In Your Quiet Space Keith Jarrett

June 11, 2023, 10am – Order of Worship

GATHERING MUSIC Dale

Churchill, Dir. of Music

**WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS** 

**Ann Packard** 

RINGING THE CHIMES

CALL TO WORSHIP Rev.

**Tara Humphries** 

LIGHTING THE CHALICE & COMMUNITY CANDLE

\*OPENING HYMN # 22 Dear Weaver of our Lives' Design

NEW MEMBER CEREMONY **Diane Oberbeck** & Rev. Tara

Annie Blanchard, Mike Argondizza, Emmy Hunt, Judith Beckett, Jen, Aaron, Emmett, and Isanna Brady, Candice and Roman Bellinger, Janet Heroux

TIME FOR ALL AGES "Partners" from Does God Have a Big Toe? by Marc Gellman

LAMPLIGHTER & RECESSIONAL

Carry the flame of peace and love until we meet again!

JOYS & SORROWS | PRAYER Rev. TaraHumphries

MUSICAL INTERLUDE

OFFERTORY & MUSIC FOR REFLECTION Ann Packard

READING "Beyond our Boxes" by Emily DeTar Birt

ANTHEM Out of the Stars Betsy Jo Angebranndt

SERMON "Beyond the Binary" Rev. Tara Humphries

\*CLOSING HYMN # 128 For All That is Our Life

BENEDICTION & EXTINGUISHING THE CHALICE by Trischa Goodwin

POSTLUDE Blue Bossa Kenny Dorham

\*Please rise in body and/or in spirit

WORSHIP PARTICIPANTS today include Rev.
Tara, Dale Churchill, Sam Sherry, Ann
Packard, Diane Oberbeck, Mike Luce, 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!

June's **SHARE THE PLATE** recipient is the **Independent Seniors Network**, whose mission is to help seniors maintain active, social, safe, and independent lives in their own homes. Learn more at *independentseniorsnetwork.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.

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## **UPCOMING SERVICES**

**Sunday, June 18th**- Flower Communion and Bridging Sunday with Rev. Tara & Emily C. Jones (an all-ages service!)

**Sunday, June 25th**- *Start of lay-led summer services!* 

~ <u>Lay-led summer services run</u> <u>from June 25 to Sep</u>tember 3 ~

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"Beyond :he Binary"

LGBTQIA+ Pride & New Member Sunday!

**Rev. Tara Humphries** 

Sunday, June 11th, 2023 at 10am