

Unitarian Universalist Congregation of Saratoga Springs



Our new home

Reconciliation: Healing Broken Relationships

Sunday, June 14, 2026

CHIMES

PRELUDE

Part 1 Intermezzo by Brahams

ANNOUNCEMENTS

WELCOME AND OPENING WORDS

Section 1: Come in

Section 2: Be among us.

LIGHTING THE CHALICE

The Words of Eric Hepburn

We light this flame to remind us:
Love is the center.
As we grow and connect, mature and deepen:
Love is our center.
When the light of truth burns all else away:
Love endures.

OUR COVENANT

*Love is the doctrine of this faith,
The quest for truth is its sacrament,
And service is its prayer.
To dwell together in peace,
To seek knowledge in freedom, to serve human need,
To the end that all souls shall grow into harmony with the Divine.
Thus do we covenant with one another and love beyond belief.*

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

*Be ours a religion which like sunshine goes everywhere,
Its temple all space, its shrine the good heart,
Its creed all truth, its ritual works of love.*

OPENING HYMN

No. 1008, Come, Come Whoever You Are

A TIME FOR ALL AGES

CHILDREN'S RECESSIONAL

*For we shall go out in joy,
And come back in peace,
Blessed be.*

STONES AND WATER RITUAL

No. 123, Spirit of Life

JOYS AND SORROWS

All: *There is a love holding me,*

*There is a love holding you,
There is a love holding all.
We rest in this love.*

READING

Someone Loved By Someone Else by Kat Liu

OFFERING

Music: Part 2 Intermezzo by Brahms

REFLECTION

CLOSING HYMN

No. 354, We Laugh, We Cry

CLOSING WORDS

The Words of Mark Belletini

EXTINGUISHING THE CHALICE

The Words of Eric Hepburn

We extinguish this flame to remind us:

Love is the center.

As we explore and rest, engage and heal:

Love is our center.

When only ashes remain:

Love endures.

PASSING THE PEACE

Service Participants

Rev. John Fisher, Guest Speaker

Richard Wilkinson, Worship Associate

Elizabeth Collins, Care Team

Judith Thomas, Pianist

A special thank you to our Tech and Hospitality Teams.