



May Theme: Forgiveness
Forgiveness, Our Country, Ourselves:
Honoring Memorial Day

Sunday, May 28, 2017, 11:00 a.m. – 12:15 p.m.

Music for Gathering *Dianne Saichek, piano*

***Singing** #179 “Words That We Hold Tight”

Welcome and Announcements *Rev. Nancy Palmer Jones,
Senior Minister*

Ringing the Bell

Musical Meditation “Sweet Streams,” by Kirtana *Carl Vidt, soloist*

Call to Worship *Rodney Lemery, Intern Minister*

Lighting the Chalice *Mira Biswas and Eric Schmall*

***AFFIRMATION/AFIRMACION**

Love is the doctrine of this church,	<i>El amor es la doctrina de esta iglesia,</i>
The quest of truth is its sacrament,	<i>La búsqueda de la verdad es su sacramento,</i>
And service is its prayer.	<i>Y el servicio es su oración.</i>
To dwell together in peace	<i>Habitar juntos en paz</i>
To seek truth in freedom	<i>Buscar la verdad con libertad</i>
To serve humankind in fellowship	<i>Y servir a la humanidad juntos</i>
To the end that all souls may grow	<i>Con el fin de que todas las almas</i>
Into harmony with the divine,	<i>Puedan crecer en armonía con lo divino,</i>
This do we covenant with one another.	<i>Esto es lo que pactamos unos con otros.</i>

**Please rise in body or in spirit.*

Story for All Ages “Just a Dream,” by Chris Van Allsburg
Rev. Nancy, with Rodney

Singing Grades 1-8 to Their Class and Youth Back to Their Seats
*Go now in peace, go now in peace, may the Spirit of God surround you
 everywhere, everywhere you may go. Vayan en paz, vayan en paz, pueda
 el Dios rodearlos siempre, por doquier, por doquier, que vayan.*

Homily “With a Vision to Guide Us” *Rev. Nancy Palmer Jones*

Anthem “The House I Live In,” by Earl Robinson
 lyrics by Abel Meeropol; arranged by John Ector, after The Mavericks
Alegría Singers; John Ector, Choir Director; Chris Pasillas, piano

A Meditation on Forgiveness and Imagining a New Way
 based on the Hawai’ian practice of ho’oponopono *Rodney Lemery*

Offering Our Gifts *Dianne Saichek, piano*

Joys and Sorrows

***Singing** # 1023 “Building Bridges”
(once in unison, 3x as a round)

***Benediction** *Rev. Nancy Palmer Jones*

*Please join us in Hattie Porter Hall after the service for Social Hour.
 And please see the Announcements page for all who helped bring this service to life.*

