

# 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: “Jazz Alleluia” by Thomas Benjamin  
Community Church Choir

Call to Worship

Chalice Lighting

Invocation

\*Opening Hymn # 360 “Here We Have Gathered”

\*Responsive Reading *(insert/screen)*

Special Music: “Stand Together” by Jim Papoulis  
Community Church Choir

\*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: Teacher Appreciation – Rev. Innis

Special Music: “Give Me Love” by George Harrison  
HoUUse Jam

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*

Special Music: “Cantate Hodie” by Mary Lynn Lightfoot  
Community Church Choir

Communion of Names and Pastoral Prayer

+ Silence and Musical Meditation

Words for Offering

\*\*Offertory: “One Song” by Bergman/Hamlisch arr. Mary Hayes  
Community Church Choir

\*Hymn of Reflection: # 391 “Voice Still and Small”

Sermon: “Power of Music” - The Rev. Patrick Price

\*Closing Hymn # 370 “All People That on Earth Do Dwell”

\*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.*

Anthem: “Why We Sing” by Greg Gilpin – Community Church Choir

\*Benediction

(Please be seated)

Postlude: “Kind and Generous” by Natalie Merchant-HoUUse Jam/All  
Please join your voices for the chorus!

Fellowship: Lunch provided by Church Youth

+(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

Worship Leader: *The Rev. Patrick Price*

Worship Associate: *Sandy Farlow*

Worship Facilitator: *Cheri Naquin*

Board Member on duty: *Alyssa Church*

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

Ushers: *Sarah Reiling and Janice Hildenbrand*

Flowers: *Provided by Jo Howser*

Musicians: *Community Church Choir and HoUUse Jam (see  
insert)*

Membership Representatives: *Gene & Vicki Verinder*

Audio/Visual Technician: *Rob Hight*

Fellowship: *Lunch provided by Church Youth*

Next Sunday – May 27 – Guest Speaker – Tom Kellner