

Today's Music

- Prelude:** *Finale from "Music for the Royal Fireworks"*  
George Frideric Handel/ arr. Noel Rawsthorne
- Musical Meditation:** *America the Beautiful*  
Music by Samuel Ward/ arr. Kirby Shaw
- Offertory:** *Denne er Dagen, som hermen har gjort*  
Efter Vulpius 1609/ Jesper Madsen
- Recessional:** *Harmonica Wizard March*  
John Philip Sousa

First Unitarian-Universalist Church

Todd Ballou, Music Director

**Today's Ushers:** Sally Borden Paul Chislett  
**Today's Greeters:** Dan Wiest Maysel Brooks

**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, Alexis, at [info@1stuu.org](mailto:info@1stuu.org); or give us a call at (313) 833-9107.

*First Unitarian-Universalist Church*

**July 5, 2015**

*"Unitarian-Universalist Theology."*

*Julie Brock*



*Liberate Truth ~ Radiate  
Kindness ~ Love Courageously*

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

ORDER OF SERVICE

ENTERING

- Lighting of Candles  
Singing Together\* #348 *Guide My feet*  
*Stand Up Now & Clap (see insert)*  
#118 *This Little Light of Mine*  
Welcome – Sally Borden, Worship Leader

CENTERING

- Prelude  
Calling To Worship  
Kindling the Flame  
Opening Hymn\* #113 *Where is our Holy Church*

DEEPENING

- Silent Meditation  
Invocation  
Musical Meditation  
Reading *Excerpt from President Barack Obama's Eulogy of  
Rev. Clementa C. Pinckney*  
Message

RETURNING

- Offering  
Closing Hymn\* #2 *Down the Ages We Have Trod*  
Benediction

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

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

***Sing along: Stand Up Now and Clap***  
**Anita “Ruby” Jones**

Stand up now and clap (3X), Clap along!} repeat 3X

Sing a song with me (3X), Oh yeah, yeah!} repeat 3X

We can change the world (3X), With our song!} repeat 3X

Everybody clap (3X), Clap along!} repeat 3X

**Announcements and Events – July 5, 2015**

**Chancel Flower Donations**

Our custom for providing flowers for display on the chancel each Sunday service is to have members and friends donate them in honor or memory of a person or event. The suggested donation of \$20 is negotiable if your situation requires. Lencha Acker purchases the flowers each Saturday at Eastern Market and brings them to church. The donor takes the flowers home to enjoy and returns the vase later. If you have any questions, please contact Lencha Acker via email to at ackera@hotmail.com or by phone at 313-393-8544.

Today’s flowers are given by Kathe Stevens, celebrating the July birthdays of Andy and Julie Brock.

**Parking Reminder:**

On Sunday mornings you may park in the Prentis Parking Lot in any of the three rows closest to the alley. (During the week we are limited to parking in the row along the alley.)

**Directory Updates**

Updates to the 2014 Church Directory are available. Please see Alexis for a copy.

**Sunday Morning Coffee Hour**

All are welcome to join us after the service in the Social Hall for Social Hour. Please remember that your donations to Social Hour make our hospitality possible

**Activities In and Outside the Church**

**7/12 11:00 a.m. Sermon**, “The 7th Principle.” Beyond what we believe, how are we connected? How do we depend on one another and on the earth? Are there images or language we can use that evokes meaning and purpose for all when talking about these things?

Guest Speaker: Julie Brock

**7/19 11:00 a.m. Sermon**, “Detroit’s Deep Dish Democracy: Solutions from the Ground Swell.” Kim D. Hunter is life-long Detroiter, raised in a working class, African American family and is currently employed in media relations for social justice groups. He has served as Poet-in-Residence in several Detroit public schools through the InsideOut Literary Arts Project. He co-directs the Woodward Line Poetry Series. His work has appeared in Rainbow Darkness, Abandon Automobile, Triage, Hipology, Metro Times, Dispatch Detroit and Graffiti Rag. His has published two collections of poetry: borne on slow knives (Past Tents, 2001) and edge of the time zone (white print inc, 2009). He was awarded a Kresge Literary Fellowship for 2012.

Guest Speaker: Kim D. Hunter

**7/26 11:00 a.m. Sermon**, “On Receiving the (Un)Holy Ghost: Learning to Listen to the Underside of the Strait.” This century promises to be the century of water wars--so say the planners. In Detroit, it has already begun. As a strait, where passes one fifth of the planet’s fresh surface water, we live on embattled turf. Living well in the future--indeed, living at all--will require new relations, not only among ourselves, but to our entire watershed and the history of struggle it carries on its back. Detroit spirituality today has its work cut out. It begins with listening to the ancestors of place--all of them, whether human or not. They await our heart and attention.

Guest speaker, Dr. James Perkinson, PhD