



**November Theme:
What does it mean to be
a People of Appreciation?**

Appreciating Those Who Help

Sunday, November 19, 2017, 11:00 a.m. – 12:15 p.m.

Music for Gathering *Dianne Saichek, piano*

***Singing** # 1010 “Oh, We Give Thanks”
Rev. Nancy Palmer Jones, signing

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

Ring the Bell

Musical Call to Worship
“Grateful, We Raise Our Voice: A Song of Thanksgiving,”
by Loretta K. Notareschi, arr. John Ector *Alegría Singers,
John Ector, Choir Director; Christopher Pasillas, piano*

Lighting the Chalice *Eric Schmall*

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

**Please rise in body or in spirit.*

Stories for All Ages “Fighting Fires!”
Elara Rivers, Kristin Rivers, and Joyce Miller

Singing the Children and Youth to Their Classes
*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.*

Reading “Gratitude and Appreciation,” by Deborah Price
Joyce Miller, Worship Associate

Musical Meditation “Gracias a la vida,” by Violeta Parra *Bev Clifford
and Guitars Aloud*

Reflection “Helping People Heal” *Barbara Grover*

Reflection “Teaching as a Way of Life”
Oona Cadorin and Austa Falconer

Offering Our Gifts *Dianne Saichek, piano*

Reflection “The Ministry of All of Us” *Rev. Nancy Palmer Jones*

Spiritual Practice of Appreciation
*(Using one of the cards in your order of service, please write a note of
appreciation to someone who has helped or is helping you!)*

***Singing** # 67 “We Sing Now Together”

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

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

