Paint Branch Unitarian Universalist Church Order of Service

"DANCING OUR JOURNEY"

May 7, 2023

IN-GATHERING MUSIC Roll Out the Barrell by Jaromir Veivoda David Chapman, Music Director

PRELUDE DANCE "Sentimental Journey" Chalice Dancers

Renee Katz. Vocalist

Adat Shalom

WELCOME Lula Beatty, Worship Associate

CONGREGATIONAL GREETING

CALL TO WORSHIP Sharon Werth

UNISON CHALICE LIGHTING

"We embrace dance as a universal language of the soul. We embrace people sharing dance anywhere in the world, moving to connect heart, mind, body, and spirit to the divine, alone or in community."

Excerpt from Mission Statement of The Sacred Dance Guild

HYMN *Lean on Me* (#1021) led by Renee Katz

DANCE "Footprints" Peggy Hoffman

REFLECTION Journey Within Ken Shilling

JOYS & SORROWS INTONATION Bashana Haba'ah Nurit Hirsch

Jim Flaherty, Pastoral Care Associate arranged by John Leavitt SILENCE

DANCE/CONGREGATIONAL MOVEMENT "Chazak" "Strength, strength, and we will strengthen each other."

REFLECTION On the Journey Together Deb Rubenstein

OFFERING

OFFERTORY Danza, Danza! by Francesco Durante

HYMN *Woyaya* (#1020) led by Renee Katz

REFLECTION Journey Into the World Lula Beatty

DANCE "Blue Boat Home" **Chalice Dancers**

CLOSING WORDS Sharon Werth

RESPONSE Fuente de Amor / Spirit of Life

EXTINGUISHING CHALICE

"Our service has ended, but our journey* is not yet done. May our spirits be renewed, and our purpose resolved as we meet the challenges of the week. The chalice flame is extinguished until once again ignited by the strength of our communion."

- Martha Kirby Capo*adapted from "work"

ANNOUNCEMENTS

POSTLUDE DANCE/CONGREGATIONAL MOVEMENT "On Holy Ground"

Composed by Rev. Amy Carol Webb

Chalice Dancers and Renee Katz, Vocalist

DANCE SERVICE ATTRIBUTIONS

"Sentimental Journey"

Composer: Les Brown, Lyrics: Bud Green

Vocalist: Renee Katz

Adapted from the choreography of Nancy Havlik, Director, Quicksilver Dance Company

Dancers: Reena Bernards, Abby Crowley, Marcia Freeman, Sherry Mitchell, Karen Lee Scrivo,

Ken Shilling, Kathy Wallens and Sharon Werth

Some of the costumes and props are part of the dancers' "Sentimental Journey"

"Footprints"

Based on Poem "Footprints in the Sand"

Author: Carolyn Joyce Carty Dancer: Peggy Hoffman

Dedicated to Peggy's sister-in-law

"Chazak"

"Strength, strength, and we will strengthen each other."

Prayer Through Movement, Adat Shalom, Reconstructionist Congregation, Bethesda, Maryland

Composer: Rabbi Hanna Tiferet Siegel (Used with permission)

Choreographer: Diane DeFries

Dancers: Reena Bernards, Amy Dick, Orit Janco Golan, Malka Kutnick, Ruth Poulin and Kathy Wallens

Musicians:

Lauren Biel, Vocals and Percussion Vanessa Eisemann, Vocals Carolyn Post, Recorder Tom Smerling, Guitar

"Blue Boat Home"

Composer/Vocalist: Peter Mayer, Copyright 2012 Used by permission – www.petermayer.net

Choreographer: Sharon Werth

Dancers: Reena Bernards, Abby Crowley, Marcia Freeman, Peggy Hoffman, Sherry Mitchell, Karen Lee Scrivo,

Ken Shilling and Kathy Wallens

"On Holy Ground"

Composer: Amy Carol Webb

Vocalist: Renée Katz