

MYTHS OF THE DIVINE MOTHER

Rev. John Morehouse
May 9, 2021 10 AM

WELCOME AND OPENING WORDS

Kim Warman, Worship Associate

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 # 77 "Seek Not Afar"

1. Seek not afar for beauty; lo, it glows in dew-wet grasses all about your feet,
In birds, in sunshine, childish faces sweet, in stars and mountain summits topped with snows.
2. Go not abroad for happiness; behold it is a flower blooming at your door.
Bring love and laughter home, and evermore joy shall be yours as changing years unfold.
3. In wonder-workings of some bush aflame, we look for Truth and fancy it concealed;
But in earth's common things it stands revealed, while grass and flowers and stars spell out the name.

STORY FOR ALL

Nate Pawelek

MUSIC "The World Awaits" (Thompson)

Bell Choir

CANDLELIGHTING

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(Chant: Ma amba latitha devi parashakti sudari)

PRAYER AND MEDITATION

Kim Warman

MUSIC "On Wings of Song" (Mendelssohn)

Septet

SERMON "Myths of the Divine Mother"

Rev. Dr. John Morehouse

OFFERING  <https://vop.tucw.org/>

April Barron, Helping Hands

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.

FLOWER COMMUNION

Rev. Morehouse

MUSIC "Be Joyful" (Buxtehude)

Susan Sherman (violin), Betsey Miller (flute), Septet

CLOSING WORDS

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POSTLUDE "In Time of Silver Rain" (Hughes/Thompson)

Bell Choir