

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Sunday, January 14, 2018

GATHERING

*Hymn #1008 *When Our Heart is in a Holy Place*
Rev. Kellie Walker Hart, Minister of Music; Jill Khaleghi, Collaborative Pianist
Musical Offering *Song of the River* (Jason Shelton & Kendyl Gibbons)
Choir & Congregation
Chalice Lighting
*We kindle this flame, symbol of our faith, for the light of truth, the warmth of
community, and the fire of love which calls us to work for justice.*
Welcome Jillian Kong-Sivert, Worship Associate
Invocation Rev. Kellie

TIME FOR ALL AGES

Message Marci Beaudoin, Director of Faith Formation
*Bride of Love #118 *This Little Light of Mine*

OFFERING

Offertory Words Jillian
Offertory Music Jill

CENTERING

Hymn #205 *Amazing Grace*
Pastoral Prayer & Special Music *Let Justice Roll* (by Mark A. Miller)
Rev. Kellie & the Choir

THEME

Sermon *My Sister's Keeper*: a dramatic reading based on the book *Just a Sister
Away*, by the Rev. Dr. Renita Weems
Presented by the Rev. Joan Crawford & Bernella Phelps

BLESSINGS ON OUR WAY

*Closing Hymn #348 *Guide My Feet*
Extinguishing the Chalice (our usual words are below, to be read in unison):
*Though we extinguish the chalice, our connection to each other and this
community remains. May its light guide us this week as we
walk the path of justice, speak words of love,
and fill our world with compassion until we meet again.*

Benediction Rev. Crawford
Traveling Music Jill