“Blowin’ in the Wind”

The wind shows us how close to the edge we are.

Joan Didion

The winds of grace are always blowing, but you have to raise the sail.

Ramakrishna

To reach a port we must sail, sometimes with the wind, and sometimes against it. But we must not drift or lie at anchor.

Oliver Wendell Holmes

The wind whispered secrets in its own incomprehensible language.

Tracy Rees

If one does not know to which port one is sailing, no wind is favourable.

Seneca the Younger

The wind is us it gathers and remembers all our voices, then sends them talking and telling through the leaves and the fields.

Truman Capote

We cannot direct the wind, but we can adjust the sails.

Dolly Parton

We must free ourselves of the hope that the sea will ever rest. We must learn to sail in high winds.

Aristotle Onassis

“And forget not that the earth delights to feel your bare feet and the winds long to play with your hair”

– **Khalil Gibran, The Prophet**

“The wind makes you ache is some place that is deeper than your bones. It may be that it touches something old in the human soul, a chord of race memory that says Migrate or die - migrate or die.”

– **Stephen King**