



Sounding of the Gong

Prelude

Suite No. 1 in G, for unaccompanied cello
I. Prelude
Philip Delaquess, cello

J.S. Bach
(1685-1750)

Welcome

Karen Rose Gredler, Lay Worship Associate

A Moment for Centering Silence

*Ingathering Hymn

#360 • *Here We Have Gathered*

*Opening Words

from *I Believe* by Robert Fulghum

*Lighting of the Chalice

We gather this hour as people of faith;
With joys and sorrows, gifts and needs.
We light this beacon of hope
Sign of our quest for truth and meaning,
In celebration of the life we share together.

*Exchange of Friendly Greetings

Message for All Ages

The Honest to Goodness Truth by Patricia C. McKissack

*Hymn (children may leave for Summer Fun)

#16 • *'Tis a Gift to Be Simple*

Readings

Humpty Dumpty
from Lewis Carroll's *Through the Looking Glass*
How do we believe?
Rachel Noble, Professor of Environmental Science

Special Music

Suite No. 1 in G Major
3. Courante
Bach

Reflections

"Who Put the Fun in Fundamentalism?"
by Jim O'Brien, Professor Emeritus, Communications

Offering

Suite No. 1 in G Major
4. Sarabande
Bach

Acknowledgments and Opportunities

Cares of the Congregation

*Closing Hymn

#6 • *Just as Long as I Have Breath*

*Benediction & Extinguishing the Chalice

from Karen Armstrong, Theologian

Postlude (*please be seated*)

Suite No. 1 in G Major
6. Gigue
Bach



* Please rise in body or spirit.

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We, the member congregations of the Unitarian Universalist Association, covenant to affirm and promote:

- The inherent worth and dignity of every person;
- Justice, equity, and compassion in human relations;
- Acceptance of one another and encouragement to spiritual growth in our congregations;
- A free and responsible search for truth and meaning;
- The rights of conscience and the use of the democratic process within our congregations and in society at large;
- The goal of world community with peace, liberty and justice for all;
- Respect for the interdependent web of all existence of which we are a part.



Our Continuing Bond of Union

We, whose names are hereunto subscribed, desiring a religious organization in the spirit of Jesus of Nazareth, which shall make integrity of life its first aim, and leave thought free, associate ourselves together as the First Unitarian Society of Madison and accept to its membership those of whatever theological opinion, who wish to unite with us in the promotion of truth, righteousness, reverence and charity among all.
Formulated in 1879, adapted and reaffirmed in 1980.

Spouse one: I think I'm right.

Spouse two: I think you're wrong.

Spouse one: Well, I AM right!

~ anon.

Kelly J. Crocker, Minister of Congregational Life
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