



Water Service September 8, 2024

This is a service for all ages. Everyone is encouraged to stay in The Commons for the service. We have fidget toys and art materials for all. The nursery is open to care for our youngest children (age 5 and under) if that is the best fit for them.

Gathering of Community

Music for Gathering	Jennifer Drake
Opening Words	Rev. Rachel Lonberg
Words of Welcome	Bob Davis
Announcements	Rev. Rachel Lonberg
Introit	'I've Got Peace Like a River' (#100) Jennifer Drake & Savannah Ramsey
Chalice Lighting	Bob Davis

If you are lighting a chalice at home, you are encouraged to type in the chat box 'A chalice is lit in (your neighborhood/city/street).'

Words: 'We Gather as Many Drops' by Leslie Takahashi

Welcome from Rev. Dr. Sofia Betancourt,
President of the Unitarian Universalist Association

Searching for Wisdom

Wisdom from Poetry	'Advice from a Raindrop' by Kim Stafford
Wisdom Story	'Higgins, a Drop with a Dream' by Chris Buice Diane Melvin, Director of Religious Education
Wisdom from our Bodies	Creating a Rainstorm

Wisdom from Nature Rev. Rachel Lonberg
Wisdom from Community: Collecting Waters
Share with your table or in the Zoom chat the story of your water.

Affirming Our Connections

Joys and Sorrows
Share with your table or in the Zoom chat the joys and sorrows in your life today.

Gathering Waters Together
Special Music Jennifer Drake
Offering Rev. Rachel Lonberg
Support the good and important work of People's Church: www.tinyurl.com/givingtopeoples



Offertory

Giving Thanks for All That Sustains Us

*From the countless gifts we each have been given,
gifts of life and love and sustenance,
we bring these small portions to share in the works of love
which none of us can accomplish alone.*

Returning to the World

A Drop to Take with Us	
Closing Song	'Blue Boat Home' (Mayer)
Closing words	Rev. Rachel Lonberg
Postlude	

Coffee Quarter breakout rooms available on Zoom