First Unitarian-Universalist Church
October 19, 2014
Cain and Abel: Racial Violence at the Urban Boundaries
Rev. Roger Mohr

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

OUR ORDINARY ORDER OF SERVICE

ENTERING
Lighting of Candles
Singing Together*  
#318 We Would Be One
#169 We Shall Overcome
#368 Now Let Us Sing
Welcome – Sharon Mills, Worship Leader

CENTERING
Prelude
Calling To Worship
Kindling the Flame
Opening Hymn* #113 Where is our Holy Church
Choir Anthem Todd Ballou, 1st UU Choir Director

DEEPENING
Silent Meditation
Invocation
Musical Meditation
Reading #576 A Litany of Restoration
Message

RETURNING
Offering
Closing Hymn* #134 Our World is One World
Recessional

All are invited to the Social Hall for coffee, cookies, conversation.
(* indicates times to stand in body or spirit)
Announcements and Events – October 19, 2014

**Sunday Morning Coffee Hour**
All are welcome to join us after the service in the Social Hall for Social Hour. Please remember that your donations to Social Hour make our hospitality possible.

**Vespers Wednesday**
Vespers runs from 6:00 - 7:00pm on the 2nd Wednesday of each month.

**Milestones**
If you have a milestone (joy or sorrow) to share, please write the message on an index card which you can find in the back of the pew in front of you, and place the card in the offering basket during the collection. If you are a visitor and did not get a chance to fill out one of our visitor forms on the way in, please write your name and contact information on one of these index cards and place it in the offering basket. Milestones and visitor names will be passed to the minister for sharing with the congregation as part of our closing circle.

**Child Care Coming**
Several stalwart church members have been cleaning out the Bride's room at the back of the church so we can provide some child care for young church goers. It will soon be repainted and cleaned.

If you're interested in helping with child care once or twice a month during the church service, please contact Richard Hillier at richardhillier@att.net. We will have two people help each Sunday and you do have to have a background clearance which the church will provide. Please call if you have any questions or suggestions.

**Social Outreach Committee Survey**
The Social Outreach Committee has drafted a survey to determine our congregation's interests and priorities regarding social justice issues. The survey is available in the church office or online. We ask that it be filled out and returned to Joel Batterman or Beth Bailey by November 23. The Social Outreach Committee meets every third Wednesday of the month at 6pm. All are welcome. If you have any questions, please contact Joel Batterman or Beth Bailey.

**Fund Development Committee Meeting**
The regular meeting of the Fund Development Committee is being rescheduled from October 22 to October 29 at the same time, 6:00 P.M., at Northern Lights Lounge, 660 W Baltimore St between Second Ave and Third Ave in the New Center. Northern Lights has a small parking lot on the east side of the building, and there is street parking available.

Activities In and Outside the Church

10/20  **Mon., 7:30 p.m**  Amnesty International Meeting

10/22  **Wed., 7:00 p.m**  Singing Circle with Gwen


12:30 p.m.  Getting Involved session in the mansion/Memorial Hall. Attending the worship service on Sunday is a very special experience, but most members and friends find that, over time, it is not enough to sustain their commitment to the church. We encourage members and friends to attend the next Getting Involved session to learn about our various groups, committees and activities. We hope you’ll become involved!

10/29  **Wed., 6:00 p.m.**  Fund Development Committee Meeting (see reverse)

7:00 p.m  Singing Circle with Gwen

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