



MARTHA BOEHM

OCTOBER 12

10 AM

GATHERING MUSIC “Prelude No. 2” by Catherine Rollin. Lynn Biddick, piano.

RINGING THE CHIMES

PRELUDE MUSIC “Be the Light” by Lea Morris. Video by Lea Morris.

WELCOMING AND ANNOUNCEMENTS If you are visiting us for the first time, we're glad you're here! Visit uulacrosse.org/connect to tell us about yourself.

CHALICE LIGHTING “The Wisdom to know” by Rev. Michelle Collins

We light this chalice as we learn to hold both tenderness and strength. May this flame illuminate the wisdom to know when compassion calls us to offer comfort and when it demands our courageous action.

OPENING SONG STJ #1012 “When I Am Frightened” Lynn Biddick, piano.

OPENING READING

GREET YOUR NEIGHBOR

TIME FOR ALL AGES *The Monk and the Scorpion* told by Carmen Golay.

Youth invited to go to RE Activities as congregation sings STLT #168 “One More Step”: One more step, / we will take one more step, / 'til there is peace for us and everyone, / we'll take one more step.

COVENANT

We are a caring community that inspires, nurtures, and empowers one another.

With trust, respect, and compassion, we strive to listen deeply, communicate clearly, and act with love toward one another, our community, and the world.

SHARING OF JOYS AND SORROWS

CONGREGATIONAL SONG STJ #1031 “Filled with Loving Kindness” Lynn Biddick, piano.

OFFERTORY Visit uulacrosse.org/waystogive to make pledge payments or contributions to our general fund and/or special collection. This month’s special collection is “Baskets of Belonging”: Checks written to UU La Crosse.

Music: “Prelude No. 7” by Catherine Rollin, Lynn Biddick, piano.

READING AND MEDITATION by Arthur Ashe

TALK “Just Keep Growing: 25 Servant Leadership Lessons” with Martha Boehm

CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE

CLOSING WORDS AND CHALICE EXTINGUISHING “Bring Happiness” by Barbara Cheatham

Before we gather here again—

may each of us bring happiness into another's life;

may we each be surprised by the gifts that surround us;

may each of us be enlivened by constant curiosity —

And may we remain together in spirit

til the hour we meet again.

CLOSING SONG “One Foot in Front of the Other” by Melanie DeMore. Lynn Biddick, piano.

POSTLUDE STLT #131 Love Will Guide Us” Lynn Biddick, piano.

COFFEE AND CONVERSATION

Join us Next Sunday at 10:00 AM

“Cultivating Compassion”
with John McHugh