

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: # 12 “O Life That Maketh All Things New”

*Responsive Reading: “When I Change, The World Changes” (screen)

*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: Alyssa Church

Message for all Ages: “Petra” by Marianna Coppo Shay Richardson

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: “The Journey” by Mary Oliver

*Hymn of Reflection: # 83 “Winds Be Still”

**Offertory:

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

Homily: “Protecting Youth, Empowering Change, Transforming Lives” - Karen Voelker, Community Relations Manager, City House of Plano.

*Closing Song: # 146 “Soon the Day Will Arrive”

*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: “That’s How You Change the World” (video)

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: *Karen Voelker*

Worship Associate: *Sandy Farlow*

Worship Facilitator: *Jeanette Baillie*

Chalice Lighter: *Abi Campbell*

Board Member on duty: *Sarah Reiling*

Ushers: *Jim Hinton and Rob Hight*

Flowers: *Given in honor of Donna Benings’ birthday.*

Musician: *Elena Westbrook*

Membership Representatives: *June Bruns, John Snyder Sam and Sharon Nickols*

Audio/Visual Technician: *David West*

Fellowship: *Families whose last name falls between Bliss and Dowling*

Next Sunday – April 21 - Easter Service with Guest Speaker - Rev. Edwin Robinson