Today’s Music
Today we welcome back our guest musician, Hannah Waterstone.

Prelude:  
Over the River and Through the Woods  
Traditional

Musical Meditation:  
In the Key of Gratitude  
Hannah Waterstone

Offertory:  
Come Ye Thankful People, Come  
George Elvey

Recessional:  
Sleigh Ride  
Leroy Andersen

First Unitarian-Universalist Church
Rev. Dr. Stephen Butler Murray, Interim Minister
Todd Ballou, Music Director
Alexis Mitchell, Office Administrator
Alyssa Bond, Social Hour Coordinator

Today’s Ushers:  
Jerry Williams  
Anita Jones

Today’s Greeters:  
Sherry A Wells  
Deanna McGraw

Hearing Assistance devices are available from any of our ushers.

Large Print Hymnals are available from the Greeters in the back of the church.

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.
**Announcements and Events – November 29, 2015**

**Book Sale**
Several different UU-related books will be available for sale after church for the immediate future. Books are $5 or a donation, and funds will go to the Centennial Fund. Contact Nancy Owen Nelson with questions at nelnan@aol.com

**December Vespers Cancelled**
Considering everybody’s busy holiday schedules (including the “Vesperator’s”) we’ve decided to skip this month. We’ll start the New Year on the 4th Wednesday in January. Look for details soon. Al Acker

**Membership Committee Meeting**
*December 2nd, 6:00 pm,* there will be a Membership Committee Meeting at the Church. The specific place in the Church will be determined on the date of the meeting.

**Special Congregational Meeting**
There will be a special congregational meeting on Sunday, **12/13/15,** at 1:00 PM in the Sanctuary, to vote on a slate to fill a Settled Minister Search Committee. An update to the budget will be presented at the meeting as well as the roll-out of the 2016 Strategic Plan. No vote is required on either the budget or the plan.

**Membership Book Signing**
The next Membership Book signing will be Sunday, **December 13th,** at the end of the Service, for all new and returning members of First UU. Potential members do not have to attend the “Intro to First UU” session to become members. Please contact Regina Weiss to ensure the Membership Committee has the correct personal information.

**Membership Committee Announcements**
January 2016-The Membership Committee will be kicking-off the “100-4-100” Campaign. More details to follow.

**EMEAC’s Winter Blast Fundraiser**
Please consider contributing to EMEAC’s “Winter Blast Fundraiser” to support building operations this winter. The fundraiser will run through **January 31, 2016:** 100 Days – $100 Dollars – 100 Donors. All donations are tax deductible. Donate your $100 online at [www.emeac.org](http://www.emeac.org) or send donations to EMEAC, 4605 Cass Avenue, Detroit, MI 48201

**Sunday Sermons and Activities**

12/6  **11:00 a.m. Sermon, “Entering Hannukah”**  
**Speaker:** Rev. Dr. Stephen Butler Murray  
Our Jewish friends are about to enter one of the most popular, if least important, of the Jewish holidays: Hannukah. What is this holiday, and how has it come to take on such prominence when it is, in fact, a minor holiday. What might message of Hannukah mean for those who appreciate the wisdom of Judaism from outside of its traditions?

**Intro to First UU**
Learn how to become a member of First Church, by attending the Intro to First UU session Sunday, **December 6th,** in the Church House. All those who are interested in finding out more information about Unitarian-Universalism are encouraged to attend.