

# 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:** Longing by George Winston

**Call to Worship**

**Chalice Lighting**

**Invocation**

\***Opening Hymn:** #83 “Winds Be Still”

\***Responsive Reading:** #571 written by Eusebius

\***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:** Some Place to Go by Maria Testa

**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:**

Ora (Time) by Ludovico Einaudi

\***Hymn of Reflection:** #84 “How far Can reach a Smile”

**Reading:** Parable of The Good Samaritan

\*\***Offertory:** Flight of th Seagull by Wayne Gratz

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

**Sermon:** “What Would You Do ?”

**Guest Speaker - Rev Rick Crocker CEO of The Samaritan Inn**

\***Closing Song:** #67 We Sing 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**

(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 Speakers: *Rev Rick Crocker*

Worship Associate: *Bill Daffinee*

Board Member on duty: *Sarah Reiling*

Dir. Religious Education: *Vacant*

Ushers: *Sarah Reiling and Janice Hildenbrand*

Chalice lighter:

Flowers: *Provided by April Emmert in celebration of William Young’s 16<sup>th</sup> birthday*

Musician: *Duane Mortensen*

Membership Representatives: *Gene and Vicki Verinder*

Audio/Visual Technician: *Rob Hight*

Fellowship: *Families whose last name falls between Laenger and Nicholson*

**Next Sunday – August 25 – “Coming Out” – Guest Speaker –  
Rev. Edwin Robinson**