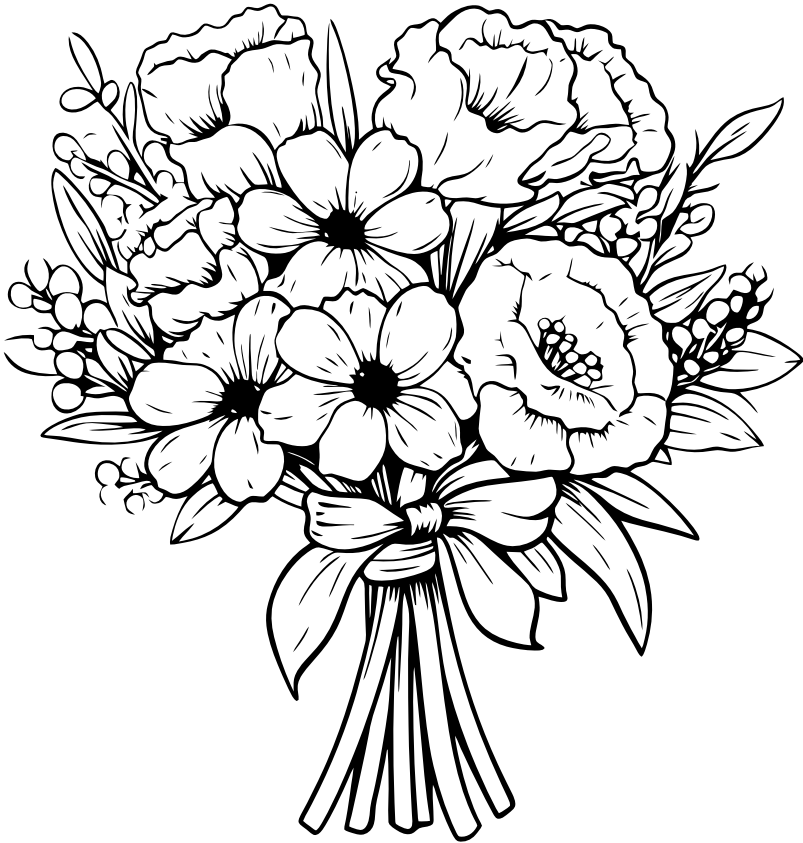


ALL SOULS

Love beyond belief



Flower Communion Sunday

Mothers' Day

May 10, 2026

10:00 AM Service

PRELUDE

What a Wonderful World
Mike McCrary

Weiss/Thiele

PROCESSIONAL #21

For the Beauty of the Earth

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Rev. Dr. Marlin Lavanhar
Rev. Randy Lewis

INVOCATION

COVENANT*

Love is the spirit of this church; and service is its law.
This is our great covenant: to dwell together in peace,
To seek the truth in love, and to help one another.

DOXOLOGY

From all that dwell below the skies
Let faith and hope with love arise;
Let beauty, truth, and good be sung
Through every land by every tongue. Amen

CHALICE LIGHTING

Lavanhar family

MUSICAL INTERLUDE

MUSIC

De Colores
Cherub Choir

Traditional
Spanish Folk Song

MUSIC

Happiness
Children's Choir

C. Gesner

MUSICAL INTERLUDE

LIGHTING OF CANDLES

PRAYER

PRAYER RESPONSE

I Choose Love
Chamber Choir

M. Miller

MUSIC

Isn't She Lovely
Youth Choir

S. Wonder

HOMILY

Loved Into Being
Rev. Dr. Nicole Kirk

10:00 AM Service

MUSIC *In Case You Don't Live Forever* B. Platt, J. Decilveo,
Chamber Choir M. Pollack, N. Cypert;
arr. R. Hooper

OFFERTORY *Gavotte* T. Arne

OFFERING** This morning's offering goes to
National Czech Unitarian Church Youth Summer Camp
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THE FLOWER CEREMONY

INTRODUCTION Shannon Boston

BLESSING OF THE FLOWERS

We bless these flowers.

May they remind us of our own beauty and the beauty of our community.

May they call us to be our best selves, and to cherish our common humanity.

As we work to build a world that is more fair and free and whole,

May these flowers be messengers of peace and hope and love.

FLOWER COMMUNION

HYMN #318 *We Would Be One*

HYMN #38 *Morning Has Broken*

HYMN #29 *Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee*

POSTLUDE *Love Divine* G. Young

At the conclusion of the service, **please remain seated** until an usher dismisses your row. Ushers will work from the back to the front of the Sanctuary.

Each row moves into the center aisle, walks to the flower basket at the front, takes a single flower, and then exits down the side aisles.

Rev. Dr. Marlin Lavanhar
Senior Minister

David B. Smith
Executive Director of
Worship

Libby Sublet
Children's Choir Director

Rev. Randy Lewis
Assistant Minister

Dr. Randall Hooper
Director of
Music

Mike McCrary
Organ

Rev. Dr. Nicole Kirk
Program Minister

Shannon Boston
Executive Director of
Religious Exploration

Samantha Luria
Cherub Choir Director

11:30 AM Service

OPENING MUSIC

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Marlin Lavanhar

COVENANT*

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CHALICE LIGHTING

Lavanhar family

MUSICAL INTERLUDE

TRANSITIONS & SILENCE

MUSIC

I Choose Love
Chamber Choir

M. Miller

REFLECTION

Loved Into Being
Nicole Kirk

MUSIC

In Case You Don't Live Forever
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DEDICATION OF THE FLOWERS

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FLOWER COMMUNION

CLOSING MUSIC

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Spring Choir Concert

May 17 | 4 PM
Reception to follow

Featuring:

Cherub, Children's, & Youth Choirs

The Combined Adult Choirs

Gather together to honor Matthew Shepard through the power of music, featuring our youngest choir members with special selections of their own, and the Combined Adult Choirs performing excerpts from *Considering Matthew Shepard* - a modern choral oratorio by Craig Hella Johnson.



Matthew Shepard was a young college student who was targeted and killed in Laramie, Wyoming in 1998 for being gay in a world that isn't always kind. His death moved people across the country and became a turning point in the fight for LGBTQ+ rights. His parents, Dennis and Judy went on to

found the *Matthew Shepard Foundation*, dedicated to replacing hate with understanding, compassion, and acceptance. Matthew's legacy lives on in the ongoing fight for a world where everyone is safe to be themselves.

GET CONNECTED

Visit allsoulschurch.org/announcements for a full list of events

Today

Healing & Holding Grief at 1:00 PM | Thoreau Lounge

Grief is a normal and natural part of life and yet we seldom learn what grief is all about and how to honor its sacred calling to growth. Explore grief through personal sharing, support, and education about the grief process every 2nd & 4th Sunday of the month.

Today

T-Town Photo Booth In The Memorial Garden for Mother's Day

We're inviting families to the Memorial Garden after the service for a photo booth provided by T-Town Photo Booth. Parents, you probably have thousands of photos of your children, but how many do you have of you and your family together? Come make a memory worth keeping. Happy Mother's Day! *Donations welcome & support the church.*

**May
17**

Graduation Sunday | 10 & 11:30 AM Services

Join us for Graduation Sunday as we celebrate the hard work, achievements, and bright futures of our graduates. Our special services will be filled with joy and recognition as we send our grads off with love and pride. **Graduates are encouraged to wear their caps and gowns!**

**May
17**

Capital Campaign Reception & Celebration

Haven't made your pledge to the No Place Like Home Capital Campaign yet? There's still time to join the campaign! **Next Sunday, May 17** is our Capital Campaign Celebration - mark this milestone together as a community with a reception after each service in Emerson Hall. Every pledge, at every level, counts towards our goal. If All Souls has been meaningful in your life, this is a moment to do something meaningful by being part of its future. Learn more and show your support at allsouls.me/buildingfund.

**May
17**

Men of All Souls Disc Golf Gathering at 3 PM

The Men of All Souls will meet at the disc golf course on Riverside at 3 PM on Sunday, May 17. No experience required!

**May
31**

Service of Promise & Repair | 10 & 11:30 AM Services

This is a call to reflect, recommit, and repair what has been harmed in ourselves and in our world, honoring the 1921 Tulsa Race Massacre - a painful chapter in our city's history that intersects with our own founding. Together, we'll acknowledge the past while moving toward healing and accountability.

**June
29**

All Souls Kids (ASK) Summer Camp 2026

All Souls Kids! Get ready to join us June 29-July 3 for a camp full of fun, movement, meditation, games, music, play, community, and so much more. Want to learn more? Ready to sign up? Visit allsouls.me/summercamp.



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This service is live streamed to viewers around the world.