

# USG - Unitarian Society of Germantown

*Building Beloved Community with Compassion, Service and Empowerment*

**Sunday, February 16, 2020**



## *On Resilience*

### **Guest Speakers**

**Zachary Bosco-Dwornik, Dev Howerton & Jeffrey Jaeger  
with Music from Mark Daugherty & Soloists  
Robert Hefele, Beverly Gross Spencer & Siobhan Raupach**

## **WELCOME, VISITORS AND FRIENDS**

We're so glad you joined us this morning! If this is your first visit, we encourage you to fill out a **name tag** in the narthex (at the back of the sanctuary) or at the Welcome Table (either in the Dining Room or outside in the Grove) before or after the service. Please also fill out a **visitor form** in either of those locations and pick up a gift bag if you would like one. If a **hearing assist device or elevator** would be helpful, please see an usher. Our parking lot is accessed from Johnson St. near Wayne Ave. and we have accessible parking in the courtyard off Lincoln Drive. Please contact Lisa Dutton, Welcoming chair, at [welcoming@usguu.org](mailto:welcoming@usguu.org) or 215-277-5752 with questions.



## **THE UU JOYS AND SORROWS TRADITION**

All are welcome during this part of the service to come forward, select a stone and then place it in the bowl of water to symbolize sharing your joy or sorrow, blessing or concern, with the community.

## **WAYS TO GIVE DURING THE OFFERING TODAY**

If writing a check, please make it out to USG. In the memo line, please indicate the specific intentions (special gift, pledge, capital campaign, etc.). If texting, follow directions on pg. 1 or 2 of Announcements and text, e.g.: (amount space pledge) or (amount space STP).

## **THIS MORNING IN WORSHIP AND FELLOWSHIP**

*We thank all the folks who do a little or a lot to make every Sunday at USG meaningful, beautiful, and welcoming. So many people contribute. Below are some of those people.*

Worship Associate: Jeffrey Jaeger

Musicians: Mark Daugherty on piano

Sound Technicians: Bob Williford, David Ward

Videographer: Jeff Smith

Ushers: Tim Spencer (Lead Usher), Nancy LaFauci, Carolyn Scott

Fellowship Hour Hosts: Village 1

Welcome Table: Maggie Chapman

Order of Service Collator Sarah Spath

Sexton: Tito Zepeda

### **USG's Board of Trustees, 2019-2020**

For contact information for Board members, go to USGUU.ORG, log in with your member password, go to the MEMBERS tab and then to the LEADERSHIP DIRECTORY.

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# ORDER OF SERVICE

February 16, 2020



Please silence cell phones

**WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Jeffrey Jaeger**

**RINGING OF TIBETAN PRAYER BOWL**

**Mark Daugherty**

**CALL TO WORSHIP**

**HYMN**

*We Laugh, We Cry*

**#354**

**CHALICE LIGHTING**

*words by Rob Grad*

**JOYS AND SORROWS**

**PRELUDE**

*The Gambler*  
by Don Schlitz

**Mark Daugherty, piano**

**SHARE THE PLATE\***

**POWER**

**Jordan Ford**

**OFFERTORY**

*Imagine*  
by John Lennon

**Robert Hefele, soloist**

**STORY FOR ALL AGES**

*The Adventures of Beekle*  
by Dan Santat

**INTRODUCTION OF SPEAKERS**

**PERSPECTIVE ONE**

*On Resilience*

**Zachary Bosco-Dwornik**

**INTERLUDE**

*Hold On*  
by Lucy Simon

**Beverly Gross Spencer, soloist**

**RESPONSIVE READING**

*Change Alone is Unchanging*

**#655**

**PERSPECTIVE TWO**

*On Resilience*

**Dev Howerton**

**CONCERNS OF THE COMMUNITY & THE WORLD**

**PRAYER/MEDITATION**

*A Rainy Morning*  
by Ted Kooser

**SPIRIT OF LIFE**

**#123**

*Spirit of Life, Come unto me. Sing in my heart all the stirrings of compassion. Blow in the wind, rise in the sea; move in the hand, giving life the shape of justice. Roots hold me close; wings set me free; Spirit of Life, come to me, come to me.*

**PERSPECTIVE THREE**

*On Resilience*

**Jeffrey Jaeger**

**CLOSING WORDS**

from *High Tide in Tucson*  
by Barbara Kingsolver

**POSTLUDE**

*You'll Never Walk Alone*  
by Rodgers & Hammerstein

**Siobhan Raupach, soloist**

**PASS THE PEACE**

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## **THIS MORNING FOR CHILDREN AND YOUTH**

This Sunday of Presidents' Day weekend, children and youth will be in the sanctuary for the worship service with families and friends. Our usual CSD programs resume next Sunday, February 23.



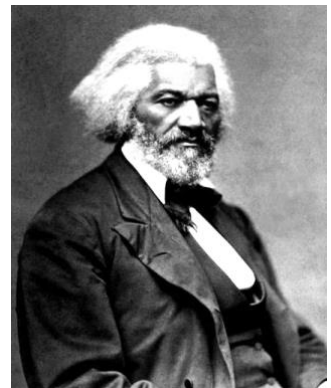
**Childcare** for children 4-5 years old and younger is offered this Sunday (and most Sundays) from 9:00am - 12:00pm in the **Committee Room**.

Details about the CSD programs and schedules can be found on the [Usguu.org](http://Usguu.org) website under the Spiritual Development tab. **The Wiggle Room** is just off the Narthex (behind the Sanctuary) for those who need a little break. **PlayPacks** for children to use during the Service are available. Please just ask an usher. Kindly return the PlayPacks at the end of the service for next Sunday's use.

**Join us NEXT Sunday, February 23, 10:30am**

***Frederick Douglass Chronicles, II, Rev. Kent Matthies***

Traveling by train, horse, and boat, Frederick Douglass risked his life every day over decades, speaking to hundreds of thousands of people. In 1840 Douglass asked, "These hands – are they not mine? This body – is it not mine? I am your brother, white as you are. I'm your blood kin. You don't get rid of me so easily." An escaped slave, orator, philosopher and abolitionist, Douglass was one of the all-time greatest and most important Americans. This two-part sermon series will look at the chronicles of Douglass' life. What inspiration, wisdom, and direction can we glean from this beacon of justice for the living of our own lives today?



*Image: Photo by George Kendall Warren (circa 1879, when Douglass was around 61 years of age.)*

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