

## Order of Service

[July 5, 2026](#)

"Alone we can do so little; together we can do so much." ~ Helen Keller

### Sounding the Bowl

Prelude

*America!, from West Side Story - Leonard Bernstein*

### Welcome, Opportunities, & Greeting One Another

### Kindling the Flame of Community

*We light this chalice for the warmth of welcome, the light of hope, and the fire of service.*

Opening Words

*We Need One Another, Rev. Erik Walker Wikstrom*

Opening Hymn

*Our Country 'Tis of Thee*

Time for All Ages

*We Are the Builders, Deepa Iyer*

Singing the Children to their Classes

*Reeb's Children's Benediction*

Offering

½ plate recipient: Harvey Lee Price Park (FORVA)

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Offertory

*Somewhere & One Hand, One Heart - Leonard Bernstein*

Receiving the Offering

### Sharing Our Joys & Sorrows and Candles of Hope and Remembrance

Meditation

*A Prayer for the People, Rev. Cameron Trimble*

Meditation Hymn

*159, This Is My Song*

Reflection

*Declaration of Interdependence*

Sermon

*Declaration of Interdependence*

Closing Hymn

*119, Once to Every Soul and Nation*

### Benediction & Extinguishing the Chalice Flame

Postlude

*Tonight, Leonard Bernstein*

Minister: Rev. Pam Philips; Worship Associate: Rev. Dr. Ellen Plummer

Ministerial Intern: Casey Akers; Piano: Mary Louise Hallauer

Director of Lifespan Faith Development: Rachel Craine; Music Director: Jared Gibbs

Song Leader: Wayne Neu; Flowers: Barbara Taylor; AV: Jim Kern

Sanctuary Greeters: Carol Kern, Ashley Dugan, Josh Dugan, Lisa Evanylo, Robin Cooley

Zoom Greeters: Cynthia Baute & Akiko Nakata

### ***Our Mission***

***Inspire*** spiritual and ethical growth. ***Create*** compassionate community.

***Transform*** our community and the world through courageous love.

## **UUC Covenant**

*We covenant to create a place of respect and kindness, and to build a spiritual community based on reason and courageous love.*

*We will listen to one another respectfully, assume good intentions, use the power of our words with care, express gratitude, honor our differences, help one another, and welcome all.*

*We will communicate directly, honestly, and compassionately. When we hurt one another, we will forgive, make amends, and re-connect.*

*While we celebrate the words of our Mission Statement, and of this covenant, we affirm that our mission lives through our actions.*

## **Opportunities this Week**

- Men's Breakfast, Monday at 7:00 am (UUC)
- Women's Breakfast, Monday at 7:30 am (UUC)
- Sages, Tuesday at 2:00 (Library)
- Inspired Elders, Tuesday at 3:00 (Picnic Area or Sanctuary)
- Meditation, Tuesday at 5:00 ([Zoom](#))
- Men's Group, Tuesday at 6:00 (offsite, contact Graham Glynn)
- UUYA's - UU Young Adults, Tuesday at 7:00 pm (Elarth)
- Conversations on our Faith, Wednesday at noon ([Zoom](#))
- Yoga, Wednesday at 5:30 (UUC) **CANCELLED IN JULY**
- Women's Lunch, Friday at noon (UUC or a local restaurant)

Please [fill out the survey](#) to help the Board as we consider a strategic plan.

Please [RSVP for a Potluck Picnic](#) (with S'mores!) on July 18th, 5:00 - 9:00 pm.