Today's Music

Prelude: Border Song (1969)

Elton John

Musical Meditation: Sometimes I Feel Like a Motherless Child

African American Spiritual

Offertory: Let 'Em In (1976)
Paul and Linda McCartney

Recessional: I Want to Hold Your Hand (1963)
John Lennon and Paul McCartney

Sunday Sermons

7/14, TODAY, 11: 00am - "Children in Cages"

Rev. Dr. Stephen Butler Murray, Minister

The humanitarian crisis at the American southern border is becoming an increasingly horrific situation. As families seek asylum in the United States, their children are separated from them, kept in deplorable conditions, sometimes shipped away to entire other parts of the country, with no system for how to reunite them. Today, we will focus on this issue and how we, as a faith community, might step into the fray in addressing this situation as part of our focus on immigration issues.

7/21 11:00am - "On Faith and Science"

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I want to take on the often-utilized false dichotomy of religion and science, which creates the impression that people of faith, by practice, reject science and that scientists, by virtue of their worldview, must eschew faith. To quote Shakespeare's Hamlet, "There are more things in heaven and earth...Than are dreamt of in your philosophy.".

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Lighting of Candles

Singing Together* #169 We Shall Overcome

#325 Love Makes a Bridge

WELCOME Scott Lehto, Worship Leader

CENTERING

Prelude

Calling to Worship Kindling the Flame (Children Leave)

Opening Hymn* #1012 When I Am Frightened

DEEPENING

Silent Meditation

Invocation

Musical Meditation

Reading

Response #123 Spirit of Life (please sing along)

Message

RETURNING

Offering

Closing Hymn* #1022 Open the Window

Recessional

Congregation may exit to the Social Hall for potluck and conversation.

(* indicates times to stand in body or spirit)

Announcements and Events – July 14, 2019

FLOWER DONATIONS: Today's flowers are donated by Margaret Beck in memory of her stepfather, John Zelinski Sr., a World War II veteran.

TODAY'S GREETERS: Toni Tront and Katie Hege are UU's greeters this morning.

SUNDAY POTLUCK: Join us in the Social Hall just after the service for the monthly potluck and conversation. **Everyone is welcome.**

RIDE SHARES TO CHURCH ON SUNDAY: If you or someone you know could use a ride to church on Sunday, please contact the office with your location. Your availability will be published among our community to find a driver open to sharing a ride. Please contact the church office @ 313-833-9107 or email office @ 1stuu.org.

ORDER OF SERVICE COVERS: We want to remind you to PLEASE PUT YOUR OOS COVER IN THE BOX ON THE RADIATOR AS YOU EXIT THE SANCTUARY!

<u>MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE:</u> There will be a "Visitors' Table" and a "Sermon Discussion Table" every Sunday during Coffee Hour and Potlucks. Today, we will welcome anyone who would like to know more about our church and our congregation. Please stop by. **We'd like to get to know you better!**

<u>ANNUAL PLEDGE:</u> You can make your annual pledge via email to <u>canvasschair@1stuu.org</u>. For more information, see http://1stuu.org: Giving / Finance.

SUNDAY MORNING GREETER SIGNUP: The Greeter signup clipboard is kept on the Sanctuary radiator. Glen Maxwell needs one more greeter for July 21st and two for August 11th and 25th.

WORSHIP COMMITTEE MEETING: The Worship Committee will meet today from 12:15-1:15 PM in the Parlor. Copies of the agenda are available in the office.

SUNDAY MORNING VISITOR TABLE: We have literature at the table and a facilitator guide. In order to continue this service, we need additional volunteers. Please sign the roster kept in the Sanctuary front radiator. We still have openings for two weeks in July and the whole month of August. Thank you. Deanna McGraw, 586-202-5241.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES MEETING: The 1st UU Detroit Board of Trustees will be meeting on Sunday, July 21st in the Parlor from 12:30-2:30 PM.

AMNESTY INTERNATIONAL MEETING: Amnesty International is a global movement of people fighting injustice and promoting human rights. Amnesty International meets at 1st UU on Monday, July 15 this month at 7:30 pm in the Parlor. Contact Dan Wiest (dfwiest@comcast.net) for more information.

<u>VIOLA LIUZZO STATUE UNVEILING</u>: The official unveiling of a statue of civil rights martyr Viola Liuzzo, who attended UU Detroit before her death, will be on Tuesday, July 23rd. The exact date is TBD; this calendar entry will be updated as soon as possible. The unveiling will take place at the Viola Liuzzo Playground, 20087 Winthrop Street, Detroit, MI 48235, USA.

MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE MEETING: Put Sunday, July 21, 12:30-2:00 PM on your calendars for the Membership Committee Meeting to be held in the Chancel.

AID FOR THE HOMELESS GUIDELINES: Our church and our principles require that we provide aid, comfort and sanctuary to those in need whenever and wherever possible. However, given our limited resources, we must consider what we as a church can realistically do to support the homeless when they enter our church.

In June the Board accepted guidelines and a referral list which is now posted in the Narthex and office. These are also in the August newsletter. Please become familiar with the guidelines so all members can aid those in need.