

April 9, 2023, 10am – Order of Worship

GATHERING MUSIC		Dale Churchill, Dir. of Music
WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS		Jim Mason
RINGING THE CHIMES		
CALL TO WORSHIP		Rev. Tara Humphries
LIGHTING THE CHALICE & COMMUNITY CANDLE	by Yvonne Aburro	
*OPENING HYMN	#39	“Bring, O Morn, Thy Music”
TIME FOR ALL AGES	Symbols of Easter	Rev. Tara Humphries
LAMPLIGHTER & RECESSIONAL		“Carry the flame of peace and love until we meet again!”
JOYS & SORROWS		
REMEMBERING & PRAYER	“Seen”	by Jan Richardson
OFFERTORY & MUSIC FOR REFLECTION	“Dawn”	Dario Marianelli
ANTHEM	“Alleluia”	Antonio Caldara
READING	“How Does One Address a Mystery?”	by Gordon B. McKeeman

REPRISE	“Alleluia”	Antonio Caldara
SERMON	“We Rise”	Rev. Tara Humphries
*CLOSING HYMN	#268	“ Jesus Christ is Risen Today”
BENEDICTION & EXTINGUISHING THE CHALICE		
POSTLUDE	“Praeludium”	J.S.Bach

*Please rise in body and/or in spirit

WORSHIP PARTICIPANTS today include Rev. Tara, Dale Churchill, Jim Mason, John Howard, 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!

April’s **SHARE THE PLATE** recipient is **Project FEED** (Food Emergency Exchange Depot), an emergency food pantry located in Portland in the basement of Woodfords Congregational UCC Church. Project FEED provides food and household supplies to take home for individuals and families in crisis. Learn more: www.projectfeed.org.

LARGE PRINT ORDERS OF SERVICE and **ASSISTIVE LISTENING DEVICES** are available!

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, April 16th- “Living Witness” with Rev. Tara Humphries

Sunday, April 23rd- Worship with guest preacher Rev. Lyn Marshall

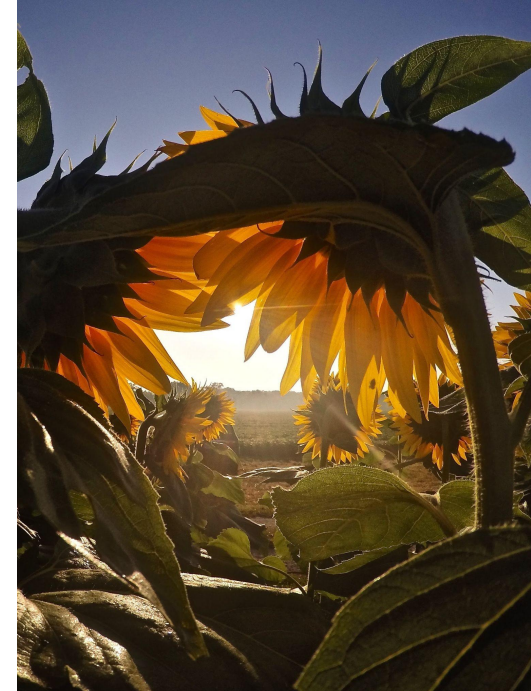
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MISSION: At Allen Avenue Unitarian Universalist Church, we are a growing community that transforms lives through the power of love. We celebrate diversity, encourage spiritual growth, and promote social responsibility as we travel with care on this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



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“We Rise”

Easter Sunday

Rev. Tara Humphries

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