

Order of Worship – May 9, 2021

Preservice Music— time for calming and centering as you prepare for worship	Angela S.
Ringing of the Opening Chime	Laurie Garland
Welcome and Announcements	Laurie Garland
Invitation to Worship	Laurie Garland
Prelude	Angela S.
Opening Words “It Matters What We Believe” by Sophia Lyon Fahs	Rev. Darrick Jackson
Opening Hymn: Gray Hymnal #128 “For All That Is Our Life”	Angela S. & Emily W.
Unison Chalice Lighting	Laurie Garland
<i>We light this chalice in honor of stories. Old stories and new stories stories of challenge and hope the stories that shape us, and the stories that move us forward. ~Rev. Darrick Jackson</i>	
Covenant	Laurie Garland
<i>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.</i>	
Sharing of Joys and Concerns	Laurie Garland
Meditation (spoken, Silent) (sung) Red Hymnal #2 “All Shall Be Well”	Rev. Darrick Jackson Angela S.
Readings “The Stories We Tell” by Chris Bateman	Rev. Darrick Jackson
Sermon “Telling Our Stories”	Rev. Darrick Jackson
Closing Words	Rev. Darrick Jackson
Closing Hymn Gray Hymnal #108 “My Life Flows On in Endless Song”	Angela S. & Emily W.
Chalice Extinguishing	Laurie Garland
<i>Carry the Flame of Peace and Love Until We Meet Again.</i>	
Postlude	Angela S.

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.