

Welcome to Worship!

Winchester Unitarian Society · Sunday, August 14, 2022

Centering Thought

The work of preserving history must be taken on proactively,
History must be cultivated and nurtured, or we risk losing it.

-Clint Smith, How the Word is Passed

Gathering Music

Adoration by Florence Price

John Kramer

Community Welcome and Announcements

Martin Newhouse

Community Greeting *Note that during this time, the congregation will be briefly visible in the livestream. If you do not want to be seen, please sit in the back pews, marked accordingly.*

Ringing of the Bell *We are called back to worship by the ringing of the bell from our Partner Church in Marosvásárhely, Transylvania*

Opening Words

Nancy Schrock

Chalice Lighting

Martin Newhouse

We are a People of Memory.

As inheritors of our ancestors' legacy, we hold their stories tenderly.

Gleaning wisdom from diverse journeys; united in hope for the future.

Guide us to trust in love as we kindle this flame together.

-Kinberlee Anne Tomczak Carlson

*Hymn #212

We Are Dancing Sarah's Circle

Reading

The Warming of Other Suns, Terry Carter, Medford Poet Laureate

**Please rise in body or in spirit*

