

THE ORDER OF WORSHIP

OUT OF COURTESY & RESPECT, PLEASE TURN OFF/MUTE
CELL PHONES, AND OTHER DEVICES. THANK YOU!

*Rising together in community, as we are able.

+Music for Gathering

Welcome and Announcements

Prelude:

Call to Worship

Chalice Lighting

Invocation

*Opening Hymn #170 “We Are a Gentle Angry People”

*Congregational Covenant (Unison)

*Love is the spirit of this church and service is its law.
This is our great covenant: to dwell together in peace,
To seek the truth in freedom, and to help one another.*

*Greeting the Holy in Our Midst

Message for All Ages: “The Peace Book” by Todd Parr

Communion of Names and Pastoral Prayer

+ Silence and Musical Meditation

*Hymn of Reflection # 169 “We Shall Overcome”

Reading: “The Work of Christmas” by Howard Thurman
and “True Freedom” by Jacob Hintze (1678)

**Offertory: "Deep Blue" by Adrian Webster

*Responsive Reading # 579 “The Limits of Tyrants”

Sermon: “Working Together for Black Lives Matter”
Guest Speaker – Dotty Storer

*Closing Hymn # 149 “Life Every Voice and Sing”

*Extinguishing the Chalice (Unison)

*We extinguish this flame but not the light of truth,
the warmth of community, or the fire of commitment:
These we carry in our hearts until we are together again.*

*Benediction

(Please be seated)

Postlude: "Turning Pages" by Sleeping at Last

Fellowship and Refreshments (Founders Hall)
Church Chats (Sermon Discussion) (Sanctuary)

+(After the silence, please feel free to come forward and light a candle)

**Offering: This church is supported by the pledges of our members and friends.
The offering provides an additional opportunity for expressing generosity by those
attending today’s worship.

OUR SHARED MINISTRY THIS MORNING

Guest Speaker: *Dotty Storer*

Worship Associate: *Sam Mount*

Worship Facilitator: *Cheri Naquin*

Interim Dir. Relig. Education: *The Rev. Jennifer Innis*

Ushers: *April Emmert, Andra Garcia, Bev Fleming
and Bette Farrer*

Flowers:

Musician: *Amy Dessert*

Membership Representatives: *Pam Reinke Walter*

Audio/Visual Technician: *David West*

Fellowship: *Families whose last name falls between Veal thru Bethel*

Next Sunday – January 14 – “Dear White Folks: That Would Be Me” –
Rev. Patrick Price