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Susan Lifchez, *Martha Circle*  
Linda Marshall, *Martha Circle*  
Suzanne Moody, *Unnamed Women Circle*  
Susan Robinson, *Ruth Circle*

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Rev. Dr. Mary Brown  
Rev. Lisa Rettew, *Martha Circle*  
Alexandra Holland, *Martha Circle*  
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**Music:**

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Heather Cree, violin

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Karen Crutchfield, piano

Rhonda Freeman, *Martha Circle*, and Sheila Johnson, handbells

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