BUILDING THE BELOVED COMMUNITY
INTERFAITH SERVICE

IN REMEMBRANCE OF
THE REV. DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING JR.

MONDAY, JANUARY 15, 2024
9:45 A.M.
FRANK D. ASHBURN CHAPEL
BROOKS SCHOOL
NORTH ANDOVER, MASSACHUSETTS
Organ Prelude

Welcome Head of School John Packard

Opening Prayer School Minister the Rev. Jim Chapman

Hymn “Lift Every Voice And Sing”

Reading from the Jewish tradition: Amos 5:14–24
Zoe Hastings, Member, Havurat Shalom Andover

Reading from the Christian tradition: Colossians 3:8–14
The Rev. Jon Paul, Free Christian Church, Andover

Reading from the Islamic tradition: The Holy Quran, (Mary) Chapter 19
Imam Ahmed Ragheeb, Andover Islamic Center

Hymn “Draw The Circle Wide”

Litany of the Beloved Community
Read by the Rev. Renee Manning, West Parish Church, Andover

Readings of excerpts from the sermons and writings
of the Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.:

“Loving Your Enemies”
Read by the Rev. Eleanor Prior, St. Paul’s Episcopal Church, North Andover
Read by Leslie Kalafarski, St. Paul’s Episcopal Church, North Andover
Read by the Rev. Debra Adams, Trinitarian Congregational Church, North Andover

“Beyond Vietnam: A Time to Break Silence”
Read by the Rev. Lee Bluemel, North Parish of North Andover

Hymn “Let The Life I Lead”

“Letter from Birmingham Jail”
Read by Ben Kellman, President, Havurat Shalom Andover

“The Drum Major Instinct”
Read by the Rev. Genevieve Hosterman, South Church, Andover

Video excerpt from “Freedom’s Ring” (“I Have A Dream”)

Reflection Rabbi Howard Mandell, Congregation Beth Israel, Andover

Hymn “This Little Light of Mine”

Community Prayer for peace and justice The Rev. Jeanette Leisk, Faith Lutheran Church, Andover

Benediction Dean of Diversity, Equity, Inclusion and Belonging the Rev. Terri Ofori

Hymn “We Shall Overcome”

Organ Postlude