



Welcome
to
UNITY CHURCH OF KNOXVILLE

Affiliated with the Association of Unity Churches International.

Sunday, July 18, 2010

Prelude

Special Music ~ John London

Welcome

Opening Song

“Morning Has Broken” ~ (Inside the Bulletin)

Singing Prayer

“Surely the Presence of the Lord” ~ (Inside the Bulletin)

Congregational Affirmation

There is only one Presence and one Power in the universe and in my life, God, the Good, Omnipotent.

Congregational Reading

“Daily I am given opportunities to grow. Often, deeper understanding comes from simply listening—listening without judgment, without feeling a need to defend a position or change another's point of view. As I listen to others share their thoughts and feelings and as I attune to God in prayer and meditation, I find greater truth to guide my life. Through my spiritual unfolding, I move closer to discerning the Truth of God. ...from July/August Daily Word

Congregational Singing

“The Lord’s Prayer (Adaptation)” ~ (Inside the Bulletin)

CommUNITY Announcements

Welcoming of New Friends and Congregational Greeting Time

“Our Thoughts are Prayers” ~ (Inside the Bulletin)

Prayer Requests

Introduction of Speaker

Lesson and Meditation Presented by Rev. David Herndon

Lesson - “And Jesus Said”

Meditation

Blessing of Gifts and Tithes

Divine Love, through me, blesses and multiplies all that I have,
all that I give, and all that I receive. And I am grateful.

“He Is My Everything” ~ (Inside the Bulletin)

Welcoming of Our Youth

“We Are Walking as the Light” ~ (Inside the Bulletin)

Benediction

“Peace Song” ~ (Inside the Bulletin)

“Prayer for Protection”

The light of God surrounds us, The love of God enfolds us, The power of God protects us,
The presence of God watches over us. Wherever we are, God is! And all is well.

Speaker ~ Rev. David Herndon
Youth Ed. Director ~ Tiffany Emitt

Platform Assistant ~ Libbie Landers
Prayer Leader ~ Rev. David Herndon

Special Music ~ John London
Sound ~ Jason Emitt



Unity Church of Knoxville's Weekly Gazette



TIME IN THE SILENCE

You are worthy of this time for your spiritual growth and renewal. Please be respectful of your time and that of others. Silence your mobile phone before you enter the service.

SPEAKER TODAY - The title of today's lesson is "**And Jesus Said**" It will be presented by **Rev. David Herndon**.

As many know, David has a very diversified background. He has served in the Air Force and operated his own business in Texas. He was ordained at Lighthaven Interfaith Seminary. He served as Director of Gifts and Legacies at Unity Houston and was a frequent speaker at Unity churches in the greater Houston area.

David served as the Spiritual Leader of the Unity Church of Brazosport, located in Brazoria, Texas for two years before deciding to return to his home town of Oak Ridge. He is currently a member of Unity Church of Knoxville and one of our Trustees.

NEXT SUNDAY (July 25th) - **Rev. David Herndon** will present our lesson entitled "**The Creative Mind.**" This will be about the ability to manifest the things you desire into your life.

Y.O.U. Fundraising Project

In all situations, RESPOND WITH LOVE, and feel peace within. Support your Y.O.U. group and purchase one of these beautiful bumper stickers. They can be used anywhere. Share them with friends and give them as gifts.

OF INTEREST . . .

Unity is now offering a FREE booklet called [*Discover Your God-Given Potential: 12 Spiritual Abilities to Change Your Life*](#). This booklet explores how the Twelve Powers can be used to create an abundant and meaningful life. It is available in book format or as a downloadable PDF. See Hot Happenings on our Web for how to obtain this wonderful book.

July 20th - An Evening With **Gregg Braden** Internationally Renowned Pioneer In **Bridging Science And Spirituality**. We will carpool to Flat Rock, NC at 3:00 pm and return at 1:00 am. Tickets are \$41.99 if part of the Unity group. We have extended the offer through today for the group rate and will have the tickets available on Tuesday. Envelopes are located on the bulletin board. See bulletin board for detailed information.

On August 8th, **David Hulse** will present our lesson entitled "**12 Signs of Your Awakening Divinity**"

HEALING SELF AND OTHERS

3 Powerful Workshops with...

Sound Therapy Pioneer David Hulse

Friday Aug 6, 7:00-8:30pm:

Using Frequency to Awaken Energy & Manifest Change

Saturday, Aug 7, 10:00am-5:00pm:

The Healing Power of Solfeeggio Body Tuners

Sunday, Aug 8, 1:30-3:30PM:

DNA Is Not Your Destiny

See Workshops, Classes, and Events at

www.unitychurchofknoxville.org for detailed information.

Flyers and Registration Forms available in the hallway.

PROSPERITY BANKS & CHILDREN'S LESSON

A Children's Lesson is presented the first Sunday of every month. Bring your full Prosperity Banks to give to the children during the Lesson. The Banks are available for pick up during business hours or Sunday services, and are located on the bookstand near the front door. Open to receive your good by using the prayer affirmations found on the side of the bank. The monies collected go to the Youth Education Department.

DONATIONS FOR HOSPITALITY

We are grateful for your donations that continue to provide refreshments at the Hospitality table.

PRAYER BOX

We invite you to submit your prayers to our Prayer Box. The Unity movement was founded on prayer over a hundred years ago. Prayer is a powerful experience of God. The Prayer Box sits on the console table in the hallway prior to and after the Sunday service. Write your prayers on the yellow slips near the box and drop them inside. The Prayer Box will be prayed over during the service. The prayers are then forwarded to Silent Unity where they will be held in sacred space for one month.

SUGGESTION BOX

We urge you to make your comments and suggestions known. Our purple Suggestion Box is located on the console table in the hallway. Use a purple Suggestion slip to make your comments, sign your name, and then place the slip in the box.

OUR TRUSTEES ARE: Judi Talley - President
Michael Betz - Vice-President
Rev. David Herndon - Treasurer
Tonya Riley - Secretary
Gina McAllister - Trustee
Steve Jordan - Trustee

Contact them at trustees@unitychurchofknoxville.org, or call the church office at 865-971-5806.

The date of the next meeting of the Trustees to be held in August will be announced forthcoming. We welcome congregants to attend, except for closed Executive sessions. If you have an item for the agenda or wish to speak at the meeting, please contact any Trustee by the first Sunday of the month so your request can be added to the agenda. Your trustees can be contacted by email at trustees@unitychurchofknoxville.org.



Morning Has Broken

Morning has broken like the first morning,
Blackbird has spoken like the first bird.
Praise for the singing! Praise for the morning!
Praise for them springing fresh from the Word!

Sweet the rain's new fall sunlit from heaven,
Like the first dewfall on the first grass.
Praise for the sweetness of the wet garden,
Sprung in completeness where His feet pass.

Mine is the sunlight! Mine is the morning
Born of the one light Eden saw play!
Praise with elation, Praise every morning,
God's recreation of the new day!

Surely the Presence of the Lord

Surely the presence of the Lord is in this place.
I can feel a mighty power and a grace.
I can feel the brush of angel's wings
I see glory on each face.
Surely the presence of the Lord is in this place.
(Repeat)

The Lord's Prayer Adaptation

Words and music by Chaz Barber

Creator, Our Mother, Our Father who art in Heaven,
Hallowed be Thy Name,
Thy Kingdom come, Thy Will be done,
On earth as it is in heaven,
Give us this day our daily bread,
And forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors
And leave us not in temptation but deliver us from error,
For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory,
forever, Amen.

Our Thoughts are Prayers

- Words and Music by Lucille K. Olson

Our thoughts are prayers, and we are always praying.
Our thoughts are prayers; listen to what you're saying.
Seek a higher consciousness, a state of peacefulness,
And know that God is always there,
And every thought becomes a prayer.

Our thoughts are prayers, the tools that we create with.
Our thoughts are prayers that Spirit resonates with.
Seek a higher consciousness, a state of mindfulness,
And know that God is always there,
And every thought becomes a prayer.

He Is My Everything

- (arr. by John London)

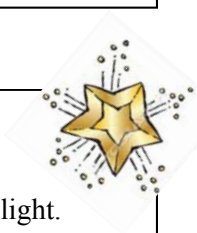
I long to be God's expression
Oh, he is my everything

I remember my days of wandering
Without sunshine or sight to lead the way
But a still small voice ever calling
Me into God's Presence to stay

I have a reason for living,
My heart has a reason to sing
I long to be God's expression,
Oh, He is my everything

After the lighting and thunder
There breaks the bright rays of the sun
Calling me into God's presence
And I hear Love saying, "Well done"

We are Walking as the Light



We are walking as the light, as the light, as the light.
We are walking as the light, as the light of God.
As the light, as the light, as the light, as the light,
as the light, as the light, as the light of God!

The Peace Song

by Hayley Westenra

Let there be peace on earth
And let it begin with me:
Let there be peace on earth,
The peace that was meant to be.

With God as Creator
Loved ones all are we,
Let us walk with each other
In perfect harmony.

Let peace begin with me,
Let this be the moment now;
With every step I take,
Let this be my solemn vow:

To take each moment and live each moment
In peace eternally.
Let there be peace on earth
And let it begin with me.



**Our Next CommUnity Luncheon is August 1st
Please Bring Your Delicious Dishes and Join in Fellowship!**

5 Basic Unity Principles

1. God is absolute good, everywhere present.
2. Human beings have a spark of divinity within them, the Christ spirit within. Their very essence is of God, and therefore they are also inherently good.
3. Human beings create their experiences by the activity of their thinking. Everything in the manifest realm has its beginning in thought.
4. Prayer is creative thinking that heightens the connection with God-Mind and therefore brings forth wisdom, healing, prosperity, and everything good.
5. Knowing and understanding the laws of life, also called Truth, are not enough. A person must also live the truth that he or she knows.

5 Basic Unity Principles The Youth Version

1. God is all good and active in everything, everywhere.
2. I am naturally good because God's Divinity is in me and in everyone.
3. I create my experiences by what I choose to think and what I feel and believe.
4. Through affirmative prayer and meditation, I connect with God and bring out the good in my life.
5. I do and give my best by living the Truth. I know I make a difference.

Notes



Our Mission Statement

We are a welcoming, vibrant, Spirit-led community, making positive contributions to the world.

Our Vision Statement

We celebrate a world of awakened, Divine consciousness, love, peace and abundance for all.

*Sunday Services and Sunday School
held at 11:00am
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Prayer Requests

Silent Unity Prayer Ministry: 1-800-669-7729