

GREETING

PRELUDE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

SOUNDING OF THE TEMPLE BELL

*** CHALICE LIGHTING AND COVENANT**

Love is the spirit of this church and service its law.
This is our great covenant – to dwell together in peace,
to seek the truth in love, and to help one another.

*** HYMN #298**

Wake, Now, My Senses

***INVOCATION (unison)**

From *Meditation XVII* (1624) by John Donne

No one is an island, entire of itself.

Each is a piece of the continent, a part of the main.

If a clod be washed away by the sea, Europe is the less
as well as if a promontory were, as well as if a manor of mine own
or of mine friend's were.

Each person's death diminishes me, for I am involved in humankind.
Therefore, I send not to know for whom the bell tolls; it tolls for me.

ANTHEM *Building Bridges*

TIME FOR ALL AGES

SINGING THE CHILDREN FORTH

Go now in peace, go now in peace.
May the spirit of love surround you
everywhere, everywhere you may go.

MEDITATION

From *Intimations of Immortality (in) Early Childhood*
William Wordsworth

SHARING JOYS AND SORROWS

READING

from *The Meaning of Human Existence* by E.O. Wilson
and *12 Essential Scientific Concepts* by Indre Viskontas

***HYMN #299**

Make Channels for the Streams of Love

READING

from Judaism's *Book of Genesis 3-4*
and the Christian *Gospel According to Luke 10*

SERMON

*EXPECTATIONS IN HUMAN COMMUNITY:
To Befriend or Not to Befriend*

OFFERTORY

***HYMN #146**

Soon the Day Will Arrive

GOING FORTH

CARRYING FORTH THE LIGHT

We extinguish this flame, but not the light of truth,
the warmth of love, or the fire of courage.
These we carry in our hearts and out into the world.

POSTLUDE

* Asterisks indicate an opportunity to stand.

Worship Leader: Sarah Craig

Music Director: Nic Filzen

Anthem: Voice Choir

Ministers: All of us

Speaker: Rev. Jack Donovan

Pianist: Teresa Ancaya

Hospitality: Kevin Wamboldt

Greeters: