



**ORDER OF SERVICE**  
**Sunday, May 28, 2023**  
*Music is provided by*  
*Music Director Baker Purdon,*  
*except where noted.*



|                                   |  |                       |
|-----------------------------------|--|-----------------------|
| Greet Your Neighbors              |  | Rev. Cheryl           |
| Welcome                           |  | Judy Rodes            |
| Ring of the Prayer Bowl           |  | Rev. Cheryl           |
| Prelude                           | <i>Something Beautiful</i><br>by Gloria & William Gaither, arr. Fred Bock  |                       |
| Chalice Lighting                  |  | Judy Rodes            |
| Story for All Ages                |  | Rev. Cheryl           |
| Hymn #413 (hardback)              | <i>Go Now in Peace</i>   |                       |
| Joys and Sorrows of the Community |  | Judy Rodes            |
| Prayer/ Meditation                |  | Rev. Cheryl           |
| Hymn #123 (hardback)              | <i>Spirit of Life</i>  |                       |
| Reading                           |  | Judy Rodes            |
| Hymn #1002 (softback)             | <i>Comfort Me</i>  |                       |
| Sermon                            | <i>Lives Remembered</i>  | Rev. Cheryl M. Walker |
| Hymn #162 (hardback)              | <i>Gonna Lay Down My Sword and Shield</i>  |                       |
| Share The Plate*                  | Bethesda Project   |                       |
| Offertory                         | <i>Simply the Best</i><br>by Holly Knight & Mike Chapman<br>arr. Noah Reid, trans. Baker Purdon<br>sung by Tina Turner |                       |

Closing Words

Rev. Cheryl

Extinguishing the Chalice

All

*We extinguish our chalice but the flame remains in us,  
As we live into the mission of this congregation:  
Building Beloved Community with Compassion, Service  
and Empowerment*

Postlude

*Jimmy Newman*  
by Tom Paxton

Gerry Whelan  
voice & guitar

Benediction

Rev. Cheryl

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**\*To text donations: 215.608.2660**

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- 20 stp sends \$20 to Share The Plate
- 20 pledge sends \$20 toward your pledge
- 20 capital gives \$20 to the Capital Campaign
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Mindfulness Retreat with Josh Korda and Kathy Cherry  
June 17, 10:30am-4:30pm. Register at [bit.ly/kordacherry-usg](https://bit.ly/kordacherry-usg)