

Blessing Backpacks, Practicing Democracy

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Prelude Slides	<i>He Ain't Heavy, He's my Brother</i>	Bobby Scott & Bob Russell
Gathering Music #361	<i>Enter, Rejoice, and Come In</i>	Louise Ruspini
Welcome and Centering		Rev. Nancy Palmer Jones
Call to Worship and Chalice Lighting	<i>It Is Not Always Easy to Find Love at the Center</i>	Esther Hurlburt
Blessing the Backpacks		Christiana Fernandez-McQuain
Hymn #338	<i>I Seek the Spirit of a Child</i>	Words: Carl G. Seaburg Music: Traditional English melody, arr. Ralph Vaughan Williams
Multigenerational Activity Introduction	<i>Practicing Democracy</i>	Rev. Nancy Palmer Jones
Anthem	<i>Praise the Source of Faith and Learning</i>	Thomas H. Troeger Music: William Albright
Multigenerational Activity Small Groups Ritual of Sharing	<i>Practicing Democracy</i>	
Sharing Our Gifts	Offering shared with <i>New Georgia Project</i>	
Offertory	<i>Get Together</i>	Chet Powers
Gratitude for Love Expressed		
Call to Connection		
Hymn #188	<i>Come, Come, Whoever You Are</i>	Words: Adapted from Rumi Music: Lynn Adair Ungar
Closing Words		Rev. Nancy Palmer Jones
Extinguishing Our Chalice		Elizabeth Selle Jones (adapted)

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