



Allen Avenue Unitarian Universalist Church
June 20, 2021

“Poems of the Summer Solstice”

ORDER OF WORSHIP

GATHERING MUSIC

WELCOME

CHIMES

OPENING MUSIC *Solstice Montage*

LIGHTING THE CHALICE

WELCOMING THE GUARDIANS

SUN SALUTE – 1

POEM “Es La Manana Llena De Tempestad/
The Morning is Full of Storm” by Pablo Neruda

MUSIC The Sweet June Days #65

SYMBOLS AND SUN SALUTE – 2

POEM “The Summer Day” by Mary Oliver

MUSIC The Blessings of the Earth and Sky#308

POEM “Colors Passing Through Us” by Marge Piercy

MUSIC There’s a River Flowing in my Soul#1007

SUN SALUTE – 3

FAREWELL TO THE GUARDIANS

CLOSING WORDS “Out of the Flames” by Sarah Eileen LaWall

CLOSING MUSIC *Impromptu*

Followed by a congregational coffee hour

Participants: Steve Hansen, Silvia Hansen, Pauli Juneau, Kathryn Stannard, Heidi Diouf, Marcia Jansen, and a few marshmallows

Musical contributors: Dale Churchill, John Howard, Erica Bartlett

Video Editing: Erica Bartlett, and Joe Seale for the Opening Music and accompanying photos

Share the Plate: [Hardy Girls Healthy Women](#)

The Sweet June Days

- 120

1. The sweet June days are come a - gain; once
 2. The sweet June days are come a - gain; the

more the glad earth yields its gold - en wealth of
 birds are on the wing, bright an - thems, in their

rip - 'ning grain, and breath of clo - ver fields, and
 mer - ry strain, un - con - scious - ly they sing. Oh,

deep - 'ning shade of sum - mer woods, and
 how our cup o'er - brims with good these

⊕ Words: Samuel Longfellow, 1819-1892.
 Music: English melody, arr. by Ralph Vaughan Williams, 1872-1958,
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FORREST GIBBY
 C.M.D.

glow of sum - mer air, and wing - ing thoughts and
 hap - py sum - mer days; for all the joys of

hap - py moods of love and joy and prayer.
 field and wood we lift our song of praise.

The Blessings of the Earth and Sky

♩ - 92

1. The bless - ings of the earth and sky up -
 2. The wind up - on the lakes and hills per -
 3. Here we re - store an - ces - tral dreams en -

on our friend - ly house do lie. The
 forms its na - tive rit - u - als. The
 shrined in floor and wall and beam, a

right - ness of a mas - ter's art has
 wor - ship of our hu - man toil brings
 mon - u - ment where - in we build that

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 Music: Johann Hermann Schein, 1586-1630, harmony by
 J. S. Bach, 1685-1750

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blessed with grace its ev - ery part. The warmth of man - y
 sac - ra - ment from sun and soil. With words and mu - sic,
 their high pur - pose be ful - filled, a tool to help our

hands is strewn in hu - man bless - ing on this stone.
 we, the earth, in na - ture's won - der seek our worth.
 chil - dren prove an earth of prom - ise and of love.