

So Help Me God

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WELCOME and OPENING WORDS

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CHALICE LIGHTING

COVENANT

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 # 34 Though I May Speak

STORY FOR ALL AGES

CANDLELIGHTING

MEDITATION

MUSIC "Take Care of This House" by Leonard Bernstein

Mike Costantino

SERMON "So Help Me God; Religion and Politics Are Here to Stay"

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DEDICATION OF THE OFFERING

Let us be grateful when we are able to give,
For many do not have that privilege.
Let us be grateful for all those who share their gifts,
For we are enriched by their giving.
And let us be grateful even for our needs,
So that we may learn from the generosity of others.

MUSIC "America the Beautiful"

Words by Katherine Lee Bates; music by Samuel A. Ward

O beautiful for spacious skies,
For amber waves of grain,
For purple mountain majesties above the fruited plain,
America! America! God shed all grace on Thee
And crown thy good with truth and love from sea to shining sea.

O beautiful for pilgrim feet whose stern impassioned steps
A thoroughfare for freedom beat across the wilderness,
America! America! God mend thine every flaw.
Confirm thy soul in self-control, thy liberty in law.

O beautiful for working folk who forged the wealth we see
In farm and mill, in home and school unsung in history,
America! America! may race nor sex nor creed
No more divide, but side by side, all rise united, freed!

CLOSING WORDS

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