Order of Worship - August 9, 2020

Preservice Music— time for calming and centering as you prepare for worship

Ringing of the Opening Chime Charlotte Droogan

Announcements and Welcome Charlotte Droogan

Prelude Lorna Mae Elhert

Opening Words Rev. Ms. Denise Tracy

Opening Hymn Gray #21 "For the Beauty of the Earth" Lorna Mae Elhert

Unison Chalice Lighting Charlotte Droogan

We light this Chalice for the beginnings of our earth.

For the light that comes from darkness,

For the earth that rose from the waters,
and for every living creature, plant, animal, human being.
With this flame we cherish our planet and all of creation

Covenant Charlotte Droogan

Love is the doctrine of this church.

The quest of truth is its sacrament, and service is its prayer.

To dwell together in peace, to seek knowledge in freedom, to serve humanity in fellowship,

To the end that all souls shall grow in harmony with the Divine,

Thus do we covenant with each other and with God.

Time for the Young at Heart "Big Momma Makes the World" Rev. Ms. Denise Tracy

Reading Excerpts from the Book of Genesis Rev. Ms. Denise Tracy

Sermon "The New Creation Story" Rev. Ms. Denise Tracy

Meditation "Our Lives Are Only Part of Life" Lorna Mae Elhert

SHARING OF JOYS & CONCERNS Charlotte Droogan

Closing Hymn Gray #170 "We Are A Gentle Angry People" Lorna Mae Elhert

Closing Words Rev. Ms. Denise Tracy

Chalice Extinguishing Charlotte Droogan

Carry the Flame of Peace and Love Until We Meet Again.

Postlude Lorna Mae Elhert

Everyone is invited to our virtual <u>Coffee Hour</u> immediately following the service. Offering may be mailed to the church or paid online through our website using Paypal.