

Two Young Heroes

Rev. Steven Epperson

September 18, 2011

11:00 am



Anika Tabovaradan
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Tim DeChristopher
via RAN.org

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.

Benediction/Extinguishing the Chalice Flame

Valediction *Carry the flame of peace and love, until we meet again*
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Youth protesting Tahrir Sq. Cairo, Egypt
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March for Social Justice/Income Equity/
Affordable Housing in Tel Aviv Israel
www.onebigbagel.wordpress.com

* Beethoven was a highly principled person in that he revoked his support of Napoleon once Napoleon became a dictator and started stepping on people's rights. Beethoven was not afraid to stand up to power; he once walked out on his patron - on whom he was highly dependent - refusing the request to play something, as some of Napoleon's officers were present . Elliott

Sunday Sept 25, 2011

11:00 am Worship Service

Fear of Barbarians

Rev. Steven Epperson

music with E. Dainow and UCV Chalice Choir

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The seats in the fourth row on the left side of the church are reserved for people with hearing loss. People using hearing aids may obtain further amplification by activating the T-switch. The seats in the rear of the church are reserved: left side for parents with babies or small children in child care, and right side for persons in wheelchairs.

WELCOME! NEWCOMERS AND VISITORS

A Warm Welcome!

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 over 3 are invited to check out our dynamic Sunday school programs. 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.

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

SUPPORT TEAM TODAY

COFFEE SET UP AND SERVERS	Denise Swanson, Youth with Cristin Lee
FLOWERS	Chris Pearce
LIBRARY AND LITERATURE STALL	Frances Anderson, Olive Stewart
LUNCH	
ORDER OF SERVICE	Tara-Lee MacNiven
SOUND	Gerry Hayle
USHERS	Jane Sutherland, Shirley McLeod, Carolyn Grant
WELCOME AND INFORMATION TABLE	Carol Cole, Errol McKinstry, Karen Brumelle

STAFF

PARISH MINISTER	Rev. Steven Epperson
COMMUNITY MINISTER	Rev. Laura Imayoshi
CHOIR DIRECTOR	Donna Brown
MUSIC ASSISTANT TO THE MINISTER	Elliott Dainow
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SUNDAY RECEPTIONISTS	Virginia Crabill, John Omielan Anthony Roper, Robert Schultz
UCV LAY CHAPLAINS	Phyllis Bassett, Dan Enright Sherry King, Wayne Ulian

*The red pulpit hanging is a gift from our partner church in Brassó, Romania,
to celebrate our continuing relationship.*

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CHILDREN'S PROGRAM WELCOME BACK!

0 – 3 years: Tiny Tales will meet upstairs in the Cloud room.

3 – 6 years: Spirit Play will meet downstairs in the Rainbow room.

7 – 8 years: Discovery will meet downstairs in the Star room.

9 – 12 years: Quest will meet downstairs in the Sun room.

Youth: New Generation will meet downstairs in the Moon room.

ART IN THE SANCTUARY Doris Friedich and Maud van Breeman: “Spaces”
Interpretations through photography, painting and mixed media

UCV BOOK CLUB meets today Sundays at 12:30 p.m. after church services and commences Sunday, September 18 in Lindsey-Priestley, in discussion of *Nomad*, by Ayaan Hirsi Ali, timely non-fiction. The book for October 16 is *Protest Diablo*, quick read, non-fiction, one copy available in the UCV library. All welcome.

UCV AND DENOMINATIONAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

BILL MOUNTAIN (MAY 1, 1939 – SEPTEMBER 2, 2011) Bill passed away six weeks after being diagnosed with untreatable liver cancer. Steven Epperson will conduct a memorial service on Oct 8th 2pm. For more information <http://trafifth.wordpress.com/bill-mountain/> or contact Mary Bennett maryinvancouver@gmail.com 604-732-1455.

THE LIBRARY COMMITTEE Now that summer is practically over, the next Book Bash is upon us. On Sunday September 25th the Library Committee will be emptying all our cupboards for your reading pleasure for the next few months. We have fiction, from Classics to mystery to romance, how to, history, psychology, New Age, health, biography, children's, the list goes on and on, all for remarkably reasonable prices. The doors open at 9 a.m. and the sale closes at 1 p.m. Please join us. We also welcome volunteers to help sort books for the bash. We work Friday from 1 – 4pm, Saturday from 10 – 4 pm, lunch provided, and Sunday from 9 am to 2:30pm. Anyone wishing to volunteer should contact Leslie Hill at 604-321-7175 or lesliehill49@yahoo.ca. You are welcome for any or all of these shifts. As of October 2, we will be gratefully accepting donations once again.

ADULT RE FALL 2011 Paths to Well-Being—Starts in October

Our Adult RE Program is about to begin!! Great classes and teachers working for a healthy community in mind, body and spirit. Courses include Jungian Study Group, “Madness Radio” Listening Group, Tai Chi, and Restorative Yoga. For details, please pick up an Adult RE brochure, or consult the UCV website and October Bulletin. Classes begin really soon—be sure to register, and enjoy! Sincerely, Rev. Steven Epperson



PLEASE COME AND SUPPORT YOUR FARMERS' MARKET, AND SPREAD THE WORD!

Every Wednesday, 3-7 pm in the UCV parking lot. The Oak Street Farmers' Market at UCV provides fresh, local, all-organic produce, meat, and eggs; wild-caught fish, and other delicious treats. Live music! Kid's Garden!

Check out our website <http://www.oakstreetmarket.ca> for the weekly list of vendors, and more.

And now you can watch the Opening Ceremony video at <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=CE9YcCCrFtE>.

Buy local! Support our farmers, sustainable food production, and UCV! Every new customer helps the market survive and thrive!

MEDITATION GROUP Time will be extended to 12:45 – 1:30pm still on the 1st and 3rd Sundays. Questions? Contact Phil Campbell or Don Fox. Please, if you come late or leave early, enter and leave quietly.

HEY-U-MEN Great ideas are born on retreat. It's time to sign up for the Hey-U-Men Fall Retreat at camp Sasamat. We wouldn't have the internet or gravity, without good Unitarian Men going on retreat. Go to heyuu.ca for more information on the retreat, and Google Isaac Newton, and Tim Berners-Lee to find out more about gravity, the internet and Unitarianism. Your next great idea will soon be upon you.



COME ENJOY A NIGHT OF MUSIC AND POETRY! With cellist Nicholas Epperson & poet Alex Winstanley performing their creation, "The Bones in Our Wings"- a colourful exploration of the muse-ical imagination. September 30 Unitarian Church Sanctuary (49th and Oak) 7-9pm by donation