

Today's Music

Prelude: *The Trumpet Shall Sound*
Georg Frideric Handel/ arr. Jim Lucas

Musical Meditation: *Prayer from Jewish Life No. 1*
Ernest Bloch

Offertory: *Choral #3 in A Minor (excerpt)*
Cesar Franck

Recessional: *I'd Like to Teach the World to Sing*
B. Backer, B. Davis, R. Cook, and R. Green

First Unitarian-Universalist Church

The Rev. Dr. Stephen Butler Murray, Interim Minister
Todd Ballou, Music Director
Alexis Mitchell, Office Administrator
Alyssa Bond, Social Hour Coordinator

Today's Ushers: Bill McKnight Ruby Jones
Today's Greeters: Roger Zeigler Chloe Lundine

Hearing Assistance devices are available from any of our ushers.

Large Print Hymnals are available from the **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

October 2, 2016

*"Days of Awe: From Rosh Hashanah to Yom
Kippur"*

Joy Gaines-Friedler

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spiritual renewal and social justice in Detroit**



ORDER OF SERVICE

ENTERING

Lighting of Candles
Singing Together* #38 *Morning Has Broken*
 #399 *Vine and Fig Tree*
 #116 *I'm on My Way*

WELCOME

Dan Secret, Worship Leader

CENTERING

Prelude
Calling To Worship
Kindling the Flame
Opening Hymn* #122 *Sound Over All Waters*

DEEPENING

Silent Meditation
Invocation
Musical Meditation
Reading
Message

RETURNING

Offering
Closing Hymn* #217 *O Sing Hallelujah*
Benediction

Congregation may exit to McColleston Hall for coffee, cookies, and conversation

(* indicates times to stand in body or spirit)

Announcements and Events – October 2, 2016

Chancel Flower Donations

Today's flowers are given by Irene Brisson in memory of Alexis Brisson.

CONGREGATIONAL SURVEY!

To all members and friends of UU Detroit: If you have not filled out our congregational survey please take the time to complete it now. The survey is online and can be completed at your convenience. Anyone without email access will be able to complete the survey in paper form or at a computer station during coffee hour. We are extending the deadline to complete the survey today Sunday, October 2, 2016. Thanks. - The Ministerial Search Committee

Congregational Planning Retreat

Dear UU Detroit Church Members, you are invited to participate in the second annual congregational planning retreat to be held on Saturday, October 22, from 9:30 am to noon. All church members are encouraged to attend. We will take this time together to reflect on our accomplishments and challenges over the past year and look forward to our 2017 needs. You will be able to help select our final goals and create the objectives and actions step to achieve the goals. SAVE THE DATE and look for more information coming soon. As members of UU Detroit, your input is vital to develop a successful plan for 2017.

Book Discussion

The Third Reconstruction: Moral Mondays, Fusion Politics, and the Rise of a New Justice Movement by the Rev. Dr. William J. Barber II with Jonathan Wilson-Hartgrove. Join us for a book discussion on Sunday, November 13, 2016, at 12:30 pm. The book is available from the UUA bookstore or your favorite source for good reads. The church's neighborhood shop, Source Booksellers, has copies or can order them. We'll be using the UUA study guide to start discussion. - Mary Lou Malone

Sunday Sermons and Events

- 10/9 **11:00 a.m. Sermon, "Worth and Dignity."**
Speaker: Reverend Stephen Butler Murray
The beginning of a monthly sermon series on the Seven Principles of the Unitarian Universalist Association, this sermon will focus on the First Principle, namely "The Inherent Dignity and Worth of Every Person."
- 10/16 **11:00 a.m. Sermon, "Forgiveness."**
Speaker: Reverend Stephen Butler Murray
Recognizing that we are approaching the Jewish holiday of Yom Kippur, this sermon will focus on the concept of "Forgiveness," the central focus of this Jewish Holiday.
- 10/23 **11:00 a.m. Sermon, "Temporary Shelter."**
Speaker: Reverend Stephen Butler Murray
Today is the final day of the Jewish holiday, Sukkot, during which one erects a temporary shelter. We will explore this idea of "temporary shelter" to understand how people of any faith or no faith might come to appreciate Sukkot.
- 10/30 **11:00 a.m. Sermon, "Festival of Lights."**
Speaker: Reverend Stephen Butler Murray
The celebration of the Hindu holiday of Diwali, "The Festival of Lights," is the closest that most religions come to a party. We will explore what Diwali means to Hindus and why it often is the most popular holiday to be celebrated on college campuses today.