

ORDER OF SERVICE
FIRST PARISH CHURCH IN BILLERICA
December 26, 2021

Worship Leaders:

Jim Learned

Worship Assistant:

Brita Learned

PRELUDE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

CHALICE LIGHTING

*(Everyone is invited to say the words of the Chalice
Lighting.)*

Music is a gift for which we are grateful.

We gather in community to celebrate the glories.

And the mysteries of this great gift.

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

Love is the doctrine of this church. The quest of
truth is its sacrament, and service is its prayer.

To dwell together in peace, to seek knowledge in
freedom, to serve humanity in fellowship,

to the end that all souls shall grow into harmony
with the Divine; thus, do we covenant with each
other and with God.

CANDLES OF JOY AND CONCERN

SERMON

HYMN

MUSICAL INTERLUDE

PLAYING FOR CHANGE

OFFERTORY

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**First Parish Church
P.O. Box 96,
Billerica, MA 01821**

DOXOLOGY

From all that dwell below the skies,
Let songs of love and faith arise;
Let peace, goodwill on Earth be sung
Through ev'ry land, by ev'ry tongue.

EXTINGUISHING THE CHALICE

words:

Elizabeth Selle Jones

We extinguish this flame, but not the light of truth, the warmth of community, or the fire of commitment. These we carry in our hearts until we are together again.

POSTLUDE *