

WORSHIP SERVICE

September 27, 2026

Every new beginning comes from some other beginning's end."

— **Lucius Annaeus Seneca**

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Jim Hostetler, Trustee

PRELUDE

CHALICE LIGHTING

Rev. Linda Barnes

For Every Time We Make a Mistake by Maureen Kiloran

OPENING HYMN

Sarah Dan Jones, Music Director

Praise for the Seasons – Autumn by Linda Barnes

STORY

Lisa Frost, Director of Religious Exploration *The Hardest Word: A Yom Kippur Story*,
adapted by Jacqueline Jules Illustrated by Katherine Janus Kahn

For each child that's born a morning star rises and sings to the universe, who we are...

Children and Teachers May Go to Their Classes

OFFERING

You may come forward to light a candle in silence during the offertory.

JOYS AND SORROWS

MEDITATION

Rev. Linda Barnes

Beloved is Where We Begin by Jan Richardson

SILENCE

HYMN

Return Again

STJ#1011

READING

It Looks Like the Sky is Coming Apart and Together at the Same Time by Maya Stein
Jessie Marunowski, Worship Associate On Getting Thrown Out of the Nest by Jocelyn K. Gleib

HYMN

Sarah Dan Jones, Music Director

Wake Now My Senses

SLT#298

SERMON

Rev. Linda Barnes

The Time is Right – Start Here, Start Now

CLOSING HYMN

Sarah Dan Jones, Music Director

Answering the Call of Love

STJ#1014

CLOSING WORDS

Rev. Linda Barnes

POSTLUDE

EXTINGUISHING THE CHALICE