

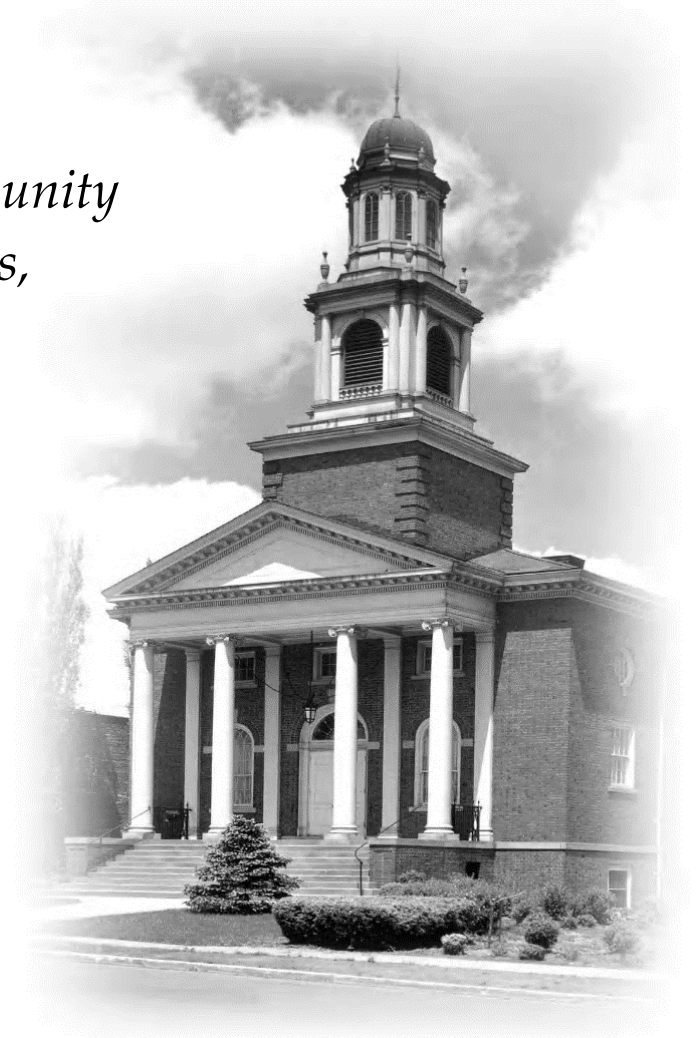
First Unitarian Church of Omaha

ORDER OF SERVICE

NOVEMBER 25, 2018

10:30 A.M.

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



Share the Plate. Each month one-half of the loose currency in the offering plate is donated to a cause with a local presence which advances important principles of Unitarianism. This month's recipient is **OTOC (Omaha Together One Community)**, a local interfaith organization of which First Unitarian is a member. We encourage you to learn more about OTOC by visiting their website www.otoc.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!

Rev. Michelle LaGrave, Interim Minister

Rev. Ron Knapp, Minister Emeritus

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BELLSOUND

GATHERING MUSIC

“I Love You” — Plain White T’s

OPENING WORDS

“I Call That Mind Free” — William Ellery Channing

* **HYMN (#287)**

“Faith of the Larger Liberty”

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

STORY FOR ALL AGES

Kate Wiig

* **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

* **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

OFFERTORY & OFFERING

“I Won’t Give Up” — Jason Mraz

The Share the Plate beneficiary for the month of November is (OTOC (Omaha Together One Community)).

The Change for Change beneficiary is the Neighborhood Ministry Team.

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

READINGS

from L. P. Jacks Read by Dave Richardson
from Robert Weston Read by Jim Van Arsdall
from John Dewey Read by Dave Henney
from “The Free Church” Read by Nadine Keith
from Sophia Fahs Read by Dave Rosser
from John Stuart Mill Read by Deb Duggan
from John Tyndall Read by Vanessa Timberlake

MUSIC

“Little Changes” — Frank Turner

SERMON

“Exploring Some Historical Imperatives of Liberal Religion” Rev. Ron Knapp
Minister Emeritus

* **CLOSING HYMN (#293)**

“O Star of Truth”

EXTINGUISHING THE CHALICE

CLOSING WORDS

— John W. Brigham

POSTLUDE

Early Morning Risers
Pianist & EMR Director: Stan Harper

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