

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 (Psalm 50)

(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 Psalm 25:

Lord, I put my life in your hands.
 I trust in you, my God,
 and I will not be disappointed.
 My enemies will not laugh at me.
 Lord, help me learn your ways.
 Show me how you want me to live.
 Guide me and teach me your truths.
 You are my God, my Savior.
 You are the one I have been waiting for.
 Remember to be kind to me, Lord.
 Show me the tender love that you have always had.
 Don't remember the unkind things I did when I was young.

Because you are good, Lord, remember me with your faithful love.

Dismiss the Kids

Announcements

Sermon

Candles

Remembering the Names: AJ Laguerre Jr., Breonna Taylor, Keenan Anderson, Jaheim McMillan, Aidan Ellison, James Williams, Pearl Young, Daoyou Feng, Riah Milton, Paul Castaway, Winston Smith, Elcias Hernandez-Ortiz, Elijah McClain, Aaron Salter, Anthony Alvarez, Duvall Princess, Malcolm Harsch, Andrew Brown Jr., Suncha Kim, Amir Locke

Prayer for Loved Ones: Alisha, MJ, Peter, Jan, Donna, Penny, Joe and family, Hailey, Yvonne, Steven, Diane, Annie, Christina, John, Tyler, JL, Marcia and family, Haevyn, Rhonda & family, Jim, Kurt, Dave and Heather, Mindy, Kris, Mike and Janine, Calob, Janie, Bishop Yvette Flunder, Bishop Bonnie Perry, Bishop Darrell Goodwin, Bishop Tim Wolfe, Lilliana, Zooe, Leah, Alicia, Patrisse, Opal, Ozone House

Communion

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.

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.

House of God, Forever

(Jon Foreman)

God is my shepherd
I won't be wanting, I won't be wanting
You make me rest
In fields of green, with quiet streams
Even though I walk
Through the valley, of death and dying
I will not fear
'Cause You are with me, You're always with me

Your shepherd's staff comforts me
You are my feast in the presence of enemies
Surely goodness will follow me, follow me
In the house of God, forever

Heart Won't Stop

(John Mark McMillan, Sarah McMillan)

There is not a human or a beast
Nothing on the land or underneath
Oh, nothing that could ever come between
The love You have for me

I could lay my head in Sheol
I could make my bed at
The bottom of the darkness deep, oh
But there is not a place I could escape You

Your heart won't stop coming after me
Your heart won't stop coming after me
Your heart won't stop coming after, coming after me

There is not an angel of the stars
There is not a devil in the dark
Oh, nothing that could change
The way You are, the love You have for me

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