

United First Parish Church
Order of Service
"Rest Here"
Sunday, May 2, 2021

PRELUDE Melodie

Fanny Mendelssohn Norman Corey, piano

WELCOME AND OPENING WORDS

Rev. Rebecca Froom

CHALICE LIGHTING River Call

By Manish K. Mishra-Marzetti Louise Lisi, reader

Everyone is invited to light a chalice or candle from wherever you may be.

### **COVENANT**

As a free fellowship of this historic church,

We unite to lift our hearts and open our minds to a larger reality;

To accept, support, and encourage one another;

To seek the wisdom in all religions;

To cherish and sustain the web of life;

And to strive for justice, compassion and peace.

HYMN #108 My Life Flows On

Michael Frye-Hunt, piano and melodica Dorothy Frye-Hunt, vocals

MESSAGE FOR ALL AGES

Joan McDonald

**JOYS AND SORROWS** 

MEDITATION AND PRAYER

Rev. Rebecca Froom

REFLECTIVE MUSIC Meditation on Breathing

By Sarah Dan Jones

Performed by Blue Cliff Monastery Ensemble

SERMON Rest Here

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Lea Morris and the Heart Wide Open Choir

### STEWARDSHIP TESTIMONIAL

Lisa Howe

OFFERTORY Meditation on Djembe

Matt Meyer, djembe

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# **BENEDICTION**

EXTINGUISHING THE CHALICE Carry the Flame By Patricia Yates and Harold Brown Performed by Lee Forest and Ann Marie Willer Carry the flame of peace and love, until we meet again. (sung twice)

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

# VIRTUAL SOCIAL HOUR

Please join us for a virtual social hour after the service.

# SPECIAL THANKS

UFPC Zoom Worship Team: Joan McDonald, Rev. Rebecca Froom

# Music Credits:

Blue Cliff Monastery <a href="https://www.bluecliffmonastery.org/">https://www.bluecliffmonastery.org/</a>

Lea Morris https://www.thisislea.com/

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