

Order of Worship
Sunday, March 7, 2021
10:00 a.m. Online

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*We will be celebrating the Sacrament of Holy Communion this morning -
please have your elements ready as we join at the table together*

Prelude

Reflection on Psalm 72:3 (D. Wagner)

Gaye Herndon, organ

The mountains shall bring peace to the people, and the little hills, by righteousness.

Lighting of Candles

Opening Prayer

**We gather together
in the name of the One who bids us come.
We gather together
to hear the words of the One who is Love.
We gather together
in praise of the One who teaches peace.
Come, let us worship!**

Opening Hymn

Great is Thy Faithfulness (UMH 140)

Affirmation of Faith

Affirmation from Romans 8 (UMH 887)

Gloria Patri

Children's Chat

Pastoral Prayer/Lord's Prayer

Special Music

Lord, Who Throughout These Forty Days (arr. J.W. Krug)

Handbells: Liane Giroux, Gaye Herndon, Freddie Schrader, Kandace Brooks
Jill Merryday, piano

Scripture

1 Samuel 19:1-7

Sermon

Cultivating Spiritual Fruit: Peace
Rev. Dr. Kandace Brooks

Sacrament of Holy Communion

Closing Hymn

It is Well With My Soul (UMH377)

Closing Prayer

**Creator God,
may your peace go with us wherever we will be this day.
Guide us through the challenges,
protect us when in need and inspire us with your love.
May we acknowledge your presence in all the human goodness we will see.
In the name of the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit. Amen.**

Postlude

It Is Well with My Soul (setting by E. Whitsett)