**SUNDAY, AUGUST 18, 2013** 

10:15 A.M.

INVITATION TO THE OFFERING

**PRELUDE** 

Cornet Voluntary
John Travers

**INGATHERING SONG NO. 348** 

Guide My Feet

**CHALICE LIGHTING** 

CALL TO WORSHIP

\*GREETING ONE ANOTHER

FOR ALL AGES

\*SINGING No. 170 We Are A Gentle, Angry People

(After singing this song, children & their leaders leave for learning groups.)

READINGS

ANTHEM

Ombra Mai Fu G. F. Handel

**SERMON** 

"Turn the Other Cheek: Compliant or Defiant?"

**EMBRACING MEDITATION** 

\*LIGHTING CANDLES OF GRATITUDE, MEMORY AND HOPE

Spirit of Life

Fuente de Amor, ven hacia mí. Y al corazón, cántale tu compasión. Sopla al volar, sube en la mar, hasta moldear la justicia de la vida. Arráigame, libérame, Fuente de Amor, ven a mí, ven a mí.

Spirit of Life, come unto me.

Sing in my heart all the stirrings of compassion.

Blow in the wind, rise in the sea;

move in the hand, giving life the shape
of justice.

Roots hold me close; wings set me free;

Spirit of Life, come to me, come to me.

**OFFERTORY** 

Nun bitten wir
Dietrich Buxtehude

\*DEDICATION OF THE OFFERING

\*SONG OF EXULTATION

De todos bajo el gran sol Surja esperanza, fe, amor Verdad, y belleza cantando, de cada tierra, cada voz.

From all that dwell below the skies Let faith and hope with love arise. Let beauty, truth, and good be sung Through every land by every tongue.

**\*SINGING No. 169** 

We Shall Overcome

Final verse (not in the hymnal)

Black and white together,

Black and white together,

We shall overcome some day.

Deep in my heart,

I do believe,

That we shall overcome some day!

\*BENEDICTION

**POSTLUDE** 

Toccata in E Minor Johann Pachelbel

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\* Stand as you are able

**LEADING OUR WORSHIP THIS MORNING** 

Gretchen Weis, Summer Minister Bob Kline, Organist Jane Roningen, Song Leader

### **TODAY'S OFFERING**

For the month of August, UUCA's Give the Plate recipient is People of Faith/Equality Virginia (POFEV). POFEV is an interfaith network of people who all share a deep commitment to social justice. As rabbis, ministers, priests, and lay people, POFEV leaders are dedicated to working for equal rights for the lesbian, gay, bisexual, and transgender community in Virginia. LGBT citizens are not faceless and nameless, but are members of our religious communities and our families, friends, neighbors, and people with whom we do business. POFEV recognizes that however one defines God, all of creation is worthy of being loved and sustained, and that we must act when any part of that creation is endangered — physically, emotionally, or spiritually — by misunderstanding, hate, and discrimination.

All cash and checks not marked "UUCA Pledge" will be given to People of Faith/Equality Virginia. Last week's Give the Plate total was \$859.

VOLUNTEERS: Ushers: Chad Ohlant, Chris Provan, Peter Overby, Alex Roth. Greeter: Bob Gayer. Outside Greeters: Pat Williamson, Ken Edwards. Welcome Desk: Louise Van Horne, Mike Evering. Decorations: Ann Kurzius. Audio Tech: Jim Terpstra. Hospitality: Mary Jo Long, Mark Schuknecht. Bookstall: Kathy Scheibelhoffer.

# HAPPENING TODAY

Immediately following today's service, please join us in Fellowship Hall for conversation and refreshments.

# Landscaping Committee - 11:30 a.m.

Meets in the Board Room. For more information, contact Linda Lutes Corsoro at lindalutes 2012@comcast.net.

# UU's for Reproductive Justice -11:30 a.m.

Meets in the Volunteer Room. For more information, contact Elizabeth Fogarty at eafogarty@aol.com.

# MoonFire Ritual - 1:30 p.m.

Please join MoonFire today in the Chapel for a ritual to help foster closer observations in nature and in our everyday lives. You are welcome to bring a magnifying glass of some sort if you have one. A potluck and fellowship will follow the ritual. For more information, contact moonfirecoords@gmail.com.

For the convenience of the ushers and the safety of all, please keep the aisles clear of all personal belongings. Thank you.

### WELCOME!

### There is a Place for You Here

Wherever you are on your spiritual journey,

come as you are, to a place where love, kindness and service are more important than belief in doctrine or dogma,

where you will meet trustworthy guides and companions who want to support you as you grow your soul and serve the world.

## **The Sources of Our Faith:**

- Direct experience of that transcending mystery and wonder, affirmed in all cultures, which moves us to a renewal of the spirit and an openness to the forces which create and uphold life;
- Words and deeds of prophetic women and men which challenge us to confront powers and structures of evil with justice, compassion and the transforming power of love;
- Wisdom from the world's religions which inspires us in our ethical and spiritual life;
- Jewish and Christian teachings which call us to respond to God's love by loving our neighbors as ourselves;
- Humanist teachings which counsel us to heed the guidance of reason and the results of science, and warn us against idolatries of the mind and spirit;
- Spiritual teachings of Earth-centered traditions which celebrate the sacred circle of life and instruct us to live in harmony with the rhythms of nature.

### **Getting Acquainted**

Greeters and staff members are here to answer your questions and help you feel at home. They're waiting for you this morning at the Welcome Desk off Fellowship Hall near the staircase. Come, say hello, sign in, and enrich your life.

**Hearing assistance devices** and LARGE PRINT Orders of Service are available from the ushers.

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Next Sunday August 25, 10:15 a.m.

"Above & Beyond the Sounds of Silence"

with Rev. Steve Ross, Guest Minister

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