



Unitarian Society of Germantown
Order of Service
Becoming Beloved Community
March 29, 2026



Gathering Hymn

#121, *We'll Build A Land*

Welcome & Announcements

Maggie Birge-Caracappa, Worship Associate

Call to Worship

Maggie Birge-Caracappa

Chalice Lighting

*Love is the spirit of this church, and service is its prayer.
This is our great covenant: to dwell together in peace,
to seek the truth in love, and to help one another.*

Time for All Ages

Zoë Johnston, Director of Spiritual Development

Children's Recessional

#413, *Go Now in Peace*

*Go now in peace. Go now in peace.
May the spirit of love surround you everywhere,
Everywhere you may go.*

Testimony

Maggie Birge-Caracappa

Share the Plate

Our Share the Plate recipient this week is Women Against Abuse. For directions to donate, refer to the back of the Order of Service cover.

Offertory

Abide with Me; 'Tis Eventide
Harrison Millard, arr. Rebecca Belliston

Prayer

Rev. Greg Holston

Hymn

#34, *Though I May Speak with Bravest Fire*

Reading

Maggie Birge-Caracappa

Sermon

Rev. Greg Holston

Hymn

#95, *There Is More Love*

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. Greg Holston

Support USG - Multiple Ways to Give

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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 and follow prompts.

Upcoming Events

Women's Retreat Registration Closes April 4

April 25 from 8:30-4:30pm at the Cranaleith Spiritual Center

During this retreat you will experience sharing of hope, contemplative art, awe walking in pairs, breathing, and mindfulness. Breakfast and lunch are included. Email womensretreat@usguu.org for registration link.

All Ages Art Potluck

April 2 from 6-8pm in the Edna Jones Assembly Room

Join us for a casual evening of arts and crafts over dinner. Feel free to work on your own creative project or join us in a group craft. We'll be decorating quilt squares to eventually make into one big community quilt. Bring food and/or art supplies to share!

GenXYZ Game Night

April 10 at 7pm in the Edna Jones Assembly Room

Feel free to bring snacks and/or games to share! Contact GenXYZ@usguu.org with any questions.

Garden Cleanup Day

April 11 from 8am-12pm at USG

All are invited to join the GardenGrUUp's Spring Cleanup. Pizza or Hoagies after! Bring gloves, plus rakes, clippers if you have them. Even an hour or two is great. Teenagers welcome!

Building Beloved Community Beyond the Binary

April 18 from 9-4:30pm in the Sanctuary

Come for one or more workshops or the whole day! Lunch and childcare will be provided. Email BBCBB@usguu.org for RSVP link and more info!

USG Cabaret Night and Silent Auction

April 18 at 7pm at USG

Email cabaret@usguu.org to sign up to perform. Email silentauction@usguu.org to donate an auction item.