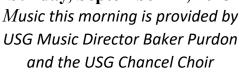


## ORDER OF SERVICE Sunday, September 24, 2023





Greet Your Neighbors Rev. Cheryl M. Walker

Welcome & Announcements Margaret Thompson

Ringing of the Prayer Bowl Rev. Cheryl

Chalice Lighting Margaret Thompson

Story For All Ages Rev. Kev

Hymn #413 (hardback) Go Now In Peace

Prelude Lovely Day by Billy Withers

New Member Recognition

Lisa Dutton, President Amy Birge-Caracappa, Rev. Cheryl

Joys and Sorrows Margaret Thompson Congregation sings Hymn #123 (hardback) *Spirit of Life* 

Prayer Rev. Cheryl

Reading Margaret Thompson

Interlude Kol Nidre, arr. Baker Purdon

Sermon The Scapegoat Rev. Cheryl M. Walker

Hymn #281 (hardback) O God, Our Help In Ages Past

Share The Plate Heeding God's Call

Offertory *Poor Wayfaring Stranger*, arr. Mark Hayes

Extinguishing the Chalice

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We extinguish our chalice but the flame remains in us, as we live into the mission of this congregation: Building Beloved Community with Compassion, Service and Empowerment

Benediction Rev. Cheryl

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- 20 stp sends \$20 to Share The Plate
- 20 pledge sends \$20 toward your pledge
- 20 capital gives \$20 to the Foundations for the Future Capital Campaign

To donate online: https://bit.ly/USGgiving

Join the choir: <a href="https://bit.ly/USGchoirinterest">https://bit.ly/USGchoirinterest</a>

Visitor form: https://usg.breezechms.com/form/f0ac5e

2023 Auction Items Still Available: fundraiser.bid/usg2023

Ministerial Search Committee Survey: <u>bit.ly/searchsurvey1</u>

#### Have you completed your survey?

The Ministerial Search Committee would like to know what you have to say about the future of USG! Please make your voice heard. We'd like to hear from at least 180 people- we truly do believe that every opinion counts! Respond online by going to <a href="https://bit.ly/searchsurvey1">bit.ly/searchsurvey1</a>. If you are filling it out on a handheld device, you'll need to turn the device sideways. You can also grab a paper copy at the Welcome Table or outside the USG offices. The deadline to respond is September 30.

#### **Upcoming Special Events**

## Saturday October 7 (One day only; please note change from prior announcement)

8:00a-4:00p: Rebuilding Together Philadelphia Block Build

Donate time to help fellow Philadelphians remain in their homes safely. To volunteer contact *rebuildingphilly@usguu.org* 

# Saturday, October 7 (please note change of date from Oct. 14th)

2:00p: Memorial Service for Dallis Graham, Sr.

Repast to follow in Edna Jones Assembly Room

## Sunday, October 8

10:30a: Worship Service

11:30a-1:30p: CommUUnity Day