

# 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

### A reading from Ezekiel 37:1-6

The Lord's power came on me. The Spirit of the Lord carried me out of the city and put me down in the middle of the valley. The valley was full of dead men's bones. There were many bones lying on the ground in the valley. I saw the bones were very dry. Then the Lord said to me, "Son of man, can these bones come to life?" I answered, "Lord God, only you know the answer to that question." Then he said to me, "Speak to these bones for me. Tell them, 'Dry bones, listen to the word of the Lord! This is what the Lord God says to you: I will cause breath to come into you, and you will come to life! I will put muscles on you, and I will cover you with skin. Then I will put breath in you, and you will come back to life! Then you will know that I am the Lord.'"

## Announcements

### Sermon

### Candles

**Remembering the Names:** Irvo Otieno, George Floyd, Ruth Whitfield, Semaj Billingslea, Ryan White-Mountain Soft, Michelle Cusseaux, Antonio Martin, John Crawford III, Jasmine Cannady, Maurice Gordon, Iris Santos, Tony McDade, Dominique "Rem'mie" Fells, Dijon Kizzee, Geraldine Talley, Soon Chung Park, Daunte Wright, Jasvinder Kaur, Ahmaud Arbery, Margus Morrison, and those we haven't named. We hold them and their families in our hearts.

**Prayers for Loved Ones:** Sue, Manoj, Will, Jackie, Amy, Darryl, the McArdle Family, MJ, Lydi, Evan, Michelle, Donna and Penny, Haevyn, Rhonda & family, Jim, Kurt, Deb and Jim, Dave and Heather, Kris, Kharin, Mike and Janine, Brian, Natalie, Linda, Ken and Eleanor, Eddie, Kevin, Holly Ann, Pat, Mindy, William, Calob, Anne, Laretta, Bob, Bishop Yvette Flunder, Bishop Bonnie Perry, Bishop Darrell Goodwin, Bishop Tim Wolfe, Lilliana, Sheila, Leah, Alicia, Patrisse, Opal, Ozone House, 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

**Vapor**

**By Gungor**

Oh the vapor of it all  
It's a chasing of the wind  
The substance of the form  
So pale and thin  
Let the veil of earth  
Be stretched again

Holy  
All behold the holy  
Trees clap their hands for you  
Oceans, they dance for you

Heaven taunts the hearts of men  
We can feel it from within  
The beauty of it all  
The mystery  
The swelling of a voice  
A rising sea

Holy  
All behold the holy  
Trees clap their hands for you  
Oceans, they dance for you

You are holy  
Infinite and holy

A billion suns rise for you  
Clouds paint the skies for you  
Mountains stand tall for you  
Valleys bow down to you  
Everything rising to  
Sing all our songs to you

Holy  
The impossible and holy  
Kings become fools for you  
Kingdoms to ruins for you  
Vapor finds ground in you  
Music finds sound in you  
Everything rising  
Everything rising  
Everything rising  
Everything rising  
Everything rising

Come like dawn  
Like grace  
Like sunlight  
Bring this world to life

Come like rain  
Like breath  
Like springtime  
Bring this world to life

**Benediction**

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