

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 “When Our Heart is In a Holy Place” (insert)

*Responsive Reading #580 The Task of the Religious Community

*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

Ming Lo Moves The Mountain
by Arnold Lobel

Children’s Benediction (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 #318 “We Would Be One”

Reading “Ministry is All That We Do” by Gordon McKeeman

**Offertory

Congregational Response “We are One, We are Many”

Sermon Thomas Earthman “The Ephemeral Ordination of Liberal Community Ministry”

*Closing Hymn #349 “We Gather Together”

*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

Postlude

Fellowship and Refreshments (Founders Hall)
Church Chats (Homily 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: *Thomas Earthman*

Worship Associate: *T. Cheri Naquin*

Worship Facilitator: *Sam Mount*

Interim DRE: *Rev. Jennifer Innis*

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

Flowers: *Provided by April Emmert in honor of her daughter’s birthday on February 1.*

Musician: *Nelab McComsey*

Membership Representatives: *Pam Reinke Walter*

Audio/Visual Technician: *David West*

Fellowship: *Families whose last names falls between Grauke thru Hollands*

Next Sunday – February 11 – “Our Power of Blessing” – Rev. Patrick Price.