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Morning Service

Sunday, September 19, 2010

Prelude Harley Eblen – cello, Sumaia Jackson – violin

Singing Bowl

Gathering Music Harley Eblen – cello, Sumaia Jackson – violin

Welcome/In the Spirit of Aloha Catherine Graham

Announcements Catherine Graham

Chalice Lighting Catherine Graham

Opening Words Rev. Leland Bond-Upson

Candles of Joy & Concern Rev. Leland Bond-Upson

Hymn #38 *Morning Has Broken* All

Story for All Ages Catherine Graham

Song (To sing as our young people go to their programs.)

On Your Way – Jaie Ariana Livingston

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.

Offering and Offertory Catherine Graham

Harley Eblen – cello, Sumaia Jackson – violin

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.

Hymn #318 *We Would Be One* All

Reading Catherine Graham

Interlude *Hymn to Joy*

Ian Valasek – bass; Harley Eblen – cello, Sumaia Jackson – violin

Introduction of the Transition Team

Sermon *We Begin, Again* Rev. Leland Bond-Upson

Meditation/Prayer

In Word

In Silence

In Music

Ian Valasek – bass; Harley Eblen – cello, Sumaia Jackson – violin

Hymn # 29 *Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee* All

Extinguishing the Chalice Catherine Graham

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.

Song of Peace *Dona Nobis Pacem* All

Postlude Harley Eblen – cello, Sumaia Jackson – violin

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

A big Mahalo to our guest musicians Harley Eblen and Sumaia Jackson for their inspiring music. And a special thanks to Ian Valasek for writing the arrangement of Hymn to Joy.
Thanks Guys! I think we did it! Karen

NEXT CHURCH SERVICE

September 26, 2010

“Forgiveness.” Rev. Leland Bond-Upson

Like toleration and democracy, forgiveness is one of the world’s great ideas. There is a basis for forgiveness of others and oneself that is science-based, and perhaps therefore easier to produce than forgiveness based solely on love.

2ND FRIDAY 2nd Friday Play Reading

OCTOBER: The Insect Comedy and... Queen of Makaha (Jan will bring copies of Both and direct.)

NOVEMBER :: Merchant of Venice -- revised direction by Cynthia who will bring copies in October for us to peruse ...

DECEMBER : NO MEETING SEND SUGGESTIONS for FUTURE

PLAYS to READ.

The book sale crew wants to thank the congregation for its support of the Labor Day book sale. As an expression of thanks for that support we are providing free TMK map books of the island of Oahu as long as our supply lasts. They are in the Fred Harper Room.

ANNOUNCEMENTS ~ COMMUNICATIONS ~ ANNOUNCEMENTS

Deadline: 10:00 a.m. the Friday before this service.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

September 19, Sunday

10:15 AM Sunday Church Service (Whole Church)

12:15 PM Communications Committee (FHR)

2:00 PM Settled Minister Search Committee (FHR)

September 20, Monday

10:30 AM Cleaning Service (Whole church)

6:00 PM Women’s Thealogy Group (FHR)

September 21, Tuesday

7:00 PM Worship Committee (Sanctuary)

7:30 PM Men’s Support Group (F.H.R.)

7:30 PM Buddhist Meditation (Art Room)

September 22, Wednesday

8:45 AM Kindermusik (MR#1)

11:30 AM Clergy Lunch FACE (Art Room)

6:00 PM 'Ohana Potluck/Games Night (Art Room)

6:30 PM Executive Board (Sun Room)

September 23, Thursday

8:45 AM Kindermusik (MR#1)

7:00 PM S.S. Singers Rehearsal (Sanctuary)

7:00 PM Pali Paths (MR#1)

7:00 PM Sunday Service Rehearsal (Sanctuary)

September 24, Friday

5:30 PM Opera Group (Sanctuary)

September 25, Saturday

9:00 AM Sof Ma'arav (Sanctuary Kitchen Art Room)

1:00 PM Sof Ma'arav (FHR)

2:00 PM Board Retreat (Art Room)

September 26, Sunday

10:15 AM Sunday Church Service (Whole Church)

12:15 PM H.U.U.W.F. (FHR)

At Your Service

MUSIC COORDINATOR Karen Valasek
PIANIST Dennis Graue
GREETERS Ginny Fine and Charlotte Huszcza
DECORATOR Theresa Moorleghen
PARKING Dave Hafner
COFFEE

Today’s Music Ensemble:

Dennis Graue – Piano Pierre Kleiber – Guitar
William Coursey – Drums Ian Valasek – Bass
Laura Helliwell – Flute Sumaia Jackson – violin
Julian Showkeir – cornet Harley Eblen – cello

Song Leader: Karen Valasek

Sound Ian Valasek and Kevin Helliwell

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. Last week Kristine Castagnaro and Bettina Higgins helped with activities for this group.

Older children, age four and UP, attend the first part of the Sunday Service with their families. Then four and five-year-olds accompany Sylvia Himeda to Room #3 to continue making friends, and learning about Unitarian Universalism.

Following the first part of the Sunday Service, First through Sixth Graders continue their adventures with Environmental Stewardship and Water Justice in Room #1. We begin with our Opening Circle, and then explore the meaning of Environmental Stewardship, and how this relates to our Unitarian Universalist principles, especially #7, which states that we affirm and promote **respect for the interdependent web of all existence of which we are a part**. Last Sunday, Jean Brokish read The Lorax, and we drew pictures of our planet Earth, the basis of the interdependent web. This week Jean, a soils scientist, is bringing soil [MUD] from different parts of O'ahu, so that we can learn more about the different environments on our island.

After the first part of the Service, Youth Group members meet in the Fred Harper Room with Lester Stiefel and others to plot and plan. STDs [Save The Dates] for our NEW Substance Uses and Abuses program, for Senior High Youth and their parents: Friday, October 1, and Sundays, October 3, 10, 17 and 24. Also OWL alumni to the State Capitol on Sunday, October 3, to promote age appropriate, medically accurate, comprehensive human sexuality education during the Children and Youth Day celebration. And Spaghetti Lunch on Sunday, September 26. Questions, please contact Nan Kleiber: uunan@hawaii.rr.com or 737 - 7544.

TODAY, September 19, at NOON, in Room #1, Parent Orientation for Our Whole Lives [human sexuality education] for Kindergarten and First Graders and their parents! That's right, OWL for little ones. This very special human sexuality education program focuses on bodies and how they work, and on how families are formed. Child care will be available. Registration forms and program descriptions are available from Nan.

The Pledge Drive...

...aka The Financial Commitment Campaign, aka The Annual Budget Trek will officially start on Sunday, October 10, 2010.

This drive will fund the 2010-2011 Budget we approved at the June, 2010 Annual Meeting.

This will be a much more subdued campaign because in the Spring, we will have another solicitation trek for the 2011-2012 Budget.

Don't worry -- all will be revealed on October 10th.

Thank you for all the support you continue to give our beloved Church.

World AIDS Day in Hawai'i, December 1, 2010

Started in 1988, World AIDS Day is recognized around the globe as a day to take action, fight prejudice, and raise awareness about

the fight against HIV/AIDS.

According to UNAIDS estimates, there are now 33.2 million people living with HIV, including 2.5 million children. During 2007 some 2.5 million people became newly infected with the virus. Around half of all people who become infected with HIV do so before they are 25 and are killed by AIDS before they are 35. HIV today is a threat to men, women and children on all continents around the world. In Hawai'i, there are an estimated 3,000 people living with HIV/AIDS.

There are a number of special events planned to recognize World AIDS Day in Hawai'i. Find out more. Visit www.worldaidsdayhawaii.org.

Congregational Meeting.... Save this date: October 17, 2010.

After Sunday Services, we will have a Congregational Meeting on 10/17/10. At that time, we, the Congregation, will vote on a compensation package for the Settled Minister and approve the appointment of four new Lay Ministers: Marilyn Bornhorst, Paul David, Lorraine Fay and Joan Schumacher.

Our beloved Church is on the move and it is exciting.

The Pledge Drive...

Sunday, October 10th, not only will we start the Pledge Drive for the 2010-2011 Budget (the one we passed in the Spring of 2010), the Stewardship Group will be your Second Lunch provider.

What a wonderful Sunday!!!

Come to the Board Meeting...

The Board will be meeting on Wednesday, September 22nd, at 6:30 pm. All Board Meetings are open meetings and you are invited. At the meeting, we will discuss the Budget, the October 17th Congregational Meeting and supporting our sister Church project.

Come and see what is happening.

We Were All Wet!!!!

During the Work Party on Saturday, September 11th, we had a major break in the water pipe leading to the Church. That night, Don stayed up until Midnight helping a plumber fix the leak. If the leak had not been fixed, we would have had to cancel the Sunday Service.

Just before the Service, the repair failed and the pipe was spraying water. Don did a temporary repair so we could have the Sunday Service. Subsequently, the plumber did come back and so far we are not leaking.

Many thanks go to Don, our Building Manager, who went above and beyond to make sure we could have our Sunday Service.

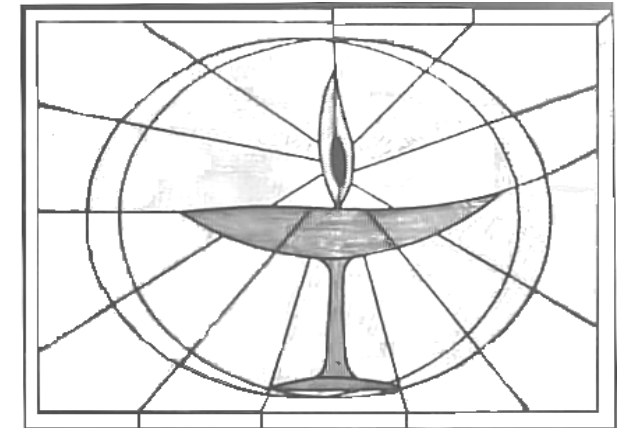
Elementary, My Dear Watson...

If you are a budding Sherlock and have a yen to ferret out the hidden places in our city, stay tuned for more information about The Great Photo Scavenger Hunt. This will change the way you see your city.

THE FIRST UNITARIAN CHURCH of HONOLULU

A Unitarian Universalist Welcoming Congregation

Interim Minister Rev. Leland Bond-Upson



September 19, 2010

"Let Us Begin, Again."

Rev. Leland Bond-Upson

This service will be an introduction to your new Interim Minister, a sketch of the works we hope to accomplish together, and a reminder of why the world has always and forever will need liberal religion.

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