

## Share the Plate for May and June, 2021

Our Share the Plate recipient for May and June is *AMOR*. This is the Rhode Island chapter of the Alliance to Mobilize Our Resistance (AMOR RI), a coalition formed in January 2017 as a rapid response network to address acts of violence against individuals and local ICE raids. Half of the collection at our service on Sunday, May 2 will be donated to AMOR RI. **If you send a check to the UUCSC please note Share the Plate in the memo line. If you donate via PayPal please select Share The Plate from the drop down selection.** -- *Mary Alice Kimball*

### ***AMOR***

This grassroots organization is supported by a coalition of five organizations focusing on immigrant rights. It is led by individuals who are immigrants. They are involved in a number of projects including court advocacy, in need of interpreters of documents and visits to court and hospitals, assisting and fundraising

They are a coalition of directly affected and people of color led organizations, building a Rapid Resistance Network called AMOR. With help they will support our communities by crowd sourcing resources to provide:

- Emergency/immediate legal services to protect people from ICE and other law enforcement agencies,
- Culturally competent psychological services,
- Supporting and tracking incidents and victims of hate crimes,
- Protecting our communities against all forms of violence, especially state sponsored violence

AMOR envisions a world where the community has the power to ensure sovereignty. Where families are do not fear being separated due to their documentation status and where black and brown communities are able to protect themselves against police violence and immigration raids. AMOR envisions a world where mental and physical health are the number one measure of community safety. Furthermore, we envision a society where individual acts of hate and state sponsored hate are defeated by frontline community resistance.

[AMOR website.](#)