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In Memoriam: Remembrance Day

Rev. Steven Epperson
and Captain Robert MacDonald, CD, FSA Scot

– November 13, 2016 –

UNITARIAN CHURCH OF VANCOUVER

Celebration of Worship

November 13, 2016

At the front of the church you will find unlit candles. You are welcome to light a candle in remembrance, in gratitude, in prayer, in celebration.



*The prelude helps to create a spirit for shared celebration and worship.
Please refrain from conversing and please turn off your cell phones.*



Prelude

Adagio in B minor Mozart
E. Dainow, piano

Invocation

Find a Stillness
Transylvanian hymn tune, words by C. Seaburg
with the Chalice Choir

Opening Words/Greeting Our Neighbours

Kindling the Chalice Flame

Opening Hymn #100

I've Got Peace Like a River

Story for All Ages

Let's Sing the Children Out "*Go now...*"

Welcome and Announcements

Jenny Podlecki

Reading from the Book of Celebrations and Concerns

Jenny Podlecki

Offering: *We deeply appreciate
your presence here, your
offerings and the gifts you share.*

I Ain't a-Marchin' Anymore
Phil Ochs
with Bryan Gick

Meditation, Spoken then Silent

Musical Response

Earth Song F. Ticheli
with the Chalice Choir

Remarks

Captain Robert MacDonald

Closing Hymn #357

Bright Morning Stars

Closing Words/Extinguishing the Chalice Flame

Valediction

*Carry the flame of peace and love, until we meet again.
Carry the flame of peace and love, until we meet again.*



Next Sunday Service: November 20, 2016, 11 am

The Creative Journey

Rev. Katie Stein Sather

Chalice Choir sings

The seats in the rear of the church are ***reserved:***
(when facing the front) *left side for parents with babies or small children in childcare, and right side for persons in wheelchairs*

To subscribe to the email version of the *UCV Events & Order of Service* write:
ucvevents@gmail.com Please include your name.

A Warm Welcome!

Please visit our Visitors' Table and get a nametag in the Sanctuary foyer. Drop by the Welcome Table in Hewett Centre after the service and stay for coffee or tea and friendly conversation. Learn about our church and our community. Look for people wearing yellow nametags, who are welcoming you today.

If you are a new family visiting with children or babies, we look forward to welcoming you in person. Free childcare is available for children 3 and under, and children 4 and over are invited to join in this week's program activities. Children are also welcome to stay for the church service if they prefer. If you feel that you need to slip out of the service with a crying baby, please feel free to rejoin the service at any time. The service can also be heard in the foyer and in Hewett Centre.

SUPPORT TEAM TODAY

COFFEE SET UP AND SERVERS

Ann Foster, Barbara Schafer, Susan Krug,
Adele Cleverdon

FLOWERS

Lorraine Calame

LIBRARY AND LITERATURE STALL

Kaelyn Elfert, Lindsay Udem

LUNCH

Refugee Ctte

ORDER OF SERVICE

Hunter MacNiven

SOUND

Galen Elfert

GREETERS

Margo Elfert, Sakura Nandana, Setty Pendakur, Penny Pearson

WELCOME AND INFORMATION TABLE

Dianne Crosbie, Alison Pearson

STAFF

PARISH MINISTER

Rev. Steven Epperson

COMMUNITY MINISTER

Rev. Laura Imayoshi

DIRECTOR OF RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Kiersten Moore

CHOIR DIRECTOR

Donna Brown

MUSIC ASSISTANT TO THE MINISTER

Elliott Dainow

CASUAL CARETAKERS

James Wilson, Ben Yeung, Mark Klassen,

Paul Nash, Matt Yeung

CONGREGATIONAL ADMINISTRATOR

Hunter MacNiven

OFFICE ASSISTANT

Marcus Hynes

BOOKKEEPER

Collene Harris

SUNDAY RECEPTIONISTS

Virginia Crabill, Robert Schultz

UCV LAY CHAPLAINS

Nan Gregory, Sherry King, Louise Bunn

The red pulpit hanging is a gift from our partner church in Brassó, Romania.

The Unitarian Church of Vancouver

We are a community of diverse beliefs and shared values.

In fellowship with one another, we seek spiritual growth, social justice, and environmental sustainability through worship, ethical action, education, and artistic expression. We welcome all who would join this compassionate and visionary community

The UCV campus is a Smoke-Free Environment

NOVEMBER 13, 2016

THE UCV AGM will be held in the Hewett Centre
TODAY, Sun, Nov 13, 12:30 – 3 pm.

CHILDREN’S PROGRAM: Childcare is available free for the younger ones (aged three and under) in Servetus Room on the main floor of Hewett Centre.

UCV LIBRARY BOOKS RELATED TO TODAY’S SERVICE:

- *The Anatomy of Peace* from the Arbinger Institute 303.69
- *Refusing to Be Enemies* by Maxine Kaufman-Lacusta 956.05
- *Stop the Next War Now* by Medea Benjamin et al. 327.17
- *Nonviolence: the History of a Dangerous Idea* by Mark Kurlansky 303.61

FORUM, FIRESIDE, 12:30 – 1:30 PM: No forum today.

HOW WE’RE CHANGING THE WORLD!

The UCV Environment Committee provides social, emotional, and spiritual support as our work requires both grieving and celebration, as we promote “respect for the interdependent web of all existence, of which we are a part,” balancing head and heart, in meaningful action.

A REMINDER TO ALL

Please keep the doors locked
at all times and keep watch
over personal items!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

ONE OF UCV’S CARETAKERS, MARCUS HYNES, has recently taken over the Office Assistant position here at UCV. If you have not yet been acquainted with him, please feel free to stop by and say hello. He works in the office Monday through Thursday, 9:30 am – 2 pm. We’d love to see you! –Hunter MacNiven

CHALICE CHOIR ANNUAL ADVENT CONCERT: *Singing the Season.* Join the Chalice Choir for a concert of seasonal music, featuring Bach's Cantata BWV 140 *Wachet Auf* and a singalong of Christmas favourites. Childcare provided. Reception to follow. Sunday, Dec. 4 at 7:30 pm, Sanctuary. Please remember that this is the choir's main fundraiser of the year and supports the choir's participation in our Sunday services. Invite your friends!
Tickets: \$20 (Low income – pay what you can.) Available from any choir member or at the door. Note: tickets will be on sale TODAY after church in Hewett Centre.

OUR RE PROGRAM IS LOOKING FOR THE FOLLOWING DONATIONS FOR OUR CHILDCARE ROOM AND PRESCHOOL CLASS: Music players—either a CD player or Bluetooth speakers; infant bouncy seat; infant play mat; dramatic play props; ethnically diverse dolls (clothed); and someone to make play-doh from time to time. Please see Kiersten Moore before or after the service.

BOOK BASH! A big thank you to all those who volunteered for the Book Bash last weekend, and thanks to all who purchased books. We made over \$1150 for the church.

CELEBRATE ADVENT WITH U FRIENDS!

November Moveable Feast information: **WHEN:** Saturday Nov. 26, 2016 at 6:00 pm.
WHERE: El Santo 680 Columbia St., New Westminster. Just a couple of blocks from the EXPO line skytrain stations (New Westminster Stn or Columbia Stn). Latin American cuisine. RSVP to Karen Bartlett: karen.bartlett@ubc.ca.

THE THIRD SUNDAY BOOK GROUP is discussing Julian Barnes' *Sense of an Ending and the Noise of Time* on November 20th in Lindsey-Priestley with Rhea Kikkert as facilitator. Please join us!

MECHANICAL SKILLS REQUIRED to figure out why the UCV ping-pong table doesn't fold down and fold up as it should. If you may be able to help, please contact Hunter at the church office. Many thanks. hunter@vancouverunitarians.ca

ARE: CHRONIC PAIN SUPPORT GROUP: If you live with chronic pain day in day out, and would find it helpful to talk with others who live with the same, as well as explore options for more pain-free days or help with government forms or red tape, join us Thursdays at 10:30 am in the Fireside Room. –Sharon, skdalgleish@gmail.com

UCV CARE AND CONCERN ANNOUNCEMENT

A new way to reach out in time of need:

“If you or others in the congregation are in need of support in times of transition, loss, illness, moving, etc.,

please contact: careandconcern@vancouverunitarians.ca”

sincerely, Rev. Steven Epperson

