

Today's Music

Prelude: *Cat's in the Cradle* — Harry Chapin and Sandy Chapin

Musical Meditation: *Everything Possible* — Fred Small

Musical Meditation: *How Do We Forgive Our Fathers?* (words by Dick Lourie) — music by Steven Curtin

Offertory: *Being a Dad* (Loudon Wainwright III) — performed by Steven Curtin

Recessional: *Take Me Out to the Ball Game* — music by Albert Von Tizler

First Unitarian-Universalist Church

The Rev. Dr. Stephen Butler Murray, *Interim Minister*

Todd Ballou, *Music Director*

Alexis Mitchell, *Office Administrator*

Omar Davis, *Acting Social Hour Coordinator*

Julia Cuneo, *Child Care Provider*

Today's Ushers: Mark Schwing Sharlene Gage

Today's Greeters: Carmen M King Bill Dickinson

Hearing Assistance devices and **Large Print Hymnals** are available from any of our **Greeters**.

Please visit us at www.1stuu.org; email the church secretary, Alexis, at info@1stuu.org; or give us a call at (313) 833-9107.

First Unitarian-Universalist Church

June 18, 2017

"On Father's Day"

Reverend Dr. Stephen Butler Murray



*Liberate Truth ~
Radiate Kindness ~
Love Courageously*

**First Unitarian-Universalist Church is an urban center for
spiritual renewal and social justice in Detroit**

ORDER OF SERVICE

ENTERING

Lighting of Candles

Singing Together*

#409 *Sleep, My Child*

#348 *Guide My Feet*

WELCOME

Paul Chislett, Worship Leader

CENTERING

Prelude

Calling to Worship

Kindling the Flame

Opening Hymn*

#357 *Bright Morning Stars*

Choir Anthem

1st UU Detroit Choir

DEEPENING

Silent Meditation

Invocation

Musical Meditation

Reading

Beyond Vietnam — A Time to Break Silence

Response

#123 *Spirit of Life* (please sing along)

Message

RETURNING

Offering

Closing Hymn*

#329 *Life Has Loveliness to Sell*

Recessional

*Congregation may exit to the Social Hall for coffee, cookies, and conversation
(* indicates times to stand in body or spirit)*

Announcements and Events — June 18, 2017

FLOWER DONATIONS: Today's flowers are in honor of Father's Day.

COFFEE HOUR: Today we'll enjoy our coffee, cookies and conversation in the Parlor: the Allied Media Conference is in the Social Hall from 8am-3pm.

SHARE THE PLATE SUNDAY: Our Share the Plate guest recipient this Sunday is the Unitarian Universalist Service Committee. The UUSC is a nonsectarian human rights organization powered by grassroots collaboration. It works anywhere rights are threatened – by natural disasters, armed conflicts, genocide, forced migration, and systematic injustice. UUSC believes that all people have inherent dignity, power, and rights.

In partnership with dedicated volunteers, tireless activists, and inspiring grassroots organizations throughout the world, UUSC aims to ensure that these fundamental human rights are realities for everyone – no matter race, gender, or class.

GOING FORWARD: Thank you to all the pledgers who are committed to financially supporting UU Detroit as we *Go Forward!* If you have not been able to get your pledge form in, please see **Joan Smykowski** or visit the church office. Your new pledge will start July 1, 2017. Once again, thank you!

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SAVE THE DATE: On Saturday, September 9, 2017, at 11:30 AM in the sanctuary of First Unitarian-Universalist Church of Detroit, we will install the Rev. Dr. Stephen Butler Murray as our settled minister. Ceremony followed by a luncheon. Invitations will be mailed to members and friends as the date approaches.

Sunday Sermons and Events

TODAY

6/18: 11:00 AM — “On Father's Day”

Speaker: The Rev. Dr. Stephen Butler Murray
Each year, our culture appoints a day in which we are to celebrate our parents. On this Father's Day, we consider the role that our fathers play and have played in our lives.

6/25: 11:00 AM — “Hail to the Sun God! (He is a fun God)”

Speakers: Amber K and Azrael Arynn K
Amber K and Azrael Arynn K are Wiccan priestesses from New Mexico.

7/2: 11:00 AM — “Ordinary Time”

Speaker: Jessica Joslin
Joslin is a feminist theologian ordained in the United Church of Christ. She studies religious diversity and identity and is on the board of the Interfaith Roundtable of Washtenaw county.