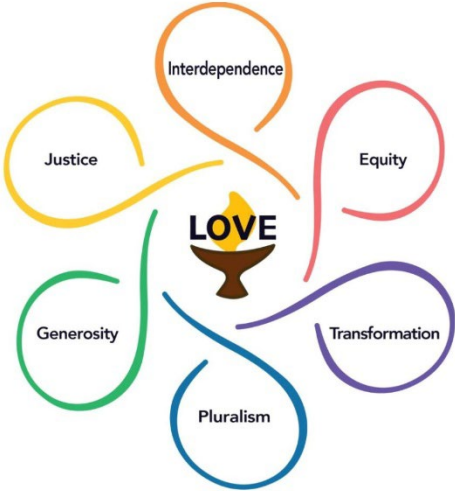


This Week

- ✓ Sunday, September 7
Forum: Death Café at 9:15 a.m.
Faith Formation at 9:45 a.m.
Worship at 11:00 a.m.
- ✓ Tuesday, September 9
Archives Committee at 10:00 a.m.
- ✓ Thursday, September 11
Worship Arts Team at 6:30 p.m.
- ✓ Saturday, September 13
Jerry Oydgard Celebration of Life
at 10:00 a.m.

Next Week

- ✓ Sunday, September 14
Faith Formation at 9:45 a.m.
Forum: Iowa Environmental Council at 9:45 a.m.
CUUPS at 12:30 p.m.
Worship at 11:00 a.m.
- ✓ Tuesday, September 16
Finance Team at 7:00 p.m.
Social Justice Meeting 7:00 p.m.
(All Congregants Invited)



<p>PEOPLES CHURCH MISSION STATEMENT:</p> <p>Leading compassionate lives through spiritual growth and just action.</p>		
<p>Minister Rev. Carin Bringelson</p> <p>Interim Director of Faith Formation Bridget Laflin</p> <p>Tuesday & Thursday 9am-2pm and by appointment</p>	<p>STAFF</p> <p>Congregational Administrator David Kind</p> <p>Tuesday through Thursday 10am-3pm</p>	<p>Social Media and Internet Outreach Technician Matthew Wilde</p> <p>Accompanist Rishi Wagle</p> <p>Custodian Brittany Youngbear</p>



Welcome to

PEOPLES CHURCH
UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST



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Sunday, September 7, 2025

“Meeting the Waves”

led by Rev. Carin Bringelson

Peoples Church Worship Service
Sunday, August 31, 2025
“Meeting the Waves”

Preservice Music	Rishi Wagle	Reading — Clarity and Moral Courage for the Moment	Josh Wagner
Welcome and Announcements	Lu Wilcox	*Hymn — #1070 “Mother I Feel You”	
Singing Bowl and Moment of Silence	Josh Wagner	Water Communion Reflection — “Meeting the Waves”	Rev. Carin Bringelson
Prelude — “The Water is Wide” (Shaker Hymn)	Mike Maas and Carlis Faurot	Offering —	Rose Gabe
Opening Words — by Manish K. Mishra-Marzetti	Rev. Carin Bringelson	Interlude — “Bring Me Little Water Silvie” (Old Led Belly Song)	Mike Mass and Carlis Faurot
Chalice Lighting —	Rev. Carin Bringelson and Congregation	Prayerful Meditation with Candles and Stones	Rev. Carin Bringelson
As travelers on this river road of life — as we let the currents hold us and guide us — we light this chalice for the Gift of Water and for the way it lifts our spirits.		*Closing Hymn — #1023 “Building Bridges”	
Affirmation — #473 by James Vila Blake	Josh Wagner and Congregation	Extinguishing the Chalice — #456 by Elizabeth Selle Jones	Josh Wagner and Congregation
Love is the spirit of this church And service is its law. This is our great covenant: To dwell together in peace, To seek the truth in love, And to help one another.		We extinguish this flame but not the light of truth, the warmth of community, or the fire of commitment. These we carry in our hearts until we are together again.	
*Gathering Hymn — #1007 “There’s a River Flowin’ in My Soul”		Benediction —	Rev. Carin Bringelson
Time for All Ages — “What Floats Our Boat?”	Bridget Laflin	Postlude — “Blue Boat Home” by Peter Mayer	Mike Maas and Carlis Faurot
Traveling Tune — #402 “From You I Receive”			

Please join us after worship for coffee and conversation
in the Andre room.

*Please rise in body and/or spirit