# Today's Service

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

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#### 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.

### Song: Come Fall On Us

(Benoit Pasley Henry, Robin D Pasley) 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

#### A reading from the book of Colossians:

No one can see God, but the Son is exactly like God. He sits over everything that has been made.

Through his power all things were made: things in heaven and on earth, seen and not seen-Everything was made through him and for him.

The Son was there before anything was made. And all things continue because of him.

#### **Announcements**

Sermon **Candles** 

Remembering the Names: Kesha Webster, Joshua Spottedhorse, Roberta Drury, Rayshard Brooks, Yong Ae Yue, Germane Reed, Heyward Patterson, Latoya James, Aidan Ellison, Adam Toledo, Cornelius Fredericks, Nicolas Chavez, Michael Brown, Suncha Kim, Amir Locke, Winston Smith, Cypress Ramos, Walter Wallace Jr, Malcolm Harsch, Ma'Khia Bryant, Robert Fuller, and those we haven't named. We hold them and their families in our hearts.

Prayer for Loved Ones: Dilan, Kabore, Virginia, Chris, Kaiden, Colette, Evelyn, Aubrey, Leo, Deb and Jim, Dave and Heather, Kris, Kharin, Mike and Janine, Natalie, Linda, Ken and Eleanor, Eddie, Kevin, Holly Ann, Pat, Johnny, 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.

# **Call and Response**

Leader: The Lord be with you! People: And also with you. Leader: Lift up your hearts!

People: We lift them up unto the Lord.

Leader: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. People: It is right to give God thanks and praise.

#### Communion

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.

# Do It Again

(Mack Brock, Chris Brown)
Walking around these walls
I thought by now they'd fall
But You have never failed me yet
Waiting for change to come
Knowing the battle's won
For You have never failed me yet

#### (Chorus:)

Your promise still stands
Great is Your faithfulness, faithfulness
I'm still in Your hands
This is my confidence, You've never failed me yet

I know the night won't last Your word will come to pass My heart will sing Your praise again Jesus, You're still enough Keep me within Your love My heart will sing Your praise again

#### (Chorus)

I've seen You move, You move the mountains And I believe, I'll see You do it again You made a way, when there was no way And I believe, I'll see You do it again

### (Chorus)

And You never failed me yet I never will forget You never failed me yet And I never will forget

#### **Communal Prayer Call & Response**

Leader: The highest skies are in love with You.

The great Earth opens its palms in peace.

#### **Everyone:**

Our truest being is anchored in Your goodness. You are God, Compassionate being of three.

Leader: Everything praises You, sound its true note.
All the Enlightened chant praises.

# **Everyone:**

Every being takes its refuge in You, And the light of Your Holy Compassion frees us all.

Leader: Everything looks to you, without thinking.
Shower us with Your Healing Rain!

# Everyone:

Help us to overcome, give life to what has withered, And water the roots of kindness in

### Stand In Your Love (E)

(Ethan Hulse, Josh Baldwin, Marcus R. Harris, Rita Springer)

When darkness tries to roll over my bones When sorrow comes to steal the joy I own When brokenness and pain is all I know Oh, I won't be shaken, no, I won't be shaken

#### (Chorus:)

My fear doesn't stand a chance When I stand in Your love My fear doesn't stand a chance When I stand in Your love My fear doesn't stand a chance When I stand in Your love!

Shame no longer has a place to hide I am not a captive to the lies I'm not afraid to leave my past behind Oh, I won't be shaken, no, I won't be shaken!

#### (Chorus)

There's power that can break off every chain There's power that can empty out a grave There's resurrection power that can save There's power in Your name, power in Your name

#### **Benediction**

Go in peace. Wash your hands. Love your neighbors. You are not alone.

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