



**Building Beloved Community During Troubling  
Times  
March 22, 2026**

**Gathering of Community**

Music for Gathering

Words of Welcome, & Announcements Bob Davis

'Honoring our Common Connection and Uniqueness' by  
Adam Slate

Special Announcement about Peace and Nature Camp

Introit 'We Are...' (#1051)

Stewardship Testimonial Dan Bair

Chalice Lighting Bob Davis

*If you are lighting a chalice at home, you are encouraged to type in the  
chat box 'A chalice is lit in (your neighborhood/city/street).'*

'We Carry Our Faith into Action' by Chrystal Hogan

**Affirming our Connections**

Time for All Diane Melvin, Director of Religious Education

Children and Teacher Recessional 'Go Forth' (Ramsey/Drake)

*Go forth in peace, in search of wisdom,  
With love to guide you on your way  
And may the joy of life surround you  
Wherever you may go.*

Offering Bob Davis

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[www.tinyurl.com/givetopeoples](http://www.tinyurl.com/givetopeoples)



Offertory

Giving Thanks for All That Sustains Us Bob Davis

*From the countless gifts we each have been given,  
gifts of life and love and sustenance,  
we bring these small portions to share in the works of love  
which none of us can accomplish alone.*

Joys and Sorrows Bob Davis

**Searching for Wisdom and Inspiration**

Silent Meditation

Spoken Meditation

'The Richness of Our Differences' by Julianne Lepp

Musical Meditation 'Meditation on Breathing' (#1009)

Readings

'The Beloved Community', by Layla Saad

'The Beloved Community', by Coretta Scott King

Music 'What Wondrous Love' (#18)

Sermon Dr. Charlae Davis

**Returning to the World**

Closing song 'Blessed Spirit of My Life' (#86)

Closing words Dr. Charlae Davis

Postlude

Coffee Quarter breakout rooms

All are invited to stay on Zoom for 15 minutes of small group  
conversation.