Thanksgiving and Thanxgrieving
November 22, 2026
All Ages Service

Ringing of the Bell Kai Thomson-Sayre with Claire Thomson (9:30 a.m.); Connor Coles (11:15 a.m.)

Welcome and Announcements words adapted from *A Table That Holds both Gratitude and Grief* by The Soul Matters Team
Aria Curtis, Director of Family Ministry

Prelude *Bright Morning Stars*, traditional Appalachian song
All Voices Choir, Elliot Weeks, conductor

Call to Worship "On This Land…" by Lóre Stevens
Kai Thomson-Sayre, with Claire Thomson (9:30 a.m.) Connor Coles (11:15 a.m.)

Doxology (Nos. 381 & 382) in English and then Spanish

Hymn No. 131 *Love Will Guide Us*

Offering* to the Duwamish Tribe's Real Rent program

Offertory *Crowded Table,* arr. by Andrea Ramsey
All Voices Choir

Story "Thanksgiving Stories" Aria Curtis and Rev. Victoria Poling

Singing Together *Carry This All* by Ahlay Blakely

Story Selection adapted from "Every Day is Ashura; Every Place is Kerbela" from *Hayat: The Living Wisdoms of Ibrahim Baba*

Interlude *Improvisation No. 15 in C minor* by Francis Poulenc
Dwight Beckmeyer, piano

Prayer Rev. Victoria Poling

Land acknowledgement by Ibrahim Baba

Prayer of Thanks from *Giving Thanks; A Native American Good Morning Message* by Chief Jake Swamp; illustrated by Erwin Printup, Jr.; basic Mohawk translation provided by Chief Jake Swamp; read with permission from Lee & Low Books.

Silent Meditation

Hymn No. 1017 *Building a New Way*

Benediction from Elizabeth Selle Jones, adapted

Postlude *Priez Pour Paix (Pray for Peace)* by Francis Poulenc
Charles Robert Stephens, baritone; Dwight Beckmeyer, piano

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