Order of Worship – December 13, 2020

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

Ringing of the Opening Chime — Kerry Daimid

Welcome and Announcements — Kerry Daimid

Invitation to Worship — Kerry Daimid

Prelude — Lorna Mae Ehlert

Opening Words — The Rev. Ms. Denise D. Tracy

Opening Hymn Gray Hymnal #118 "This Little Light of Mine" — Lorna Mae Ehlert

Unison Chalice Lighting — Kerry Daimid

In this season of Advent, let us kindle this flame.
Renewing our faith and looking forward to the blessings of this season.

Covenant — Kerry Daimid

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: The Story of Jingle Bells — The Rev. Ms. Denise D. Tracy

Song "Jingle Bells" — Lorna Mae Ehlert

Reading "The Fallow Way" By Judy Collins — The Rev. Ms. Denise D. Tracy

Sermon "A Meditation on Darkness" — The Rev. Ms. Denise D. Tracy

SHARING OF JOYS & CONCERNS — Kerry Daimid

Meditation: Spoken — The Rev. Ms. Denise D. Tracy

Sung Red Hymnal #14 "Each Small Flame" — Lorna Mae Ehlert

Closing Hymn Gray Hymnal #55 "Dark of Winter"

Blessing/Closing Words — The Rev. Ms. Denise D. Tracy

Holding the Light — The Rev. Ms. Denise D. Tracy

Chalice Extinguishing — Kerry Daimid

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

Postlude

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