

Party #11—Acoustic Weave Concert:

# *A Musical Tapestry*

**Friday, September 20 from 7:00 PM – 8:30 PM**

**In-person at UNSC • Cost: \$20 (Kids 12 & Under are \$10)**

Purchase your tickets online at: [go.UnityNorthMN.org/PartyTickets2024](https://go.UnityNorthMN.org/PartyTickets2024)

**This concert will give you three musicians for the price of one, along with some music you've never heard before! Expect the unexpected as Claire Van De Crommert, Judi Vinar, and Braden Canfield invite you for an evening with their musical muse.**



**Claire Van De Crommert** — If you attend Unity North, you will certainly know this Minnesota based singer/songwriter. Claire Van De Crommert balances performing throughout the Midwest with teaching guitar privately from her home studio. Her music crosses many genres as she combines contemporary folk with flavors of blues, pop, jazz, and classical, in a rich blend of guitar and vocals. With over three octaves of vocal fluency, Claire's rich tones, honest delivery, and poetic lyrics, coupled with strong melodic guitar arrangements, make for an outstanding listening event. Claire's first CD, "Face to Face," is now followed by "Patchwork," an instrumental album to be released this summer of 2024.

*... "Shortly: folk music at its very best!" ... Jos Van Den Boom, Crossroads, BRTO-radio, Holland*



**Judi Vinar** — Judi Vinar combines 40+ years of professional singing, teaching, writing, and directing experience, and 5 years of "guitar-revival" to the stage! She's been a mainstay in the Twin Cities music scene with bands such as The Wolverines, The Girls, St. Croix Jazz Orchestra, JazzMN Orchestra, and has toured with Bobby McFerrin's Voicestra and Gimme5 since 2001. You can find Judi at the Chanhassen, Dakota, Crooners, and Finnish Bistro these days, as well as most of the area Unity churches on Sunday mornings. By day, Judi's favorite gig is playing/singing for the folks at Jones Harrison Senior Living and giving private lessons via Zoom for folks from Nashville to Paris.

*"The incredible thing about Judi is that no matter what style she happens to be singing, it sounds as though she doesn't do anything else" ...Rick Carlson, Pianist*



**Braden Canfield** — Braden Ripley Canfield has been singing and playing guitar since his teens. He began his musical career playing for imaginary audiences in his childhood bedroom. He advanced from there to tour a string of churches, camps, obscure coffee houses, and friendly living rooms. All the while, he has remained a "folk" in good standing, and has produced 2 CD's of original music. Other folk-like activities he has partaken in are marriage (to 1), fatherhood (to 3) and grand fatherhood (to 4). All his previous hobbies have risen to the status of occupation since retirement. During the pandemic, he learned to play the ukulele.

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