Today's Service

CULTIVATING CONNECTION WITH SELF, OTHERS, THE WIDE WORLD, AND GOD

FEEL FREE TO USE PRONOUNS OF YOUR CHOICE FOR ALL SONGS AND PRAYERS

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Gathering Statement

We gather this morning to connect with the Divine, with ourselves, with each other, and with the Oneness of all Creation. We gather because inclusive community built around shared stories and rituals inspires us to pursue justice and live out our values.

Call to Worship: Come Fall On Us

A thankful heart prepares the way for you my God A thankful heart prepares the way for you my God Come fall on us, we fall on you, A thankful heart will be our rhythm Come fall on us, we fall on you, A thankful heart will be our song

Sarum Prayer

God be in my head and in my understanding. God be in my eyes and in my looking. God be in my mouth and in my speaking. God be in my heart and in my thinking. God be at my end and at my departing. Amen.

A reading from the prophet Micah:

"For I brought you up out of the land of Egypt and redeemed you from the house of slavery, and I sent before you Moses, Aaron, and Miriam (Micah 6:4)

Announcements

Sermon **Candles**

Remembering the Names: Treyvon Martin, Ryan White-Mountain Soft, Michelle Cusseaux, John Crawford III, Michael Brown, Sean Monterrosa, Jasmine Cannady, Maurice Gordon, Tony McDade, George Floyd, Rayshard Brooks, Dominique "Rem'mie" Fells, Dijon Kizzee, Soon Chung Park, Suncha Kim, Ma'Khia Bryant, Daunte Wright, Jasvinder Kaur, Elcias Hernandez-Ortiz, Ahmaud Arbery, Breonna Taylor, and those we haven't named.

Prayer for Loved Ones: John and Shannon, Vanessa, Mariah, victims of tornadoes in Kentucky, Amy, *Kabore, Virginia, Dilan, Dustin, Pete and Joan, Lottie, Lina, Janee, Jesse, Ellie, Audrey, Anne, Dave and Heather, Kris, Kharin, Mike and Janine, Natalie, Linda, Ken and Eleanor, Eddie, Kevin, Holly Ann, Pat, Johnny, Amy, Mindy, William, Caleb, Anne, Lauretta, Bob, Bishop Yvette Flunder, Bishop Bonnie Perry, Bishop Darrell Goodwin, Bishop Tim Wolfe, Lilliana, Leah, Alicia, Patrisse, Opal, Ozone House, immigrants and those we lift up in silence.

The Lord's Prayer:

Our Creator in heaven, hallowed be your name. Your kin_dom come, your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. And forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial, and deliver us from evil. For the kin_dom, the power, and the glory are yours. Now and forever. Amen.

Communion

Song: Joy to the World

Joy to the World, the Lord has come! Let earth receive her King; Let every heart prepare Him room, And Heaven and nature sing (repeat)

Joy to the World, the Savior reigns! Let us our songs employ; While fields and floods, rocks, hills and plains Repeat the sounding joy (repeat)

He rules the world with truth and grace, And makes the nations prove The glories of His righteousness, And wonders of His love (repeat)

Benediction

Let us go from this place proclaiming that we have seen the glory of God

Believing that there is a light that shines in the darkness Which the darkness shall not overcome And may the love of the Creator The joy of the Spirit And the peace of the Christ-child

Go in peace, wash your hands, love your neighbor, you are not alone.