A Multi-Faith Service
IN HONOR OF THE REV. DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.

Monday, January, 15, 2024, 7:00 PM
Nassau Presbyterian Church
61 Nassau Street
Princeton, New Jersey 08542

In-Person and Livestream
Prelude

Welcome

Call to Worship

Lauren J. McFeaters

Kirk Johnson

In the midst of a world where people hunger and thirst...
Come worship a God who feeds the hungry.
In the midst of a world where people are abused and oppressed...
Come worship a God who calls for compassion and justice.
In the midst of a world filled with wars and rumors of war...
Come worship a God who desires nothing less than peace for the world.
In the midst of a world of spiritual emptiness...
Come worship the God who gives life meaning.
Come worship the God whose grace and love know no end.

Hymn
Lift Every Voice and Sing
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Sacred Expressions

Kaytura Felix & Michael Santiago
Safwan Eid
Anthem
Create in Me a Clean Heart

Donnie McClurkin

Introduction of the Preacher
Deborah Blanks

Scripture
The Letter to the Romans 10:14-15

Sermon
(How) Shall They Hear
Carla A. Jones Brown

Hymn
I Give Myself Away

William McDowell

Choir

I give myself away, I give myself away, so you can use me.
Here I am. Here I stand. Lord, my life is in your hands.
Lord, I’m longing to see your desires revealed in me.
I give myself away, I give myself away, so you can use me.
Take my heart - take my life as a living sacrifice.
All my dreams, all my plans - Lord, I place them in your hands.
I give myself away, I give myself away, so you can use me.
My life is not my own; to you I belong.
I give myself, I give myself to you.
I give myself away, I give myself away, so you can use me.
I refuse to believe that we are unable to influence the events which surround us.

I refuse to believe that we are so bound to racism and war, that peace, brotherhood and sisterhood are not possible.

I believe there is an urgent need for people to overcome oppression and violence, without resorting to violence and oppression.

I believe that we need to discover a way to live together in peace, a way which rejects revenge, aggression and retaliation. The foundation of this way is love.

I believe that unarmed truth and unconditional love will have the final word in reality.
I believe that right temporarily defeated is stronger than evil triumphant.

I believe that people everywhere can have three meals a day for their bodies, education and culture for their minds, and dignity, equality and freedom for their spirits.

I believe that what self-centered people have torn down, other-centered people can build up.

Through the goodness of God at work within people, I believe that brokenness can be healed.
“And the lion and the lamb shall lie down together, and everyone will sit under their own vine and fig tree, and none shall be afraid.”
Offering

Tonight’s offering will benefit the Peace Action Education Fund of the Coalition for Peace Action & the Poor People’s Campaign.

Offertory Anthem

Total Praise

Richard Smallwood

Choir

Sacred Expressions

Avi Paradise

Sutinder Singh

Hymn

We Shall Overcome

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Blessing

Carla A. Jones Brown

Postlude

Toccata on "Lift Every Voice"

Mark Miller

Sponsored by the Princeton Clergy Association.
**Worship Leaders**

The Rev. Lauren J. McFeaters, Nassau Presbyterian Church  
The Rev. Dr. Kirk A. Johnson, Christ Congregation  
Dr. Kaytura Felix & Michael Santiago, Princeton Bahá’í Community  
Imam Safwan Eid, The Muslim Center of Greater Princeton  
The Rev. Dr. Deborah Blanks, Mt. Pisgah African Methodist Episcopal Church  
The Rev. Carla A. Jones Brown, Arch Street Presbyterian Church, Philadelphia  
The Rev. Bill Neely, Unitarian Universalist Congregation of Princeton  
The Rev. Robert Moore, Coalition for Peace Action  
Avi Paradise, Prayer Leader, The Jewish Center of Princeton  
Sutinder Singh, American Sikh Council

**Musicians**

_Multifaith Community Choir_

**Director:** The Rev. Dr. Donald Locklear, Minister of Music, First Baptist Church of Princeton  
**Organist:** Noel Werner, Director of Music, Nassau Presbyterian Church  
**Soloist:** Gayle Green  
**Pianist:** Dr. Rodney Green  
**Bassist:** Curtis Fowlkes  
**Guitarist:** Calvin Freeland  
**Drummer:** Norman Stevenson

**Ushers**

Marshall McKnight  
Jane Fetter  
Ted Fetter  
Beth Behrend  
Robert Eaton

**Livestream Staff**

Nick Mastalesz  
Doug Ladendorf