

Labor Day Service

From Competition to Cooperation

Sunday, September 2, 2018, 11:00 a.m. – 12:15 p.m.

Music for Gathering *Dianne Saichek, piano*

Welcome and Announcements *Frank Farris*

***Opening Song** “Gather the Spirit” #347 *John Ector*

Call to Worship *Rick Merritt*

Lighting the Chalice *Sarah Adams-Kiddy and Elspeth Kiddy*

***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 the 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.*

Sing-along “Solidarity Forever” *Phil and Anne Pflager*

Story for All Ages Building Solidarity *Richard Hobbs*

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.

Joys and Sorrows *Rick Merritt*

Offering Our Gifts *Dianne Saichek, piano*

Labor in the Pulpit
“From Unions to Coops: Democracy in the Workplace” *Richard Hobbs*

Song “As We Come Marching” #109 *John Ector*

Personal Reflections

“Unions Make Us Strong” *Anne Rosenzweig*

“The New Cooperatives in Cuba” *Lorena Mata*

“The Smart Yards Cooperative in San Jose” *Elizabeth Sarmiento*

***Sing-along:**

“A Co-Op Song” sung to the tune of “Gimme that Old Time Religion”
Phil and Anne Pflager

***Benediction** *Richard Hobbs*

Music for Departing *Dianne Saichek, piano*

** Please rise in body or spirit.*

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

“The only thing that will redeem mankind is cooperation.”

- Lord Bertrand Russel