

7 January 2024, 10am – Order of Worship

GATHERING MUSIC Dale Churchill, Dir. of Music

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS Ann Packard

RINGING THE CHIMES

CALL TO WORSHIP by Rev. Anna Strickland Rev. Tara Humphries

LIGHTING THE CHALICE & COMMUNITY CANDLE

*OPENING HYMN # 131 Love Will Guide Us

TIME FOR ALL AGES The Wonder Box!

JOYS & SORROWS

PRAYER by Sara LaWall

MUSICAL INTERLUDE

READING by M Jade Keiser, *enfleshed*

OFFERTORY & MUSIC FOR REFLECTION Impromptu

REFLECTION “Our Holy GPS” Rev. Tara Humphries

ANTHEM Out Of The Stars Betsy Jo Angebrannndt

*RECEIVING OUR STAR WORDS

*CLOSING HYMN # 1064 Blue Boat Home

BENEDICTION & EXTINGUISHING THE CHALICE

POSTLUDE Allemande J.S. Bach

*Please rise in body and/or in spirit

WORSHIP PARTICIPANTS today include Rev. Tara, Dale Churchill, Ann Packard, 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!

January’s **SHARE THE PLATE** recipient is **Maine Adaptive Sports and Recreation**, the largest year-round adaptive recreation program in the state of Maine for kids, adults, and veterans with disabilities. Learn more at maineadaptive.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, January 14- “Building the Beloved Community: Part I” with Rev. Tara Humphries (MLK Sunday)

Sunday, January 21- “Building the Beloved Community: Part II” with Rev. Tara Humphries

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

MISSION: At Allen Avenue Unitarian Universalist Church, we are growing a 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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"Our Holy GPS"
An all-ages service!

Rev. Tara Humphries

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