Order of Worship - June 19, 2022

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

Ringing of the Opening Chime Sandy Griffin

Welcome and Announcements Sandy Griffin

Invitation to Worship Sandy Griffin

Prelude Lorna Mae Ehlert

Opening Words "Bridging" by Marge Piercy The Rev. Ms. Denise Tracy

Opening Hymn: Gray Hymnal #38 "Morning Has Broken" Lorna Mae Ehlert

Unison Chalice Lighting Sandy Griffin

We light this chalice in honor of the friendships that have changed our world.

May each of us have alliances that support and nurture our dreams

And make both our lives and the world a better place.

May this flame inspire us.

Covenant Sandy Griffin

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 "John and Thomas, Allies and Friends" The Rev. Ms. Denise Tracy

Reading: "To Be of Use" by Marge Piercy The Rev. Ms. Denise Tracy

Sermon: "Prophetic Friendships" The Rev. Ms. Denise Tracy

Offertory Sandy Griffin/Lorna Mae Ehlert

Joys & Sorrows Sandy Griffin

Spoken, Silent Meditation: "The Perpetual Migration" by Marge Piercy The Rev. Ms. Denise Tracy

Musical Meditation: Gray Hymnal #123 "Spirit of Life" Lorna Mae Ehlert

Closing Hymn: Gray Hymnal #170 "We Are a Gentle, Angry People" Lorna Mae Ehlert

Blessing/Holding the Light The Rev. Ms. Denise Tracy

Chalice Extinguishing Sandy Griffin

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

Postlude Lorna Mae Ehlert