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

Chimes

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

Children's Minute

A reading from Psalm 150:

Praise the Lord! Praise God in their Temple!
Praise them in heaven, their strong fortress!
Praise them for the great things they do!
Praise them for all their greatness!
Praise them with trumpets and horns!
Praise them with harps and lyres!
Praise them with tambourines and dancing!
Praise them with stringed instruments and flutes!
Praise them with loud cymbals!
Praise them with crashing cymbals!
Everything that breathes, praise the Lord!
Praise the Lord!

Announcements Sermon Candles

Remembering the Names: Patrick Lyoya, Amir Locke, Xiaojie Tan, Dontre Hamilton, Manuel Diaz, Eric Garner, Joshua Spottedhorse, Natasha McKenna, Loreal Tsingine, Laguan McDonald, Riah Milton, Walter Wallace Jr, Aidan Ellison, Ezell Ford, Corey Kanosh, Yong Ae Yue, Robert Fuller, Whispering Wind Bear Spirit, Jaswinder Singh, Daniel Prude, Jaida Peterson, Jonathan Price, Antonio Valenzuela, Andrew Brown Jr., Cornelius Fredericks, Brandon Laducer, and those we haven't named.

Prayer for Loved Ones: Tim's family, Lisa and Jason, Vince & family, Marjorie, Janeane and Mary, Johnny, Aaron, Dilan, Kabore, Virginia, Chris, Kaiden, Jodi, Ellie, 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.

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

Beautiful Things

(Lisa Gungor/Michael Gungor) All this pain I wonder if I'll ever find my way I wonder if my life could really change, at all

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All this earth Could all that is lost ever be found? Could a garden come out from this ground, at all?

(Chorus:) You make beautiful things You make beautiful things out of the dust You make beautiful things You make beautiful things out of us

All around, Hope is springing up from this old ground Out of chaos life is being found, in you

(Chorus)

You make me new, You are making me new You make me new, You are making me new

Benediction