# 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 today 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 118:

The stone that the builders rejected became the cornerstone. The Lord made this happen, and we think it is wonderful! This is the day the Lord has made. Let us rejoice and be happy today! The people say, "Praise the Lord! The Lord saved us!

Welcome to the one who comes in the name of the Lord." The priests answer, "We welcome you to the Lord's house!

The Lord is God, and They accept us.

# Dismiss the Kids

**Announcements** 

Sermon

**Candles** 

#### We Remember:

Sandra Bland, Raymond Mattia, Jasmine Cannady, Jaswinder Singh, Ezell Ford, Maurice Gordon, Hyun Jung Grant, Margus Morrison, Cornelius Fredericks, Corey Kanosh, Angela Carr, Walter Wallace Jr., Jerrald Gallion, Irvo Otieno, Gary Jackson, Ta'Kiya Young, Brandon Laducer, Brazil Johnson, Katherine Massey

Prayer for Loved Ones: Doug, Sarah and family, Fred, Jenn, The Lyons Family, Jack, 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, Zooey, 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.

# Raise Up

(Semler)

Bring me your weak and weary Bring me your strange and cold I come for hope and healing That you won't feel alone

So raise up, raise up, raise up So raise up, raise up So raise up, raise up, raise up I have told you that

I am the way and the truth and the life I'm justice, I'm all that is right Carry on now, carry on Carry on now

And there's a galaxy behind your eyelids And there's a war in your house And there's a meaning that is far beyond us And there is courage in doubt

And I am the way and the truth and the life I am mystery, the day, and the night Carry on now, carry on Carry on now

## **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

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

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

You make me new, You are making me new

#### **Benediction**

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