Champlain Valley Unitarian Universalist Society

February 2, 2025 Inclusion: What Are Congregations for, in These Times?

* Congregation is invited to rise.

*Gathering Song When Our Heart Is in a Holy Place #1008

Welcome Jordan Young

Chalice Lighting

Symbol of light and knowledge,
Symbol of warmth and freedom;
We light this chalice as a symbol of our faith.
Here we gather to celebrate hope, and the infinite possibilities of love.
-Rev. Tom Goldsmith

Call to Worship Come in; Be among us by Shari Woodbury

Time for All Ages Ted Scheu

*Singing the Children Out This Little Light of Mine

Pathways to Connection

Offering Sharing with *Turning Point Center of Addison County*

*Song From You I Receive #402



Milestones and Passages

Meditation

Choir Anthem Great Trees

Reading Bring your Broken Hallelujah Here Rev. Theresa I. Soto

Reflection What Are Congregations for in These Times? Rev. Tricia Hart

*Hymn Building Bridges Teal #1023

Closing Words Arms Outstretched, Singing by Theresa Youngblood

Extinguishing the Chalice

We extinguish this flame, remembering always to keep Love at the center

Postlude Prelude No. 2 in C Major by Catherine Rollin

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Co-Creators of Worship Today: Thanks to all those who contributed in these roles: worship planning, technology support, music, sidewalk safety, room comfort, greeting, ushering, floral decor, social hour preparation, social hour cleanup.

Complete a Yellow Card before worship to share your joys or concerns, place it in the offering basket to be shared. Fill out a Pink Card if you'd like Caring Network's help and a Blue Sheet if you're visiting so we can be in touch.

CVUUS Membership Directory: Go to Breeze to access it online. Contact Mary Hadley (hadleyme@juno.com) for access. See an usher if you need a print copy.

All-Ages Non-Gendered Contra Dance! Come Valentine's Day weekend Sat. Feb 15, 7 pm to our next one led by Richard Hopkins to live music.

Gather, Middlebury's drop-in living room, seeks hosts, welcomes guests. More at cvuus.org on this, and MANY ways to help inside and beyond our walls. Thanks for contributing to CVUUS' Discretionary Fund.

Want to get involved in RE? There are many ways to contribute! Email our RE Coordinator, Julia Santerre at re@cvuus.org

Migrant Worker Solidarity Opportunities can be found under "news" at cvuus.org. Help Addison Allies, Open Door Clinic, Migrant Justice with driving, translating, English speaking practice, household goods collection and transporting, "Know Your Rights" readiness. Come to a *Know Your Rights and Migrant Solidarity Ally Training* on Sat Feb 22, 11-1 in Fellowship Hall. See Lise Anderson about registering or helping.

HOPE & Atria Lobby Cart Bring a non-perishable food to our lobby cart for HOPE & personal care items for Atria (formerly WomenSafe) anytime.

LAURA OUT OF OFFICE (Mon Jan 27 through Mon Feb 3) If you have any building use concerns, contact Alan Moore or Bob House. Please wait for her return to schedule any new use.

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