The Order of Worship

Please turn off/mute cell phones and other devices.

* Rising together in community, as we are able.

Music for Gathering: “Come Together” by Michael Gott

Welcome and Announcements: Sam Mount

Prelude: “Put a Little More Love in the World” by Bob Sima

Call to Worship

Chalice Lighting: Dorayne Breedlove

Reading and Invocation Dorayne Breedlove

*Opening Hymn: “Give Me Joy In My Heart” (insert)

*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

Message for All Ages: Aloha Begins with Me

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 Pastoral Prayer

+ Silence and Musical Meditation: “I Will Make a Quiet Place”

by Michael Gott

Reading: The Spirit of Aloha is:
Akahai- kindness to be expressed with tenderness
Lokahi- unity to be expressed with harmony
'Olu'o'lu'- agreeableness to be expressed with pleasantness
Ha'a'h'a'- humility to be expressed with modesty
Ahonui- patience to be expressed with perseverance

Offering

Offering Song: “Thank you for this Day” by Karen Drucker

Congregational Response: “We Are One, We Are Many”

We are one, we are many in a welcoming place
In the dreams we accomplish, we find our grace,
In one world connected by nature so vast
We now plant these blessings, may they ever last
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Sermon: “Living the Life of Aloha” presented by Dorayne Breedlove

*Closing Song: ‘O Makou he Aloha by Dorayne Breedlove

*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: “Love Can Move the World” by Michael Gott

Fellowship and Refreshments (Founders Hall)

Church Chats (Sermon Discussion) (Sanctuary)

+ After the silence, please feel free to come forward and 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: Dorayne Breedlove
- Worship Associate: Sam Mount
- Worship Facilitator:
- Musicians: Dorayne Breedlove, Doug Klein, Nick Martin
- Chalice Lighter: Shay Richardson
- Board Member on Duty: Kimberly Schramm
- Ushers: Mark Rachel and Janice Hildenbrand
- Flowers:
- Membership Representatives: Pam Reinke Walter and Stan Darnell
- Audio/Visual Technician: David West
- Coffee Hosts: Families whose last name falls between Greer and Huckaby

Next Sunday, May 5 – Coming of Age Class