

The God(s) I Don't Believe In October 19, 2025

Gathering of Community

Music for Gathering

Opening Words Rev. Rachel Lonberg

Words of Welcome & Notice of a Congregational Meeting

Laura Bultman, President of the Board of Trustees

Announcements Rev. Rachel Lonberg

Special Bazaar Announcement Rick Johnson

Introit 'Siyahamba' (#1030)

Chalice Lighting Laura Bultman

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: 'The Love that Redeems Us All' by Max A Coots

Affirming our Connections

Time for All 'Muddy Children, a Story of Hosea Ballou'

by Janeen K. Grosmeyer

Rev. Rachel Lonberg

Children and Teacher Recessional 'Go Forth' (Ramsey/Drake)

Go forth in peace, in search of wisdom,

With love to guide you on your way

And may the joy of life surround you

Wherever you may go.

Special Offering to Support the Kalamazoo Climate Crisis Coalition

Tom Hackley and Jenny Doezema, Executive Director

Support the good and important work of People's Church:

www.tinyurl.com/givetopeoples

Offertory People's Ringers

Giving Thanks for All That Sustains Us Laura Bultman

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.

Joys and Sorrows Rev. Rachel Lonberg

Searching for Wisdom and Inspiration

Silent Meditation

Spoken Meditation from The Secret Lives of Church Ladies

by Deesha Philyaw

Musical Meditation 'Spirit of Life' (#123)

Reading 'When All Is Said and Done, My Soul Will Be My Own'

written and read by Maya Kirkwood

Music 'Bring Many Names' (#23)

Sermon The God(s) I Don't Believe In Rev. Rachel Lonberg

Returning to the World

Closing song 'God of Grace and God of Glory' (#115)

Closing words Rev. Rachel Lonberg

Postlude People's Ringers

Coffee Quarter breakout rooms

All are invited to stay on Zoom for 15 minutes of small group conversation.

