**The Order of Worship**

*Out of courtesy & respect, please turn off/mute cell phones, and other devices. Thank you!*

*Rising together in community, as we are able.*

+Music for Gathering

Welcome and Announcements

Prelude

Call to Worship

Chalice Lighting

Invocation

*Opening Hymn  #1000 Morning Has Come (insert)*

*Responsive Reading  #477*

*Congregational Covenant (Unison)*

> Love is the spirit of this church and service is its law.  
> This is our great covenant: to dwell together in peace,  
> To seek the truth in freedom, and to help one another.

*Greeting the Holy in Our Midst*

Stewardship Moment: Joyce Thompson

Message for all Ages: “Wilfrid Gordon McDonald Partridge” by Mem Fox

Children’s Benediction (sung in unison)

> Go now in peace; go now in peace.  
> May the Spirit of Love surround you,  
> Everywhere, everywhere, you may go

Communion of Names and Prayer

+ Silence and Musical Meditation

Reading: “Remember Me” by Blane Blazier

*Hymn of Reflection: #1012 “When I Am Frightened” (insert)*

Words for Offering: Share the Plate Minister’s Discretionary Fund

**Offertory**

Offering Response - “We are One, We are Many” *(onscreen)*

Sermon: “Dementia, Faith and Hope” – Guest Speaker – Danny Mack, Director of Spiritual and Social Services Christian Care Communities and Services

*Closing Song:  #95 “There is More Love Somewhere”*

*Extinguishing the Chalice (Unison)*

> We extinguish this flame but not the light of truth,  
> the warmth of community, or the fire of commitment:  
> These we carry in our hearts until we are together again.

*Benediction*  
(Please be seated)

Postlude

Fellowship and Refreshments (Founders Hall)  
Church Chats (Sermon Discussion) (Sanctuary)

+(After the silence, please feel free to come forward & light a candle)

**Offering:** This church is supported by the pledges of our members and friends. The offering provides an additional opportunity for expressing generosity by those attending today’s worship.

**Our Shared Ministry This Morning**

- Guest Speaker: Danny Mack
- Worship Associate: Bill Daffinee
- Board Member on duty: Kimberly Schramm
- Chalice Lighter: Noah Edwards
- Ushers: Bill and Mina Daffinee
- Flowers: Duane Mortensen
- Musician: Duane Mortensen
- Membership Representative: Judith Boyle and Barb Salvo
- Audio/Visual Technician: Cheri Naquin
- Fellowship: Various families

Next Sunday – April 7 - “Lying and Truthfulness” Guest Speaker, Bob Thigpen.