



Unitarian Society of Germantown  
Order of Service  
Flower Communion  
June 15, 2025



**Gathering Music**

#1096: *I Know This Rose Will Open*  
Performed by Cate and Adam Monaco

**Welcome and Announcements**

Maggie Birge-Caracappa, Worship Associate

**Call To Worship**

Rev. Hannah Capaldi, Minister

**Chalice Lighting**

We light this chalice, the beacon that calls us:  
To love  
To justice  
To a deepening of the spirit.  
-Rev. Cynthia Landrum

**Hymn**

#21: *For the Beauty of the Earth*

**Sending Forth**

Rev. Hannah Capaldi

**Time For All Ages**

Zoë Johnston, Dir. of Spiritual Development

**Testimony**

Maggie Birge-Caracappa

**Offertory and Share the Plate**

*Wildflowers*, Performed by Cate and Adam Monaco  
Music and Lyrics by Tom Petty

This week's plate is shared with Morris Home.  
For directions to donate, refer to the back of the Order of Service cover.

## **Flower Communion**

Rev. Hannah Capaldi and Zoë Johnston

## **Hymn**

#123: *Spirit of Life*

## **Blessing of the Flowers**

Rev. Hannah Capaldi

## **Anthem**

*Queen Anne's Lace and Maybells*

Music and Lyrics by Cate Monaco

## **Reading**

Maggie Birge-Caracappa

## **Homily**

Rev. Hannah Capaldi

## **Hymn**

#34: *Though I May Speak With Bravest Fire*

## **Chalice Extinguishing**

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. Hannah Capaldi

## **Recessional**

Performed by Cate Monaco

**Visitor Form:** <https://usg.breezechms.com/form/foac5e>

## **Support USG - Multiple Ways to Give**

**Text 215-608-2660** with your donation amount and fund designation.

Simply enter: [Amount] [space] [fund name]

**Make checks payable to USG** and include intended fund in the memo line.

**Online go to [bit.ly/USGgiving](https://bit.ly/USGgiving)** and follow prompts.

## **UPCOMING EVENTS**

### **20s30s40s Game Night**

Friday, June 20 from 7-9:30pm in Edna Jones Assembly Room

You're invited to bring snacks and/or games to share!

Contact [20s30s40s@usguu.org](mailto:20s30s40s@usguu.org) for more info.

### **General Assembly Worship Service**

Sunday, June 22 at 11am *\*note adjusted worship service time*

The GA Worship Service will be broadcast live in the Sanctuary.

### **Summer Solstice Celebration**

Sunday, June 22 from 12:30-1:30pm in the Labyrinth

There will be a labyrinth walk, drum circle, and meditation.

## **OTHER ANNOUNCEMENTS**

### **Summer Office Hours**

Weekdays 9:00am-12:00pm | Beginning June 23

The office will be closed the week of June 16. All staff are at GA or on vacation.

### **Photos For Breeze**

Our Breeze Directory is a great resource for connecting names with faces! To include a photo of your beautiful face in Breeze, submit your photo to [photos@usguu.org](mailto:photos@usguu.org).

### **Nicky Brown Scholarship**

If you are a pledging/paying member of USG, or have been a contributing friend for two or more years, and you are a college or graduate school student, you can apply for a small stipend through the Nicky Brown Scholarship. Contact

[brownscholarship@usguu.org](mailto:brownscholarship@usguu.org) for an application.

Applications are due by July 31, 2025.

### **View our Summer Pulpit Line-up**

Go to [bit.ly/usgsummer](https://bit.ly/usgsummer)