

Order of Service

Sunday, June 24, 2018

10:30 a.m.

+ **Welcome and Announcements** David Weiss, Worship Associate

Passing the Peace

Ringing the Gong

Prelude *Summertime*, by G. & I. Gershwin Lynn Claire Morse

Call to Worship

Chalice Lighting

***Hymn** *Where have all the Flowers Gone?* (see insert)

***Unison Affirmation**

At First Unitarian Church of Wilmington we seek to embody: love and compassion; growth and discovery; freedom and justice; wonder and joy.

Musical Response

Prayer / Meditation

Shared Silence

Prayers of the People

Musical Meditation *I Loves You Porgy* L. C. Morse & Martin Hargrove

Reading from *Lysistrata*, by Aristophanes
Helen Foss, Carol Scott,
Jan Shay, Tracy Spinka-Doms

Sermon "The Evolution of Beauty" Barry Marrs

***Hymn** #346 *Come, Sing A Song With Me*

Stewardship Moment Helen Foss

Congregation in unison: *To the work of this congregation, which is weaving a tapestry of love and action, we dedicate our lives and these, our offerings.*

Offertory *Bess, you is my Woman*, by G. & I. Gershwin
L. C. Morse & M. Hargrove

Benediction B. Marrs

Extinguishing the Chalice

Postlude *A Woman is a Sometime Thing*, by G. & I. Gershwin
M. Hargrove

This morning we feature music from "Porgy and Bess". We thank Lynn Claire Morse and Martin Hargrove for joining us this morning.

* *Please stand, as you are comfortable in body or in spirit.*
+ *Ushers welcome late-comers into the service at this time.*

Pastoral Care Needs:

If you are experiencing an illness or hospitalization, struggling with a loss, facing changes and stresses in life, or just need somebody to listen, the Pastoral Care team is here for you. Contact Jackie Feldman, the Pastoral Care Associate for the month, at JackieF@firstuuwilm.org

Thank you to all our volunteers!

CHURCH OFFICE: Lucy Rabe
GREETERS: Lynn & Bob Ingersoll, Dee Burdash
USHERS: Lew & Mary Collat, Ron Grant, Ed Ostrom
PASTORAL CARE: Jackie Feldman
FIRST U LIBRARY: Open Sunday mornings 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.,
 first floor classroom wing
WELCOME TABLE: Sandy Shipman, Wendy McMullen
NEWCOMERS ROOM: Dee Burdash
AV TEAM: Jon Claney & Jim Davis
COFFEE SALES: Steve Marek

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.

First Unitarian Church

A Welcoming Congregation ~ A Green Sanctuary
 Sunday, June 24, 2018

Darwin's Suppressed Second Theory: The Evolution of Beauty



Barry Marrs

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