## Inviting Us into a Culture of Care

Rev. Nancy Palmer Jones, Worship Leader
Carol Underwood, Worship Associate
Christiana Fernandez-McQuain, Coordinator of Family Ministries
Michael & Rebecca Parker, Choir Directors
Stephen Pyle, Pianist
Sunday, September 8, 2024

## Prelude Slides Raindrops Keep Falling On My Head/Singing in the Rain

Burt Bacharach / Nacio Herb Brown

**Gathering the Water** *Please pour your water into one of the bowls on the chalice table.* 

Gathering Music #360 Here We Have Gathered Alicia S. Carpenter

Welcome Rev. Nancy Palmer Jones

**Testimony: Covenant Groups**Spirit Stones
Bill Benshoof
Mosie Lester

**Centering** 

Call to Worship You Are Beloved and You Are Welcome Here Joan Javier-Duval

& Chalice Lighting

Wonder Box Wisdom What Do We Do with an Invitation? Rev. Nancy

An Invitation to Practice Our Culture of Care

This summer I learned ... This year at UUCG, I hope we will ...

Music for Moving and Meditating The Water is Wide English Folk Song

Blessing Our Wisdom, Our Hopes, and Our Sacred Water

**Anthem Bridge Over Troubled Water** Paul Simon, arr. by Kirby Shaw

Pastoral Prayer Rev. Nancy

Hymn #323 Break Not the Circle Words: Fred Kaan

Music: Thomas Benjamin

**Sharing Our Gifts** Offering shared with *New Georgia Project* 

Offertory Laughter in the Rain Neil Sedaka & Phil Cody

Call to Connection

Hymn #1014 Answering the Call of Love Jason Shelton

Closing Words May You Be Changed Emily Richards

**Extinguishing Our Chalice** Elizabeth Selle Jones (adapted)