

Gathering Music: Carol Karl

Welcome: Krista Stanley, Worship Associate

Opening Words: "A Place of Belonging and Caring" [Kimberlee Anne Tomczak Carlson]

Lighting the Chalice: "Take From Life Its Coals" [Laurel S. Sheridan]

Take from life its coals, not its ashes.
Fan the flames of love and justice;
join hands and hearts in common endeavor;
and there will be no limit to what we can achieve together.

Hymn: "I've Got Peace Like a River"

(1) I've got peace like a river, I've got peace like a river,
I've got peace like a river in my soul . . .

(2) joy like a fountain (3) love like an ocean (4) pain like an arrow
(5) tears like raindrops (6) strength like a mountain (7) peace like a river

Stewardship Update: Derek Luke, Stewardship Chair

Story for All Ages: "The Mish-Mash Heart," Jen McGlothin

Special Music: "My Friend" [Dawn Moeller]

Joys and Sorrows: "We hold you in our hearts."

Meditation/Prayer

Musical Meditation: "I Know This Rose Will Open"

I know this rose will open.
I know my fears will burn away.
I know my heart will unfurl its wings.
I know this rose will open.

Sermon: "Community of the Open Heart," Rev. Jim Magaw

Hymn: "Do You Hear?"

(1) Do you hear, oh my friend, in the place where you stand,
through the sky, through the land, do you hear, do you hear?
In the heights, on the plain, in the vale, on the main,
in the sun, in the rain, do you hear, do you hear?

(2) Through the roar, through the rush, through the throng,

through the crush, do you hear in the hush of your soul, of your soul?
Hear the cry fear won't still, hear the heart's call to will,
hear a sigh's startling trill in your soul, in your soul?

(3) From the place where you stand to the outermost strand,
do you hear, oh my friend, do you hear, do you hear?
All the dreams, all the dares, all the sighs, all the prayers—
they are yours, mine, and theirs--do you hear, do you hear?

Offering

Offertory: "Opus 6, No. 3" [Michael Kravchuk], Buddy Rieger

Extinguishing the Chalice [Elizabeth Selle Jones]

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.

Closing Words: "That Which Is Worthy of Doing" [Steve J. Crump]