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FIRST

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Accompanist: Joy Hoeft

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Order of Service – August 25, 2019

Welcome

Prelude: Church bells from Kolozsvár

Chalice Lighting (*Unison*)

**We hallow this time together by
kindling the lamp of our heritage.**

Opening Words: Pondering this postcard

Hymn: #352 Find a Stillness

Time for All Ages: The Wishes

Hungarian Folk Tale

Joys and Sorrows

Reading: Waiting for Now

by Mandie McGlynn

Hymn: #115 God of Grace and God of Glory

Message: Unitarian Postcards from

Transylvania: On the Way There

A sermon written by Kovács Sándor, translated
and delivered by Dr. Robert Kokenyesi

Sharing in Stewardship

**May this offering equip us
to inspire love and seek justice.**

Hymn: #108 My Life Flows on in Endless Song

Announcements

Extinguish Chalice

**The light of truth and meaning cannot
be put out. We are keepers of this
flame until we meet again.**

Closing Words: A Power at Work in the

Universe,

by Rev. Tom Schade

Postlude: Joy Hoeft

**WE LOVE OUR
NEIGHBORS**

**IMMIGRANT LGBTQ
OF COLOR WITH DISABILITIES
OF ALL AND ANY FAITHS**

Unitarian Universalism's Seven Principles

- 1st Principle: The inherent worth and dignity of every person;
- 2nd Principle: Justice, equity and compassion in human relations;
- 3rd Principle: Acceptance of one another and encouragement to spiritual growth in our congregations;
- 4th Principle: A free and responsible search for truth and meaning;
- 5th Principle: The right of conscience and the use of the democratic process within our congregations and in society at large;
- 6th Principle: The goal of world community with peace, liberty, and justice for all;

- 7th Principle: Respect for the interdependent web of all existence of which we are a part.

Local Resources

Alcoholics Anonymous: (618) 251-4000

Gamblers Anonymous: (314) 831-4444

Domestic violence: Oasis Women's Center

(618) 465-1978; Toll Free Hotline: (800)
244-1978

Nat'l Domestic Violence Hotline: 1-800-799-SAFE
(7233);

For Deaf/Hard of Hearing: 1-800-787-3224

Nat'l Suicide Prevention Lifeline (800) 273-8255

Crisis Text Line: Text START to 741-741

The Trevor Project (LGBTQ Youth): (866) 488-7386

Trans Lifeline: (877) 565-8860

LGBT National Hotline: 1-888-843-4564

We are creating and nurturing an intentional community that values acceptance, social justice, and the embodiment of Unitarian Universalist Principles. Come, let us question together.

Inspire
Love

10,080: Beyond This Hour

Seek
Justice

LGBT Youth Hotline: 1-800-969-6554



You have 10,080 precious minutes in your week. This resource is provided for the feeding of your mind and spirit, beyond this one hour of worship.