



The Unitarian Society of Germantown
ORDER OF SERVICE
Sunday, February 27, 2022

with
 Rev. Kent Matthies, Senior Minister
 Latifah Griffin-Rogers, Intern Minister
 Barbara Browne, Visiting Music Coordinator
 Choir Members: Betsy Gabriel, Charles Gabriel, Donya Coldwell,
 Jody Hill, Mary Kalyna

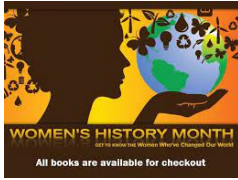

INGATHERING MUSIC	<i>The Bells</i> by William Byrd	Barbara Browne, organ
WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS		Worship Associate Margaret Thompson
RINGING OF THE PRAYER BOWL		Rev. Kent Matthies
CALL TO WORSHIP		
PRELUDE	<i>We're Gonna Sit at the Welcome Table</i> Traditional	Barbara Browne, piano
CHALICE LIGHTING	<i>Bring Us Home to Love</i> by Frances Kozier	Margaret Thompson
STORY FOR ALL AGES	<i>Our Symbol: The Flaming Chalice</i> by Rev. Sarah Oelberg	Mrs. Latifah Griffin-Rogers
GO NOW IN PEACE	by Natalie Sleeth, based on Luke 2:29	#413
<i>Go now in peace. Go now in peace. May the spirit of love surround you everywhere, everywhere you may go.</i>		
FAITH STATEMENT ON UKRAINE		Mary Kalyna
INTERLUDE	<i>Ukrainian National Anthem</i> by Pavlo Chubynsky and Mykhailo Verbytsky	Choir Members & Barbara Browne, piano
READINGS	<i>Psalm 24;</i> <i>Seek the Truth</i> by Jan Hus; <i>Everyone can be great</i> by Martin Luther King, Jr.	Rev. Kent Matthies
CONCERNS OF THE COMMUNITY AND THE WORLD		Margaret Thompson
PRAYER/MEDITATION		
SPIRIT OF LIFE, #123	by Carolyn McDade	Congregation, singing softly
<i>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.</i>		
SERMON	<i>Alphabet Soup Church</i>	Rev. Kent Matthies
OFFERING		
OFFERTORY	<i>'Tis a Gift to be Simple</i> Music, American Shaker tune; Words, Joseph Bracket	Choir Members Barbara Browne, piano
CLOSING WORDS	<i>You Won't Be Alone</i> by Rod Richards	Rev. Kent Matthies
EXTINGUISHING THE CHALICE		
POSTLUDE	<i>Let There Be Peace on Earth</i> by Jill Jackson-Miller and Sy Miller	Choir Members Barbara Browne, piano
PASS THE PEACE		

*Please accept the invitation to join a Breakout Room for Fellowship.
 If you are in person at USG, please enjoy chatting with others,
 while remaining mindful of observing USG's Covid-safety protocols and covenant.*

The Next Two Weeks at USG

If you are interested in any of the following events, please find further details at usguu.org or in one of our newsletters or contact communications@usguu.org or welcoming@usguu.org.

We would love to talk to you!

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p>February 27 10:30a: Worship Service on Zoom & In Person at USG</p> <p>CSD in person</p> <p>10:30a: OWL in person</p> <p>11:30a: TOWN HALL called by USG Board President, in person and on Zoom</p>	<p>28 10:00a: Wissahickon Walks</p>	<p>March 1 HERSTORY- Women's History Month begins. Check out USG's weekly SPIRIT throughout March for a recognition of some significant women!</p>  <p>1:30p: Handcrafters on Zoom</p>	<p>2 2:30p: Meditations for Midweek on Zoom</p> <p>7:00p: Widening the Circle Working Group on Zoom (open to all who do the reading)</p>	<p>3 10:00a: Wissahickon Walks</p> <p>7:15p: Thursday Mindfulness with Jesse on Zoom</p>	<p>4 9:30a: Yoga with Esther on Zoom</p>	<p>5 9:30a: Yoga with Esther on Zoom</p>
<p>6 10:30a: Worship Service on Zoom & In Person at USG</p> <p>CSD in person</p> <p>10:30a: OWL in person</p> <p>2:00p: ERC Presents/Mtg on Zoom</p> <p>3:00p: Embodying Our Practice w Deborah Cooper on Zoom</p>	<p>7 10:00a: Wissahickon Walks</p> <p>7:00p: EarthSpirit Circle Meeting on Zoom</p>	<p>8 9:00a: Food Pantry Delivery</p>	<p>9 2:30p: Meditations for Midweek on Zoom</p>	<p>10 10:00a: Wissahickon Walks</p> <p>7:00p: SHAPING JUSTICE AT USG Conference on Zoom</p> 	<p>11 9:30a: Yoga with Esther on Zoom</p> <p>2:00pm: Exploring Elderhood discusses FALLING UPWARD with Rev. Kent</p>	<p>12 9:30a: Yoga with Esther on Zoom</p>

As you can see, it IS possible to get the ducks in a row!

Volunteer! Be an usher, worship associate, speaker, worship techie, welcoming team member, or social justice contributor. **We need U, all of U!** Contact communications@usguu.org

