20 April 2025, 10am - Order of Worship

GATHERING MUSIC Dale Churchill, Dir. of Music

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS Pam Jackson, Worship Associate

SINGING BOWL

CALL TO WORSHIP Rev. Tara Humphries

LIGHTING THE CHALICE & COMMUNITY CANDLE Sara Eileen LaWall

*OPENING HYMN #344 A Promise Through the Ages Rings

TIME FOR ALL AGES The Easter Story

LAMPLIGHTER & RECESSIONAL

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

RESPONSIVE READING Maya Angelou, adapted

JOYS & SORROWS

PRAYER "Who Are We to Bet Against Glory?" Julia Hamilton, adapted

MUSICAL INTERLUDE

INVITATION TO GENEROSITY

OFFERTORY Moment Musicaux Opus 94 No.3 Franz Schubert

READING "Manifesto: The Mad Farmer Liberation Front" W. Berry

ANTHEM Alleluia William Boyce A2U2 Choir

SERMON "We Who Practice Resurrection" Rev. Tara Humphries

*CLOSING HYMN #269 Lo, the Day of Days Is Here

BENEDICTION & EXTINGUISHING THE CHALICE

Our worship has ended... and our service begins!

POSTLUDE Serenade Opus 29 Cecile Chaminade

*Please rise in body and/or in spirit

April's **SHARE THE PLATE** recipient is **But Still I Am One**, who works to empower young adults aged sixteen to twenty-one experiencing homelessness in Waldo County. FMI: *butstilliamone.org*

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

THANK YOU to our tech & Zoom team, and all those working behind the scenes to make multi platform worship possible!

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

NEXT SUNDAY

27 April - "Trusting from the Margins" with Toben Cooney-Callnan, DLRE

TODAY after church: **Kids Can Hunt** (A2U2 grounds), **Coffee Hour** (Sanctuary/Foyer) & **Brown Bag Brunch** (Board Room)

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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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"We Who Practice Resurrection"

Easter Sunday

Reverend Tara Humphries

Sunday 20 April 2025 at 10am