

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 #1000 Morning Has Come (insert)

*Responsive Reading #477

*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

Stewardship Moment: Joyce Thompson

Message for all Ages: “Wilfrid Gordon McDonald Partridge”
by Mem Fox

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 Prayer

+ Silence and Musical Meditation

Reading: “Remember Me” by Blane Blazier

*Hymn of Reflection: #1012 “When I Am Frightened” (insert)

Words for Offering: Share the Plate Minister’s Discretionary Fund

**Offertory

Offering Response - “We are One, We are Many” (*onscreen*)

Sermon: “Dementia, Faith and Hope” – Guest Speaker – Danny Mack, Director of Spiritual and Social Services Christian Care Communities and Services

*Closing Song: #95 “There is More Love Somewhere”

*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

Fellowship and Refreshments (Founders Hall)

Church Chats (Sermon Discussion) (Sanctuary)

+(After the silence, please feel free to come forward & 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: *Danny Mack*

Worship Associate: *Bill Daffinee*

Board Member on duty: *Kimberly Schramm*

Chalice Lighter: *Noah Edwards*

Ushers: *Bill and Mina Daffinee*

Flowers:

Musician: *Duane Mortensen*

Membership Representative: *Judith Boyle and Barb Salvo*

Audio/Visual Technician: *Cheri Naquin*

Fellowship: *Various families*

Next Sunday – April 7 - “Lying and Truthfulness” Guest Speaker, Bob Thigpen.