

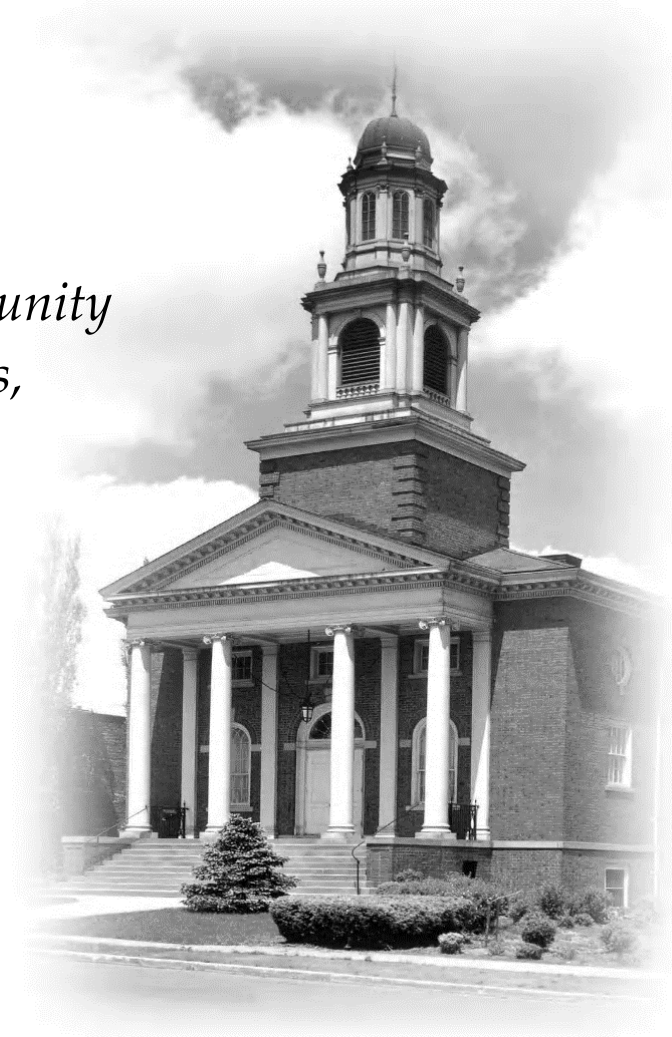
First Unitarian Church of Omaha

ORDER OF SERVICE

MARCH 3, 2019

10:30 A.M.

*An inclusive community
that listens, engages,
inspires, and acts.*



Share the Plate. Each month one-half of the loose currency collected in the offering plate is donated to a local cause that advances important principles of Unitarianism. Our Share the Plate recipient for March is **YES (Youth Emergency Services) Meal Prep Team.** Each month, church member Kim Callaghan, and her team prepare a meal in the church kitchen and then deliver that meal to YES, which is a shelter for youth in the Omaha area. You can learn more about YES at www.yesomaha.org.

Change for Change. Each week generous people put change in the collection plate. This change goes to our Sunday School youth who decide where the money can be best utilized. In the past they have contributed to Community Meals and International Bridges for Justice. This year youth have identified the recipient as Neighborhood Ministry Team, which purchases bus tickets, and food cards and provides blessings bags to people who come to our church requesting help. Your change makes a difference! Thank you for your generosity!

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BELLSOUND

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Denise Allain

PRELUDE

“Creator of the Stars of Night”

— McCabe

CALL TO WORSHIP

Read by Forrest Knapp

— from Sanskrit

* OPENING HYMN (#38)

“Morning Has Broken”

* CHALICE LIGHTING

At times our own light goes out and is rekindled by a spark from another person. Each of us has cause to think with deep gratitude of those who have lighted the flame within us.

— Albert Schweitzer

STORY FOR ALL AGES

Kate Wiig

SINGING THE CHILDREN TO THEIR CLASSES

Go now in peace. Go now in peace.
May the Spirit of Love surround you,
Everywhere, everywhere you may go.

HERITAGE MINUTE

Dave Richardson

STEWARDSHIP MINUTE

Maria Wallace

OFFERTORY

“Air”

— Wesley

The Share the Plate beneficiary for the month of March is

YES (Youth Emergency Services) Meal Prep Team

*The Change for Change beneficiary is the **Neighborhood Ministry Team.***

*(*Indicates congregation stands as they are able.)*

READINGS

— from Mary Oliver & Wendell Berry

CHORAL ANTHEM

“Set Me As a Seal”

— Rene Clausen

SERMON

“Breathing World Peace”

Forrest Knapp

ADDITIONAL THOUGHTS

— Mike McMahon

* CLOSING HYMN (#123 sing through twice) “Spirit of Life”

* EXTINGUISHING THE CHALICE

* BENEDICTION

Read by Forrest Knapp

— from Theodore Parker

POSTLUDE

“Tocatta Perpetua”

— Smith

Organist: Patricia Will

Sanctuary Singers

Director: William Miller

Accompanist: J. Gawf



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