



Order of Service May 2, 2021 10:30 Service: "Where Does Your Story Begin?" With Guest Speaker: Mathew P. Taylor

Welcome & Announcements

Centering Music: "Ancient Mother" – Traditional Navajo Prayer arr. for Guitar by Becky Zimmerman (live)

Call to Worship – *The World is Calling You* by Mathew P. Taylor

Lighting of the Chalice – *Let it Be Dark (Part One)* by Mathew P. Taylor

Hymn #1059: May Your Life Be As A Song (from *Singing The Journey*) performed live by Becky Zimmerman

Congregational Reading: *Love Is the Doctrine*

Love is the doctrine of this congregation,
The quest of truth is its sacrament,
And service is its prayer.
To dwell together in peace, To seek knowledge in freedom, To serve human need,
To the end that all souls shall grow into harmony
Thus, do we covenant with each other.

Gift of Music: "The 23rd Psalm" by Bobby McFerrin (<https://youtu.be/bJixdpZ5m1o>)

Joys and Concerns

Time of Meditation/Prayer – Mathew P. Taylor

Offertory: Guitar Solo performed by Becky Zimmerman

Reading: *The Story Begins* by Mathew P. Taylor

Sermon: Mathew P. Taylor: "Where Does Your Story Begin?"

Congregational Dialogue

Extinguishing of Chalice/Closing Words – *Let It Be Dark (Part Two)* by Mathew P. Taylor

Singing of the Closing Words: "From You I Receive"

Thanks to all who assisted in today's service: Lay Leader: Cindy Hirshberg, Guest Speaker: Mathew Taylor; Music Coordinator: Becky Zimmerman; Zoom Coordinator: Bekah Waters; and Zoom Slides: Philip Browne