The Unitarian Universalist Church



Nothing About Us Without Us: Telling
Disability Stories
March 21, 2021 at 10:00 a.m.
Elizabeth Foster

Order of Service

Prelude "Meditation No. 6" Kramer

Sing #1053 "How Could Anyone" Libby Roderick

Welcome

Covenant Love is the spirit of this church,

and reason is its guide.
To dwell together in peace,
to seek truth in freedom,
and to serve human need:
this is our covenant.

Sung Response May love shine forth through us today

May light of reason guide our way May beauty, truth, and joy become A flame that burns in everyone.

Invocation

Musical Response "Here Together" Glasgow

Story "All The Way to the Top" by Annette Bay Pimentel

Offertory "It's You I Like" Rogers

Testimony Jessica Hodierne

Singing #1014 "Answering the Call of Love" Jason Shelton

Reading Disabled Country by Neil Marcus

Centering

Anthem "Take Down These Walls" Tate

Message Nothing About Us Without Us: Telling Disability Stories

Singing #128 "For All That Is Our Life" Findlow/Rickey

*Benediction and Closing Blessing Scott

"Go your way in peace,

Wander as you may; Blessed is the path you take; May love guide you on your way."



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