

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Prelude: Andrew Maldarelli

- Reopening Task Force Update
- Pastor Scott Come 'n Go (coffee meet up) next Monday, May 31 9-11am
- Welcome back children and youth!
- Farm Day is TODAY!
- SuperPlay bowling is TODAY!
- Karen Wittenburg's memorial service is Monday, June 14 at 1:00pm

CENTERING & LIGHTING CANDLES

Flowers provided by Georgia Walp

LAY READER

Vicki March

PAUSE FOR REFLECTION

Barbara Kingsolver, *Animal Dreams*

“The very least you can do in your life is figure out what you hope for. And the most you can do is live inside that hope. Not admire it from a distance but live right in it, under its roof.”

CALL TO WORSHIP

The prophet asks: Can our soul-weary bones live again?

O God, you know!

We ask: Can we live again, laugh again, love again after mourning, loss and grief?

O God, you know!

The promise is pronounced:

God’s breath poured out as new hope for weary souls!

Let us celebrate the gift of God’s intention,

Come worship God with laughter and longing!

OPENING HYMN

"Spirit, Spirit of Gentleness"

MINUTE FOR MISSION

Pentecost Offering by Youth, Nick Wolfe

There are so many exciting ways that God is working through each of us and in this community. As we consider our receiving and our giving to the works of ministry in this place and in the world, may we remember that we belong to God. Let us sing...

Sung Responsive Chorus:

Through all our living, we our fruits must give.

Good works of service are for offering.

When we are giving, or when receiving,

We belong to God.

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CHILDREN'S TIME & SPECIAL MUSIC

"Meet Snowflake" Don Ludwig

"Guantanamo" by Andrew Maldarelli

CHILDREN & YOUTH

At this time the children and youth are excused to go outside and meet the farm animals, eat donuts, and enjoy time together. Parents and members of the congregation are welcome to join in the fun (in the back) after the service.

HEBREW TESTAMENT READING

Rev. Common Lectionary Ezekiel 37:1-14

THEME READING

Laini Taylor on “Hope”, Daughter of Smoke & Bone

“Hope can be a powerful force. Maybe there's no actual magic in it, but when you know what you hope for most and hold it like a light within you, you can make things happen, almost like magic.”

SERMON

"When We Fear We Are Hoping For Too Much" - Rev. Scott Dalgarno

RESPONSIVE HYMN

"We Are One in the Spirit"

INSTALLATION AND ORDINATION OF ELDERS AND DEACONS

DEACONS

Mary Prescott

Michael Hawkins

Barbara Hardy

Sue Warninghoff

ELDERS

Kathie Huddleston

Joanne Wakeland

Dan Rasmussen

Sarah Koeman

Marilyn Arthur, Trustee

INTRODUCTIONS & QUESTIONS

BLESSING & PRAYER

CORPORATE PRAYER

O God, our Divine Parent, may your presence be ever revered. May your peace and justice dwell among us. May your love and compassion live within and between us. Nourish us daily with the necessities of life; sustenance for our bodies, and inspiration for our spirits. And may the forgiveness we give be that which we receive; the kindness we show be that which we perceive. Lead us on virtuous paths, and distance us from evil. For your world is our world, and your reign our reign; then, now, and always. A-men.

CLOSING SONG

"Shalom My Friends" Andrew Maldarelli

BENEDICTION & POSTLUDE

FELLOWSHIP

Zoom participants are invited to stay in the room for a few minutes to connect with one another.

In person participants, please exit the building promptly and visit (and maintain physical distancing) in the coned off area outside in the parking lot.



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