

Today's Music

- Prelude:** Denne we dagen, som Herren har gjort
Efter Vulpius 1609, arr. Jesper Madsen
- Musical Meditation:** *Gymnopedie*
Erik Satie
- Offertory:** *Dance #6* from Six Dances in Bulgarian Rhythm
Bela Bartok
- Recessional:** *Morning Has Come*
Jason Shelton

First Unitarian-Universalist Church

Today's Flowers are given by Trey and Colleen Dolan-Greene in memory of Mary Dolan (Colleen's mom) and James R Dolan (Colleen's dad).

Today's Ushers: John Angry Ruth Seifert
Felice Rizzo Margaret Wilkie



*Liberate Truth ~ Radiate Kindness
Love Courageously*

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; email the church secretary, Tamara, at info@1stuu.org; or give us a call at (313) 833-9107.

First Unitarian-Universalist Church

March 3, 2013

"Urban Eco-village"

Reverend Roger Mohr

**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 – Dan Secrest, Worship Leader

CENTERING

Prelude
Calling To Worship
Kindling the Flame
Opening Hymn* #44 *We Sing of Golden Mornings*

DEEPENING

Silent Meditation
Invocation
Musical Meditation
Reading #465 *The Wisdom to Survive*
Message

RETURNING

Offering
Closing Hymn* #207 *Earth Was Given as a Garden*
Benediction*
Recessional

All are invited to the Social Hall for coffee, cookies, conversation.
(* indicates times to stand in body or spirit)

Woyaya #1020

words & music by Loughy Amoa, Solomon Amarfio, Robert Bailey,
Roy Bedeau, Francis Osei, Whendell Richardson, and Mac Tontoh

1. We are going, heaven knows where we are going
but we know within.
We will get there, heaven knows how we will get there,
but we know we will.

It will be hard, we know,
and the road will be muddy and rough,
but we'll get there, heaven knows how we will get there,
but we know we will
Woyaya, Woyaya, Woyaya, Woyaya

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Hallelujah

words and music by Leonard Cohen

1. Now I've heard there was a secret chord
That David played, and it pleased the Lord
But you don't really care for music, do you?
It goes like this: The fourth, the fifth
The minor fall, the major lift
The baffled king composing Hallelujah
Hallelujah , Hallelujah Hallelujah , Hallelujah

2. Your faith was strong but you needed proof
You saw her bathing on the roof
Her beauty and the moonlight overthrew you
She tied you to a kitchen chair
She broke your throne, and she cut your hair
And from your lips she drew the Hallelujah
Hallelujah, Hallelujah Hallelujah, Hallelujah
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3. You say I took the name in vain
I don't even know the name
But if I did, well really, what's it to you?
There's a blaze of light in every word
It doesn't matter which you heard
The holy or the broken Hallelujah
Hallelujah, Hallelujah Hallelujah, Hallelujah

4. I did my best, it wasn't much
I couldn't feel, so I tried to touch
I've told the truth, I didn't come to fool you
And even though it all went wrong
I'll stand before the Lord of Song
With nothing on my tongue but Hallelujah
Hallelujah, Hallelujah Hallelujah, Hallelujah

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.

Announcements and Events – March 3, 2013

Sunday Morning Coffee Hour

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Vespers Wednesday

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97th Birthday Celebration: Fundraiser to Benefit the Preservation of our Skinner Organ

A concert of organ, flute and vocals will be given on April 6, 2013 from 6 p.m. to 9 p.m., featuring Grampa Jenkins from SideBar Black Art Theatre of Detroit. Wine, cheese and food will be available for purchase, and a silent auction will be held. For more information, please track down one of the Organ Fundraising Committee members: Todd Ballou, Gwen Foss, Sydney Schaaf, Eric Cortright, Kathe Stevens, Aletha Oberdier or Kimberly Kleinhans.

Fellow UU Church Fundraiser

Sunday, March 3, at 7:30 p.m. Northwest Unitarian Universalist Church bought out the house at the Repertory Theater. "Postcards, by William Costanza, tells the story of a 1930s photographer from the South, who took racist pictures that were turned into postcards. A box of the infamous postcards follows his every step and haunts his every move. Tickets are \$20 adult, \$10/children 15-18* (15 is minimum age allowed in for this play). Call Beata Lamparski at 248-417-8085 to reserve your seats.

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Church-Related Activities

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1:00 or 3 p.m. DIA “Brooklyn Castle” Documentary about five junior high champion chess players from poverty face loss of school funding. Lecture Hall at Woodward entrance. \$6-\$7.
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7 p.m. Board Meeting. All welcome to observe. Contact kathestevens@gmail.com if you wish to be on the agenda.
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