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Morning Service

Sunday, October 10, 2010

Singing Bowl

Announcements Rev. Leland Bond-Upson
Pledge Drive Kick-off Stewardship Committee

Singing Bowl

Gathering Music *When Your're Smiling* Music Ensemble

Welcome and Spirit of Aloha Genna Coursey

Chalice Lighting (Unison) Genna Coursey

Is it a fruit-bowl, a salad-bowl, or a chalice with blended juices or fine wine that holds us together in our religious community?

Is it our humanism, our progressivism, or our mysticism we have in common?

Is it a denominational label, a liberal spirit, or a noble history that connects us?

Is it our values, or our principles and purposes, which bind us?

Is it our way of being religious, our devotion to social justice, or our love of discussion that unites us?

Is it our free will, evolution, or is it God that holds us together as a spiritual community? It is all of these and more that connect us in our Association of Congregations.

Our faith grows stronger as we come together to light our chalice with over one thousand Unitarian Universalist congregations on this Association Sunday.

~ Stephan Papa

Opening Words Rev. Leland Bond-Upson

Hymn #287 *Faith of the Larger Liberty* All

Candles of Joy & Concern Rev. Leland Bond-Upson

Hymn #148 *Let Freedom Span Both East and West* All

In Honor of Discoverer's Day:

Geographical Fugue

-Ernst Toch

Karen Valasek, William Coursey, Pierre Klieber, Ian Valasek

Story for All Ages *How the Rhinoceros Got His Skin* Pierre Kleiber

-Rudyard Kipling

Song (Unison, to sing our young people to their programs.)

On Your Way

Go with wisdom
Go with wonder
Go to meet a brand new day
Learn to see the
Light within you
As we send you on your way.

-Jaie Ariana Livingston

Offering and Offertory *Amour* Music Ensemble

Receiving the Offering (Unison) Genna Coursey

We dedicate our offerings and ourselves to bringing about a loving community, inspiring spiritual growth, and living lives of integrity, joy, and service. These are the works of the church, which we gladly support from our own abundance.

Responsive Reading *I am a Unitarian Universalist* Genna Coursey

I am a man and I am a woman; I am a boy and I am a girl.

AND I AM A UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST

I am young and I am old and I am middle-aged.

AND I AM A UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST

I am black and white and I am yellow, red and brown.

AND I AM A UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST

I am married and I am single and I am divorced. I am heterosexual and I am lesbian and I am gay.

AND I AM A UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST

I am a college graduate and I am a high school drop-out. I am a white-collar worker and a blue collar worker. I am retired and I am unemployed.

AND I AM A UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST

I am an atheist and I am a Christian and a humanist and a Jew and a mystic.

AND I AM A UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST

I am healthy and I am ailing. I am an autistic child and I am a palsied octogenarian.

AND I AM A UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST

I am a law-abiding citizen who has never received anything more than a parking ticket, and I am a murderer waiting on death row.

AND I AM A UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST

I vote Republican and Democrat and Socialist Labor Party. I have voted for George McGovern and Barry Goldwater and I have voted for John Anderson and Gus Hall, too.

AND I AM A UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST

I am a Marine and I am a pacifist; I am a conscientious objector and I support a strong defense policy.

AND I AM A UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST

I smoke and I am a non-smoker. I drink socially and I am an alcoholic. I am a vegetarian and I love a good steak.

AND I AM A UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST

I am many other things, some by choice and some by chance. And I am part of a common human destiny. I am part of humanity's family.

AND I AM A UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST

-John Corrado

Sermon *Honoring Our Association* Rev. Leland Bond-Upson

Offering for Unitarian Universalist Association

Song #1014 *Standing on the Side of Love* All

Extinguishing the Chalice (Unison) Genna Coursey

We extinguish this flame, but not the light of truth, the warmth of community, or the fire of commitment.

These we carry in our hearts until we are together again.

- Elizabeth Selle Jones

Closing Words Rev. Leland Bond-Upson

Singing Bowl

Song of Peace #388 *Dona Nobis Pacem* All

Coffee Hour – Please gather in the Art Room for Refreshments!

NEXT CHURCH SERVICE for October 17, 2010

“Circle with Four Points”

Jeff Gere presents Cathryn Fairlee, Pat Braden, Margie Brown, Jim Green

The Talk Story Festival* is happening. Story tellers are gathering in Hawai'i from the four corners, and we are privileged to have a sampling. Five incredibly talented master storytellers will engage and delight with stories guaranteed to be inspirational and thought provoking.

This will be an intergeneration service, appropriate for all ages.

Deadline: 12:00 a.m. the Thursday before this service.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- October 10, Sunday**
 8:30 AM RE OWL K-1 (MR#1, 5)
 9:00 AM Settled Minister Search Committee (FHR)
 10:15 AM Sunday Church Service (Whole Church)
 11:30 AM Second Sunday Lunch (Sanctuary)
 12:15 PM Settled Minister Search Committee (FHR)
 12:45 PM Forum Board of Education (Sanctuary)
 5:30 PM RE Substance Uses and Abuses (Church)
- October 11, Monday** Columbus Day
 10:30 AM Cleaning Service (Whole church)
 7:00 PM Dennis -Musical Group (Sanctuary)
- October 12, Tuesday**
 7:30 PM Buddhist Meditation (Art Room)
- October 13, Wednesday**
 8:45 AM Kindermusik (MR#1)
 6:30 PM Executive Meeting (Sun Room)
 6:30 PM PFLAG Parent Support Group (Art Room)
 7:00 PM Building Committee (F.H.R.)
- October 14, Thursday**
 8:45 AM Kindermusik (MR#1)
 7:00 PM Pali Paths (MR#1)
 7:00 PM Sunday Service Rehearsal (Sanctuary)
- October 15, Friday**
 5:00 PM Art Reception "Jill Clapes" (Art Room)
 6:00 PM Play Reading (FHR)
- October 16, Saturday**
 9:00 AM Sof Ma'arav (Sanctuary Kitchen Art Room)
 1:00 PM Sof Ma'arav (FHR)
- October 17, Sunday**
 8:30 AM RE OWL K-1 (MR#1, 5)
 9:00 AM Settled Minister Search Committee (FHR)
 10:15 AM Sunday Church Service (Whole Church)
 12:00 PM Congregational Meeting (Sanctuary)
 12:15 PM Communications Committee {FHR)
 5:30 PM RE Substance Uses and Abuses (Church)

At Your Service

MUSIC COORDINATOR	Karen Valasek
PIANIST	Dennis Graue
GREETERS	Molly Rowland and Betty Murphy
DECORATOR	Al Rowland
PARKING	Bob Murphy
COFFEE	Liz Morrow and Herschel Beazley
LUNCH HOSTS	Stewardship Group

Today's Music Ensemble:

Dennis Graue – Piano
 William Coursey – Drums
 Julian Showkeir – cornet

Pierre Kleiber – Guitar
 Ian Valasek – Bass
 Laura Helliwell – Flute

Sound Ian Valasek

Unitarian Universalist Religious Education

Children age three and under are with Phyllis Keohohou and volunteers, engaged in making friends, parallel play, and learning about our church. Children are welcome in Room #5, upstairs, starting at 10:10 a.m. This Sunday October 10, Sylvia Himeda will be away, so children in her class will join the younger children in Room #5 this morning.

Children in 1st - 8th Grade join their families for the first part of the Sunday Service, and then join Nan and friends in Room #1 for a Special Program. Next Sunday, October 17, we'll all attend the Sunday Service for the Talk Story Program.

Youth Group Sunday morning: Planning for future Youth Events, with Lester Stiefel and Garry Francell. Spaghetti Lunch for Sunday, October 24, will be rescheduled to another date, as the Sunday Service that day will be on Substantial Temptations, with youth participation.

Please check the October newsletter for information about Punahou School's production of Phantom of the Opera, with Jasmine Stiefel, from our Youth Group, double cast as Christina. November 4 - 6, and 12 - 14.

WE WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

One becomes a member by completing orientation, signing the Register of Members and making a recorded financial contribution. If you would like to discuss becoming a member, please speak to our Minister.

THIS IS A FREE RELIGIOUS COMMUNITY. Our services regularly draw on the language, symbols and practices of a diversity of heritages; all of which may have something to teach us, but none of which we consider final or authoritative. You are asked to accept--and, indeed, live by--only that which does, in fact, persuade you. Your participation is welcomed in the expectation that your point of view may add richly to that diversity.

"We need not think alike to love alike." --Francis David

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