

Unitarian Universalist Congregation of Saratoga Springs



Our new home

Gen X: Are We Special?

Sunday, July 19, 2026

"If you are neutral in situations of injustice, you have chosen the side of the oppressor. If an elephant has its foot on the tail of a mouse and you say that you are neutral, the mouse will not appreciate your neutrality."

-Desmond Tutu

CHIMES

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE

Music: Sonata in A major (excerpt #1) by Mozart

LIGHTING THE CHALICE

The Words of Anais Nin

OPENING HYMN

Hymn No. 298, Wake Now My Senses

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.*

OPENING WORDS

The Words of Yoda

SERMON

OFFERING

Music: Sonata in A major (excerpt #2) by Mozart

STONES AND WATER RITUAL

Hymn 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.*

CLOSING HYMN

No. 354, We Laugh, We Cry

CLOSING WORDS

An internet meme

EXTINGUISHING THE CHALICE

PASS THE PEACE

Service Participants

James Frame, Guest Speaker
Elle Mitchell, Worship Associate
Sandy Wolfe, Care Team
Judith Thomas, Pianist

A special thank you to our Tech and Hospitality Teams.

Creating a Community of Love for Justice and Peace

The Unitarian Universalist Congregation of Saratoga Springs is a Welcoming Community that embraces people of any age, race, gender identity, sexual orientation, class, ability, language, or cultural background.

We extend a warm welcome to all who worship here today, especially those who are visiting for the first time. Following the service, please join us for refreshments and conversation.

We hope this community can be a place of meaning, inspiration, celebration and joy for you and your family.