

# *Order of Service*

## *September 6, 2026*

### **Ringling of the Bell**

**Welcome** Rev. Jennifer Alviar

**Announcement** Emily Joseph

**Prelude** *Beginnings* by Robert Lamb  
Karen Thomas, bass; Dwight Beckmeyer, piano

**Call to Worship** Rev. Jennifer Alviar

**Chalice Lighting** Liz Esbenshade

### **Doxology**

**Hymn No. 38** *Morning Has Broken*

**Offering\*** Liz Esbenshade

**Offertory** *Straight opening her fertile womb, the earth*  
(from *The Creation*) by Franz Josef Haydn  
Charles Robert Stephens, baritone; Dwight Beckmeyer, piano

**Prayer and Meditation** Rev. Jennifer Alviar

**Interlude** *Dawn Sky* by Ola Gjeilo Dwight Beckmeyer, piano

**Sermon** "Weaving a Tapestry of Community & Belonging"  
Rev. Jennifer Alviar

**Hymn No. 1010** *We Give Thanks*

**Benediction** Rev. Jennifer Alviar

**Postlude** *Morgen* by Richard Strauss  
Charles Robert Stephens, baritone; Dwight Beckmeyer, piano

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