

October 30, 2022, 10am – Order of Worship

GATHERING MUSIC Dale Churchill Dir. Of Music

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS **Connie Cross**

RINGING THE BELL

CALL TO WORSHIP **Rev. Tara Humphries**

LIGHTING THE CHALICE & COMMUNITY CANDLE
By Andrew Pakula

*OPENING HYMN # 349 *We Gather Together*

TIME FOR ALL AGES *“Be Afraid!”* **Emily C. Jones**

JOYS & SORROWS

PRAYER **Rev. Tara Humphries**

MUSICAL INTERLUDE - Dale Churchill

OFFERTORY & MUSIC FOR REFLECTION *'Tis a Gift to Be Simple - Shaker
Tune*

READING *Selections from Scripture* **The Congregation**

ANTHEM *The 23rd Psalm* Bobby McFerrin **A2U2 Choir**

REFLECTION *“Be Not Afraid!”* **Rev. Tara Humphries**

*MEETING OUR FEAR *A ritual*

*CLOSING HYMN # 368 *Now Let Us Sing*

BENEDICTION & EXTINGUISHING THE CHALICE

POSTLUDE *Invention in C minor, Opus 6* Billy Joel
*Please rise in body and/or in spirit

WORSHIP PARTICIPANTS today include Connie Cross, Rev. Tara, Emily C. Jones, Dale Churchill, and the A2U2 Choir. We are grateful for our tech & Zoom team, too, and all those working behind the scenes to make multi platform worship possible!

October's **SHARE THE PLATE** recipient is Maine UU State Advocacy Network. MUUSAN is a statewide advocacy and public policy network anchored in Unitarian Universalist faith and animated by its principles. They link our 25 Maine congregations and many friends in an active legislative ministry with a mission to educate and to organize for a more just society. Learn more at www.muusan.org.

LARGE PRINT ORDERS OF SERVICE and **ASSISTIVE LISTENING DEVICES** are available from our ushers.

Several of our members have severe **ALLERGIES**, so we ask folks to refrain from wearing perfumes or scented products when you come to church.

UPCOMING SERVICES

Sunday, November 6th- “The Democratic Principle” with the A2U2 Worship Committee

Sunday, November 13th- “Relationships Like the Sea” with Rev. Tara

*“We are a growing community that transforms lives through
the power of love.”*

MISSION: At Allen Avenue Unitarian Universalist Church, we are a growing community that transforms lives through the power of love. We celebrate diversity, encourage spiritual growth, and promote social responsibility as we travel with care on this earth. We empower our members to share their gifts to build a world of compassion, equality, and freedom.



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“Be Not Afraid!”

Rev. Tara Humphries & Emily C. Jones
Sunday, October 30th, 2022 at 10am

We Gather Together

349

$\text{♩} = 116$

1. We gath - er to - geth - er in joy - ful thanks - giv - ing, ac -
2. We gath - er to - geth - er to join in the jour - ney, con -

claim - ing cre - a - tion, whose boun - ty we share; both
firm - ing, com - mit - ting our pas - sage to be a

sor - row and glad - ness we find now in our liv - ing, we
true af - fir - ma - tion, in joy and trib - u - la - tion, when

sing a hymn of praise to the life that we bear.
bound to hu - man care and hope — then we are free.

Now Let Us Sing

368

$\text{♩} = 116$

1. Sing to the power of the
Now let us sing, sing,

faith with-in. Sing to the power of the
sing, sing. Now let us sing, sing,

faith with-in. Lift up your voice,
sing, sing. Lift up your voice, be not a-

be not a-fraid; sing to the power of the faith with-in.
fraid; now let us

2. Sing to the power of the hope within. . . .

3. Sing to the power of the love within. . . .

4. Sing to the power of the joy within. . . .