

ORDER OF SERVICE for Sunday, August 14 2022

LEGACY & RESILIENCE

With Hilary Howarth and Kem Tetlow
featuring Binnie Clay

Prelude: #86 The Prayer performed by Michael Tacy (4:18) (Lyrics will be on the screen)

Introduction/Zoom Orientation/Welcome with Kem Tetlow

Ringing the Bell

Welcome with Kem Tetlow

Opening Remarks with Hilary Howarth

Good Morning

Chalice Lighting with Kem Tetlow

"We light the chalice as a reminder that together we are a beacon in the desert. May its light lead the way to love, acceptance and justice as we strive for personal and societal transformation."

Reading with Hilary Howarth

The First Church in Salem

Opening Music #1051 We Are by the Foothills Unitarian Church (3:11) (Lyrics will be on the screen)

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Just to be clear, the oldest church in continuous use in America was not Salem but, our

Sankofa with Binnie Clay

Story for All Ages

Sankofa by Matiye Crowley (6:04)

Reading with Hilary Howarth

- By 1800, 171 years after its founding, the First Church in Salem had split into four different churches, three of them Unitarian and one of them Congregational.

Of Our Hearts with Kem Tetlow

Offering

"With gratitude for the abundance in our own lives, we give for the life of this congregation and the benefit of the larger community."

Hymn We Shall Be Known by Mamuse, performed by UU the Vote (3:05) (Lyrics will be on the screen)

Sermon with Hilary Howarth

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Closing Song #318 We Would Be One by The Chancel Choir of the First Unitarian Church of Oakland (3:18) (Lyrics will be on the screen) <https://youtu.be/IMnoQdiTzQM>

Benediction with Hilary Howarth

Extinguishing the Chalice with Kem Tetlow

"We release that which was called with love and gratitude, and we extinguish the flame, but not our commitment to being a beacon in the desert. This burns brightly until we gather again."

Announcements and Invitations with Kem Tetlow

Let's Talk About It: Choose your own breakout room with Kem Tetlow

Postlude #1028 Fire of Commitment performed by Linli Wang (2:55) (Lyrics will be on the screen)

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<https://youtu.be/yIbrZOQObFo>

Story for All Ages Sankofa by Matiyé Crowley (6:04) "Sankofa" is the story of the West African bird whose name means 'go back and fetch it.' Sankofa represents the past, present and future. Young readers will be introduced to the bird, the special meaning of its name and enjoy a brief jaunt through black history as they journey back into time.

<https://youtu.be/YX4S1k3Oujg>

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