

Order of Service

Sunday, October 24, 2021 "Impasse" with Rev. Sam Trumbore

Gathering Music

-Ann Brandon

There is a Balm in Gilead, African-American spiritual Shall We Gather at the River, Robert Lowry

Welcome & Introduction

-Dawn Dana

Call to Celebration

Prelude -Ann Brandon

Remembrances, Edvard Grieg

Unison Chalice Lighting

Welcoming all free seekers of truth and meaning, we gather to excite the human spirit, to inspire its growth and development, to respond morally and ethically to a troubled world, and to sustain a vital and nurturing religious community.

Hymn 300 -Elena Karpoff

With Heart and Mind, J.H. Schein, Alicia Carpenter

Wisdom Story -Elizabeth Baldes

The Parable of the Long Spoons, Story and Song versions by Lea Morris

Reading -Rev. Sam Trumbore

From *Brave Talk* by Melody Sanford Martin

Spoken Meditation -Rev. Sam Trumbore

Silent Meditation

Buffalo

Sermon -Rev. Sam Trumbore

Impasse

Offering -Dawn Dana

Offertory -Ann Brandon

Intermezzo Opus 118, Johannes Brahms

Welcoming Guests and Visitors -Dawn Dana

Community Greeting -Dick Dana

Joys and Sorrows -Randy Rosette, Donna Meixner

Stone Movement - Dawn Dana

Prayer of Affirmation -Rev. Sam Trumbore

Hymn 170 -Michael Nacy

We Are a Gentle, Angry People, Holly Near

Unison Extinguishing of the Chalice

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 - Dawn Dana

Acknowledgements - Dawn Dana

Announcements -Dawn Dana



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