



**September Theme:
What does it mean to be a people of VISION?**

“Bridges and Walls”

Sunday, September 30, 11:00 a.m. – 12:15 p.m.

Music for Gathering *Dianne Saichek, piano*

***Singing** # 1023 “Building Bridges”

Welcome and Announcements *Marnie Singer, Worship Associate*

Ring the Bell

Call to Worship “We Arrive Out of Many Singular Rooms”
Kenneth L. Patton, modified by *Marnie Singer*

Lighting the Chalice *Jonny Li 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 “God's Hat” *Rev. Pamela Gehrke*
traditional story adapted by Chris Buice

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.

Pastoral Prayer and Meditative Silence

***Singing** #1002 “Comfort Me”

Reading “One Song” by Rumi *Marnie Singer*
translated by Coleman Barks

Offering Our Gifts *Dianne Saichek, piano*

Sermon “Bridges and Walls” *Rev. Pamela Gehrke*

***Singing** #399 “Vine and Fig Tree”

***Benediction** *Rev. Pamela Gehrke*

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

