Unitarian Universalist Church West – Order of Service – June 5, 2022
"Petals for Peace" The Rev. Denise Cawley

1. **Prelude** – "Daydream" written and performed by Sarah Frey and Kristie Vosburg, handpans
2. **Welcome and Call to Worship** – Stephanie Wahlen, Board of Trustees and Rev. Denise Cawley
3. **Hymn #347** – "Gather the Spirit" by Jim Scott; performed by Ruben Piirainen
4. **Chalice Lighting** – "Within the Heart of the Flower" by Rev. Amy Zucker Morgenstern, parish minister of the Unitarian Universalist Church of Palo Alto - Stephanie Wahlen

   (Please read along, and if you are joining us at home, feel free to kindle your chalice or candle.)

   Within the heart of the flower, the fountain of beauty
   Within the heart of the community, a fire that warms and dances
   Within the heart of each of us, a spark of the spirit of life.
   Holy, holy, holy.
5. **Worship for All Ages** – "The First Flower Ceremony," read and illustrated by Liza Earle-Centers, adapted from "Love Surrounds Us" by Christy Olson and Lynn Kerr from a story by Janeen K. Grohsmeyer
6. **Flower Meditation** – Rev. Denise Cawley
7. **Reading** – "In the Time of Silver Rain" by Langston Hughes
8. **Special Music** - "A Summer Day" by Lena McLin; performed by Ruben Piirainen
9. **Sermon** – "Petals for Peace"– Rev. Denise Cawley
10. **Music Interlude** – "Lavender Field" by Karen Tanaka, performed by Ruben Piirainen
11. **Flower Ceremony** – Introduction by Rev. Denise Cawley
12. **Offering Words** – Rev. Denise Cawley

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13. **Offertory Music** – "Andante con moto" by Felix Mendelssohn; performed by Ruben Piirainen
14. **Benediction** – "The Seed" (author unknown) – Rev. Denise Cawley
15. **Postlude** – "The Thread" written and performed by Kaleidoscope