

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 *(Latecomers admitted)*

Prelude: "Chariot" arr. Kern – Community Church Choir
(Latecomers admitted)

Call to Worship

Chalice Lighting

Invocation

(Latecomers admitted during hymn)

*Opening Hymn # 1028 "The Fire of Commitment" (insert/screen)

*Responsive Reading # 565 "Prophets"

*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 *(Latecomers admitted)*

Message for All Ages: Let the Children March by
Monica Clark-Robinson and Frank Morrison

Anthem: "Rise Up" by J.M. Hayden - Community Church Choir

Children's Benediction (sung in unison)

*Go now in peace; go now in peace.
May the Spirit of Love surround you,
Everywhere, everywhere, you may go*

Communion of Names and Pastoral Prayer

+ Silence and Musical Meditation

*Hymn of Reflection # 1021 "Lean on Me" (insert/screen)

Reading excerpts from "Letter from Birmingham Jail"
by the Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.

Homily I: "Dear White Folks" Rev. Patrick Price

**Offertory: "What a Wonderful World" – Community Church Choir

*Hymn of Thanksgiving # 141 "I've Got a New Name"

Homily II: "That Would Be Me" The Rev. Patrick Price

*Closing Hymn # 1017 "Building A New Way" (insert/screen)

*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: "Rise Up" (Reprise) – Community Church Choir

Fellowship and Refreshments (Founders Hall)

Church Chats (Sermon Discussion) (Sanctuary)

+ (Light candles before service or during the Musical Meditation. Please approach from the back, going to the front racks. After, blow out match stick and put hot end in sand)

**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

Worship Leader: *The Rev. Patrick Price*

Worship Associate: *Sandy Farlow*

Board Member on duty: *Sandy Farlow*

Facilitator: *Jeannette Baillie*

Interim DRE: *Rev. Jennifer Innis*

Ushers: *Rob Hight and Mike Robinson*

Chalice Lighter:

Flowers: *Provided by Jo Howser*

Musicians: *Community Church Choir*

Membership Representatives: *June Bruns, John Snyder and Stan Darnell*

Sound Booth: *David West*

Coffee Host: *Families whose last name falls between Bethel and Cox*

Next Sunday, January 21 – "Creation, Creativity and the Real" – Rev. Patrick Price.