

Order of Service for Sunday, February 16, 2025

**BENDING THE ARC 5; Stay Awake for Mother Earth: Water is Life**

Morning Sing

##188, Come, Come, Whoever You Are

#207, Earth Was Given as a Garden

Oh, Let Us Gather by Amy Carol Web

Ringing of the Chimes Eleanor Enright

Prelude

Welcome "The Peace of Wild Things" by Wendell Berry

Theme Hymn "Building Bridges"

Chalice Lighting *We light this sacred flame today*

*That by its light*

*We may see the paths before us*

*And live the Way of Love*

*Unfolding through us. RevAmy Carol Webb*

Covenant

*Love is the spirit of this congregation and service is its law.*

*This is our great covenant: to dwell together in peace,*

*to seek the truth in love, and to help one another*

*El Amor es el espíritu de esta congregacion*

*y el servicio su ley principal. Esta es nuestra gran promesa:*

*vivir juntos en paz, buscar la verdad a través del ami,*

*y ayudarnos mutuamente.*

Deepening Music #1001, Breaths, Words and Music by Jason Shelton

Candles of Community

Stones of Reflection (instrumental interlude)

Pastoral Response

Sung Response Music #370, Words #381 by Isaac Watts

Wisdom Story - "I Am One" by Susan Verde illustrated by Peter A Reynolds

Heritage and Hope

Offering / Offertory #402, From You I Receive, by Joseph & Nathan Segal

MESSAGE STAY AWAKE FOR MOTHER EARTH: Water Is Life

Closing Music – ##207, Earth Was Given as a Garden

Closing Words

Extinguishing Chalice

Announcements for the Life of the Community

Invite to Zoom and Live Hospitality

Sending/Shine on

Music Reprise