

1/28/24

People We're Stuck With



Enter to Worship

^Please rise in body and/or in spirit.

Ingathering

Come Away

by Mark Hayes, Cedar Lane Quartet

Dirait-On

by Morten Lauridson, Cedar Lane Quartet

^Greet your Neighbor

Tolling the Bells

A recording of the bells ringing in our Partner Church in Dicsöszentmárton, Transylvania (Romania) signifies the time for quiet as we prepare for worship.

Prelude

For Good from Wicked arr., Dr. Jasmin Lee

Welcome

Rev. Dayna Edwards

^Kindling the Chalice from Rev. Kimi Floyd Reisch, adapted Srikanth Seshadri, Worship Associate

We light the flame of change,
Committing to recenter toward love,
In hearts, in minds, in our world.

We light the flame of hope,
Loving each other, building community,
even when it is uncomfortable.

We light the flame of knowledge,
Following the path of justice,
Justice that is love embodied.

We light this flame and pledge that
In love, with love, and through love,
All things are possible.

^Hymn #1007

There's a River
Words & Music: Rose Sanders

Joys and Sorrows

Srikanth Seshadri

Silence

During the silence, those grieving a loss or commemorating an anniversary of a loss are invited to rise in mourning and memory.

Loving Kindness Meditation

Rev. Janamanchi

Hymn

There is a Love
Words: Rebecca Parker, Music: Elizabeth Norton

Invitation to the Offering

Rev. Edwards



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Thank you for your generosity and support!

Offertory

In My Life by Lennon/McCartney
Cedar Lane Quartet

Reflection

Rev. Janamanchi

Anthem

What Wondrous Love Is This
Words: Connie Campbell Hart / Music: The Southern Harmony, arr. Clif Hardin
Cedar Lane Choir, Libby Wiebel, director

Reflection

Megan Szczepanik

^Hymn

Answering the Call of Love
Words & Music: Jason Shelton

Announcements

Closing Words from Rachel Lamb

Rev. Janamanchi

Appreciation & Postlude

DEPART TO SERVE

- ❖ Join us for coffee and fellowship after service!
- ❖ We are grateful for everyone
 - who creates this community - for every one of you in person and at home.
 - whose generosity and support ensure financial support for our worship services and ministries - our Annual Fund Campaign pledgers and contributors.
 - to our worship team, music ministry team, and our A/V team for preparing and co-creating worship together with the congregation today.
 - to our facilities and office staff, our membership and faith formation staff, ushers, greeters, and caring team volunteers, for engaging with and caring for our community.
 - Angela Wall for the beautiful flower arrangement.
- ❖ **Next Sunday, February 4, 2024**
 - **9am Quiet Callings with Rev. Abhi Janamanchi & Libby Wiebel**
 - **10:30am “My Sibling's Keeper” with Rev. Abhi Janamanchi**

Hymn: Answering the Call of Love

Words & Music: Jason Shelton

The promise of the Spirit:
faith, hope and love abide.
And so ev'ry soul
is blessed and made whole;
the truth in our hearts is our guide..

Chorus:

We are answering the call of love:
hands joined together as hearts beat as one.
Emboldened by faith, we dare to proclaim
we are answering the call of love.

Sometimes we build a barrier
to keep love tightly bound.
Corrupted by fear,
unwilling to hear,
denying the beauty we've found.

Chorus

A bright new day is dawning
when love will not divide.
Reflections of grace
in ev'ry embrace,
fulfilling the vision divine.

Chorus

Hymn: There is a Love

Words: Rebecca Parker & Music - Elizabeth Norton

There is a love holding me/us.
There is a love holding all that I/we love.
There is a love holding all.
I / We rest in this love.