

Lesson Four **Bells, Mall, and Parking Lots** **David Weiss**

Carol *On this Day (trad medieval folk tune)*

Lesson Five **Starry Night** **Marina VanRenssen**

Carol *Bleak Mid-Winter* arr. S. Ward **Martin Hargrove**

Lesson Six **Sitting on the Other Side of the Bus** **Miriam Priest/Benedict**

Stewardship Moment **Scott Ward**
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.

Carol *Panis Angelicus* arr. S. Ward **Terry & Martin**

Lesson Seven **Two Unexpected Gifts** **Rebecca Fisher**

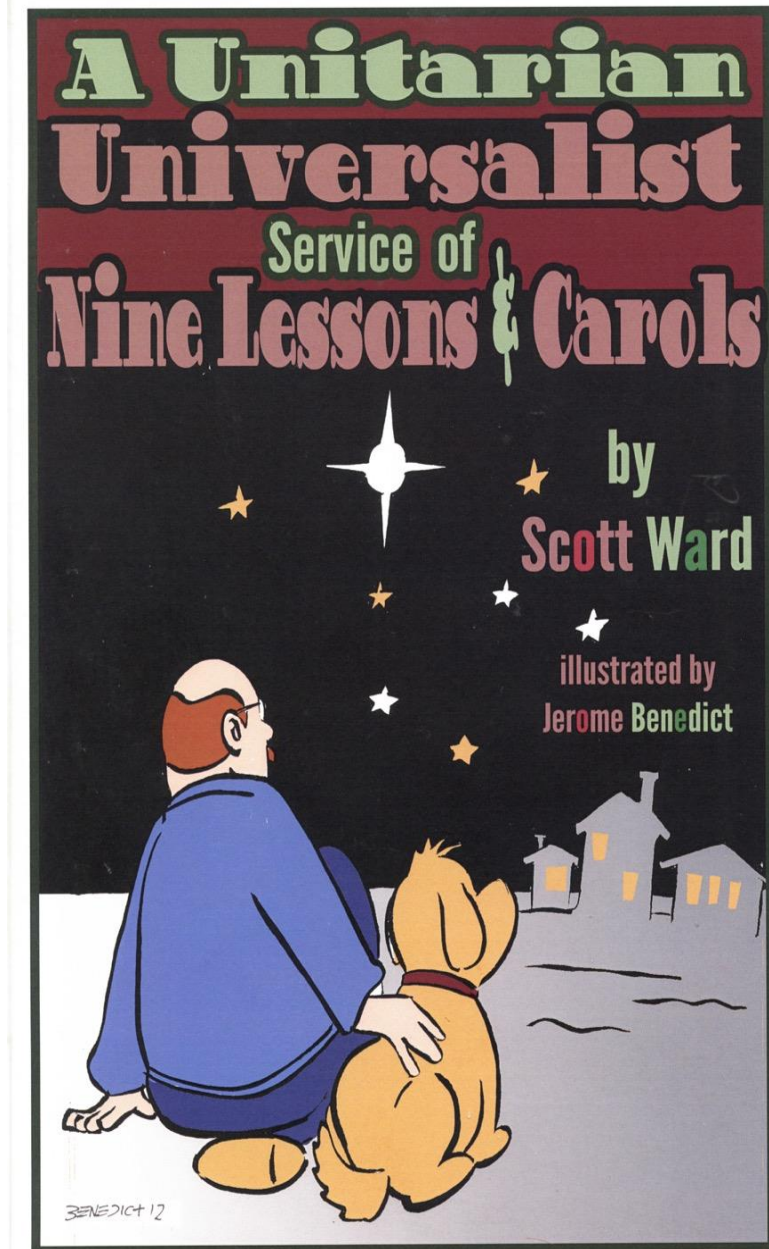
Carol *#231 Angels We Have Heard on High*

Lesson Eight **Wisdom from the Tomato Man** **Jan Shay**

Carol *Stopping by the Woods* by T. Georghegan **Terry Ward**

Lesson Nine **How Much Light from the Chalice Do We Need?**

Postlude *The Three Kings* Arr. S. Ward



Service of Nine Lessons and Carols

December 29, 2019

First Unitarian Church, Wilmington, Delaware

Featuring

Martin Hargrove, bass Terry Ward, baritone
Kim Reighley, flute & piccolo Doug McNames, cello
Linda Henderson, piano Jonathan Whitney, percussion

And the

First Unitarian Church Choir
Scott J. Ward, Minister of Music

Pre-Service Music 10:15 a.m.

Dance of the Sugar Plum from Nutcracker
P. I. Tchaikovsky; Instruments

The Christmas Song
Mel Torme; Terry Ward, baritone

Go Tell It on the Mountain
arr. S. Ward; Martin Hargrove, bass

Do You Hear what I Hear?
arr. S. Ward; Martin Hargrove, bass

Order of Service

Sunday, December 29, 2019

10:30 a.m.

◆ Welcome and Announcements

Scott Ward

Opening Carol

#253 *O Come All Ye Faithful*

Chalice Lighting

Jim Weddell

***Unison Affirmation**

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

First Lesson

The Calm Still Night

Megan Mercie

Carol

#251 *Silent Night*

Second Lesson

New Beginnings

Marian Sargeant

Carol

***The Magi*, by P. Yarrow
(some children go to CYRE)**

Lori Weddell

Lesson Three

Angels by Any Other Name

Terry Ward

Carol

***It Takes a Village* by J. Szymko**

Sarah Barlow