


Kindness:
What Binds Us Together

Sunday, August 28, 2011, 11:00 a.m. – 12:15 p.m.

Music for Gathering *Libby Codd, organ*

Welcome and Announcements *Bill Bowman, Worship Associate*

***Singing** # 360 Here We Have Gathered

Call to Worship *K'Ailsa Rowan, Worship Associate*

Lighting the Chalice *Carlo Isola and Emma Schuler*

***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 the 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>

Story for All Ages That's What Friends Are For, *Bill Bowman*
by Florence Parry Heide *and K'Ailsa Rowan*
and Sylvia Van Clief, illustrated by Holly Meade

***Singing** # 346 Come, Sing a Song with Me

Reading Kindness, by Naomi Shihab Nye *Rev. Nancy Palmer Jones*

Musical Interlude *Rev. Geoff Rimositis, kema*

Reflection The Kindness of Strangers *Karen Conrotto*

Sermon A School for Compassion *Rev. Nancy Palmer Jones*

***Singing** # 354 We Laugh, We Cry

Offering Our Gifts *Libby Codd, organ*

Metta (Lovingkindness) Meditation *Bill Bowman*

***Singing** # 1031 Filled with Loving Kindness

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

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!



**Please rise in body or in spirit.*

If you need sound amplification, please ask a Worship Host for a device.