



Seeking Hope, Love, and Justice—Together in Community

ORDER OF CELEBRATION January 3, 2021

Prelude		Chris Powell
Welcome		Rev. Greg Stewart
Hymn for Gathering *	“Here Together” (for Gathering), by David Glasgow	Song Leader: Carol Young
Lighting the Chalice (unison) *	From Reading #448	Elke Johnson
Invocation		
Covenant (unison)	Love is the spirit of this church And service its law. This is our great covenant: To dwell together in peace, To seek the truth in love, And to help one another.	
Hymn #194 (SLT) *	“Faith is a Forest”	Song Leader: Carol Young
Announcements		Elke Johnson
Hymn #123 *	“Spirit of Life”	Song Leader: Carol Young
Meditation	“A Prayer for the Jewish New Year,” by John L. Rosove	
Silence		
Musical Response		Chris Powell
Reading	“Socially Acceptable Anti-Semitism,” by Elliot A. Cohen	Elke Johnson

* *The words will be on the screen*

Video "Rise Up," performed by the Y-Studs
<https://youtu.be/dQxAxfmzT6s>

Sermon **If You Keep Silent**
Rev. Greg Stewart

Offering

Our Generosity Recipient for January is
Still She Rises
Please make checks out to Hope Unitarian Church with "Generosity Offering" on the memo line.
Checks with no notation will be applied to your pledge or to the Hope Operating Fund.

Offertory Response (unison)

Hymn #170 (SLT) * "We Are a Gentle, Angry People"

Extinguishing the Chalice (unison) * Reading #456

Benediction *

Hymn for Going Forth * "Here Together" (for Going Forth), by David M. Glasgow

Postlude

THIS SUNDAY

Worship Associate: **Elke Johnson**
Piano: **Chris Powell**
Song Leader: **Carol Young**
Slides: **Rebecca Jones**



CHURCH PERSONNEL

The Rev. Greg Stewart, Interim Minister
Tennille Wilson, Director of Religious Education
Paige Clark, Youth Director
Dr. Joseph Rivers, Director of Music
Chris Powell, Pianist
Molly Ives Brower, Church Administrator
Eve Bjornsgaard, Technology Assistant