

**Today's Music**

Please welcome guest musician, Hannah Waterstone!

**Prelude:** *Canon in D*  
Pachelbel

**Chalice Song:** *May the Light*  
Andrew Backus

**Musical Meditation:** *Drops on the Waterfall*  
Hannah Waterstone

**Offertory:** *Prelude in Eb Major*  
Frederik Chopin

**Recessional:** *Fugue#2*  
J.S. Bach

**First Unitarian-Universalist Church**

Reverend Roger Mohr, Interim Minister

Todd Ballou, Music Director

Gwen Foss, Cantor

**Today's Ushers:** John Angry                      Danny Rebb  
                                 Dale Compton                      Margaret Wilkie

**Hearing Assistance** devices are available from any of our ushers. **CD recordings** of today's service will be available for \$5 from our sound technician in the Social Hall after the service.

Please visit us at [www.1stuu.org](http://www.1stuu.org); email the church secretary, Tamara, at [info@1stuu.org](mailto:info@1stuu.org); or give us a call at (313) 833-9107.

***First Unitarian-Universalist  
Church***

**January 27, 2013**

*"Tolerance vs. Acceptance"*

***Kathleen Jacobs Johnson***



*Liberate Truth ~ Radiate Kindness  
Love Courageously*

**First Unitarian-Universalist Church is an urban center for  
spiritual renewal and social justice in Detroit**

OUR ORDINARY ORDER OF SERVICE

ENTERING

Lighting of Candles

Singing Together\*

Welcome – Marilyn Mitchell, Trustee of the Day

CENTERING

Prelude

Calling To Worship

Kindling the Flame

Opening Hymn\* #323 *Break Not the Circle*

DEEPENING

Silent Meditation

Invocation

Musical Meditation

Reading

Message

RETURNING

Offering

Closing Hymn\* #131 *Love Will Guide Us*

Benediction\*

Recessional

*All are invited to the Social Hall for coffee, cookies, conversation.*

(\* indicates times to stand in body or spirit)

### ***Edelweiss from "The Sound of Music"***

words by Oscar Hammerstein, Music by Ruchard Rodgers

Edelweiss, Edelweiss, Ev'ry morning you greet me.  
Small and white, clean and bright, you look happy to meet me.

Blossom of snow, may you bloom and grow, Bloom and grow forever.

Eldelweiss, Edelweiss, Bless my homeland forever.  
(Repeat)

### ***I Can See Clearly Now***

words & music by Johnny Nash

1. I can see clearly now, the rain is gone.  
I can see all obstacles in my way.  
Gone are the dark clouds that had me down  
It's gonna be a bright, bright sun-shiney day.

2. Oh, yes I can make it now, the pain is gone.  
All of the bad feelings have disappeared  
Here is that rainbow I've been praying for  
It's gonna be a bright, bright sun-shiney day  
Look all around, there's nothing but blue sky.  
Look straight ahead, there's nothing but blue sky  
(Ahh--)

3. I can see clearly now, the rain is gone.  
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### ***I'm On My Way #116***

African American Spiritual

1 I'm on my way to the freedom land. I'm on my way to the freedom land. I'm on my way to the freedom land. I'm on my way, great God, I'm on my way.

2 I asked my sister, come and go with me. I asked my sister, come and go with me. I asked my sister, come and go with me. I'm on my way, great God, I'm on my way.

3 I asked my brother, come and go with me. I asked my brother, come and go with me. I asked my brother, come and go with me. I'm on my way, great God, I'm on my way.

4 If they say no, I'll go anyhow. If they say no, I'll go anyhow. If they say no, I'll go anyhow. I'm on my way, great God, I'm on my way.

5 I'm on my way, and I won't turn back. I'm on my way, and I won't turn back. I'm on my way, and I won't turn back. I'm on my way, great God, I'm on my way.

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