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 #1067, “Mother Earth, Beloved Garden” (insert)
*Responsive Reading “Litany for Those Lost to Climate Change” (see screen and 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: The Lorax
Communion of Names and Prayer
+ Silence and Musical Meditation

*Hymn of Reflection: # 1068 “Rising Green” (insert)

Reading: from The Uninhabitable Earth: Life After Warming
by David Wallace-Wells

**Offertory

Offering Response - “We Are One, We Are Many”
We are one, we are many in a welcoming place.
In the deeds 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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Message: “Responding to Global Climate Change”
Kevin Yard, P.E., BCEE

*Closing Song: # 1064 “Blue Boat Home” (insert)

*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

+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.

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Chalice Lighter: Jack Dorman
Speaker: Kevin Yard, P.E., BCEE
Worship Associate: Elena Westbrook
Board Member on duty: Keary Liu
Ushers: Jim Hinton and Rob Hight
Flowers: Given in celebration of April Emmert’s 73rd birthday
Musician: Christopher Wolff
Membership Representatives: John Snyder and Stan Darnell
Audio/Visual Technician: David West
Fellowship: Families whose last name falls between Bruns and Farlow

Next Sunday – June 16 – Father’s Day Service