



## ORDER OF SERVICE

Sunday, September 3, 2023

*The music this morning is provided  
by Music Director Baker Purdon*



Greet Your Neighbors		Lois Murphy
Land Acknowledgement Statement		
Welcome		
Ringing of the Prayer Bowl		Benjamin Eisner
Prelude	<i>The First Union</i> American Medley, arr. anonymous	
Chalice Lighting	Words from A. Phillip Randolph	Lois Murphy
Story For All Ages	<i>We Must Have Bread, and Roses, Too</i>	Benjamin Eisner
Joys and Sorrows		Lois Murphy
Meditation for Labor Day		Lois Murphy
Hymn #123 (hardback)	<i>Spirit of Life</i>	
Reading	<i>Digging</i> by Seamus Heaney	Lois Murphy
Sermon	<i>Valuing Labor, Supporting Workers</i>	Benjamin Eisner
Hymn #169 (hardback)	<i>We Shall Overcome</i>	
Share The Plate*	Lingelbach & Henry Schools	
Offertory	<i>The Civil Rights Union</i> improvisation on the tune We Shall Overcome, arr. Carl Haywood	
Closing Words	Words from Samuel Gompers	Lois Murphy
Extinguishing the Chalice	<i>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</i>	All

Postlude

*The Modern Labour Union*  
*There is Power in a Union*, arr. Baker Purdon

Benediction

Lois Murphy

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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 Foundations for the Future Capital Campaign**

**To donate online: <https://bit.ly/USGgiving>**

**Join the choir: <https://bit.ly/USGchoirinterest>**

**Visitor form: <https://usg.breezechms.com/form/f0ac5e>**

**2023 Auction Items Still Available: [fundraiser.bid/usg2023](https://fundraiser.bid/usg2023)**

**including....**

- **Game Day** with Campbell-Rosses & Kish-Silvers  
Saturday, Sept. 9, 4-7pm. 4 openings. \$25
- **USG's Stained Glass Windows – A Tour and Tastings**  
with Susan Bockius & Carolyn Scott  
Sunday, Sept. 24, 12pm. 7 openings. \$15

**SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 10:30am**

**In Gathering Sunday**

**followed by a Potluck**

please bring your favorite crowd-pleaser,  
a dish that doesn't require re-heating, upstairs to the Edna Jones Room.

**We will need volunteers**

to help us set up, starting at 10am or earlier,  
to assist with more set-up after the service, and  
to help clean up after the potluck.

We hope YOU can help!

**As for the CSD Ice Cream Social:**

**That is CSD's Treat!**