

Order of Service

Sunday, July 19, 2015

10:30 a.m.

*We must no more ask whether the soul and body are one
than ask whether the wax and the figure
impressed on it are one.
- Aristotle*

Gathering Music

Scott Ward

◆Welcome and Announcements

Jan Shay

*Opening Hymn #347 *Gather the Spirit*

*Passing the Peace

Lighting the Chalice

Opening Words

J. Shay

◆The Seven Unitarian Universalist Principles

As Unitarian Universalists, we covenant to promote and affirm:

The inherent worth and dignity of every person
Justice, equity and compassion in human relations
Acceptance of one another and encouragement to spiritual growth
A free and responsible search for truth and meaning
The right of conscience and the use of the democratic process
The goal of world community with peace, liberty, and justice for all
Respect for the interdependent web of all existence
of which we are a part

◆Interlude *To See The World* by W. Blake/E. Grieg

Story/Reading

Rev. Andrew Weber

◆Interlude *Guide My Feet* Summer Choir

Meditation

Rev. Weber

Silence

Prayers for the People

Music for Meditation *Prelude in G Op. 28 No. 3* by F. Chopin

Stewardship Reflection

J. Shay

◆Offertory *Winds be Still* arr. S. Ward Summer Choir

Reading *Blessing the Bodies* by Rev. Nancy Shaffer Rev. Weber

*Hymn # 352 *Find a Stillness*

Sermon *Mind, Body & Soul Spiritual Practices* Rev. Weber

*Closing Hymn #301 *Touch the Earth, Reach the Sky!*

*Closing Words Rev. Weber

Extinguishing the Chalice

Postlude *Prelude II* by G. Gershwin S. Ward

(Please be seated through the end of the Postlude)

Greeting One Another – *Turn and greet your neighbor.*

* *Please stand, as you are comfortable in body or in spirit.*

◆ *Ushers will welcome late-comers into the service at this time.*

Rev. Andrew Weber is a proud, life-long Unitarian Universalist, raised in the suburbs of Philadelphia. His calling is to empower others to reach their full potential, and create space for transformation, self-discovery and new energy.

The flowers today are given in honor and remembrance of
Brooke Davis Miller by Helena Miller
The painting, *Untitled*, is on display courtesy of the artist, David Weiss.

Pastoral Care Needs in July

Our Pastoral Care Team is here for you! If you are struggling, facing unusual stresses or changes in your life, experiencing illness or a hospitalization, struggling with a recent loss, or just need someone who can listen, there is someone here for you. Please contact any member of the Pastoral Care Team, wearing red name tags on Sundays, or, for the month of July, Scott Ward.

Thank you to all our volunteers!

OFFICE: Jean Kennedy
GREETERS: Jan Jones, Barbara Perry, Maggie Duffy
USHERS: Donna Gonzalez, Janet Hall, Bill and Joan Flack
FIRST U LIBRARY:
Open Sunday mornings, 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. in the RE Wing

In the Parish Hall:

WELCOME TABLE: Linda Sanders
UUSC COFFEE: Steve Marek
AV TEAM: Jon Claney
BOOSTER CARDS: Paul Pinson

First U's Values, Mission and Ends

OUR VALUES:

At First Unitarian Church of Wilmington, we work to embody: Love and Compassion, Growth and Discovery, Freedom and Justice, Wonder and Joy.

OUR MISSION:

First Unitarian Church of Wilmington is a beloved community that nourishes minds and spirits, fights injustice, and transforms the world through loving action.

OUR ENDS:

At First Unitarian Church of Wilmington, people of all ages:
Feel safe, accepted, and loved – and empowered to be our authentic selves.
Gain new perspectives and grow as informed, spiritual human beings.
Act on our shared values and UU identity to fight for a more just world.
Experience wonder, inspiration, fulfillment, and joy.

