

ORDER OF SERVICE – “END OF CHURCH YEAR”

June 10, 2007

9:15 a.m. & 11:15 a.m.

*** Gathering Song** “Come, Sing a Song with Me”

Come, sing a song with me, come sing a song with me,
come, sing a song with me, that I might know your mind.
And I'll bring you hope when hope is hard to find,
and I'll bring a song of love and a rose in the wintertime.

*** Call to Worship**

*** Lighting the Chalice** (in unison)

We are travelers. We meet for a moment in this sacred place to love, to share, to serve.
Let us use compassion, curiosity, reverence, and respect while seeking our truths. In this
way we will support a just and joyful community, and this moment shall endure.

*** Musical Response** (#403 – sung by the congregation)

Spirit of truth, of life, of power,
we bring ourselves as gifts to thee;
oh, bind our hearts this sacred hour
in faith and hope and charity.

+++++Latecomers may be seated+++++

A QUUF All Saints' Day Litany of Recognition & Appreciation

(See full-page insert)

Hymn #128

“For All That Is Our Life”

Singing Out the Children

Go now in peace. Go now in peace.
May the spirit of love surround you
Everywhere, everywhere, you may go.

Congregational Announcements

Offering & Offertory

Joys and Sorrows

Period of Silence & Musical Response

Reading

Special Music

Sermon

“I'm Glad You Asked That Question...”

*** Closing Hymn #318**

“We Would Be One”

*** Spoken Benediction & Extinguishing the Chalice**

*** Closing Song**

“Spirit of Life” (#123)

Spirit of Life, come unto me.
Sing in my heart all the stirrings of compassion.
Blow in the wind, rise in the sea, move in the hand, giving life the shape of justice.
Roots hold me close; wings set me free;
Spirit of Life, come to me, come to me.

* Please rise as willing and able

Hearing assistance devices are available to the left of the sanctuary door as you enter the building. These can be used in the RE building if a parent needs to be with their child.

Tapes of Sunday Services can be ordered in the back of the sanctuary to the left of the front door (\$3). **Print** versions can be made from our website, www.quuf.org.

Summer Office Hours:

June 12 through Aug. 24: Mon. closed; Tues.-Fri., 10 a.m.-3 p.m.
June 20-22nd: Closed (Staff will be in Portland for General Assembly)
July 4th: Closed (Public holiday)

Let's keep our grounds green, as well as our church! Please sign up for a **summer watering slot** on the sheet in back of the sanctuary.

Found at the Women's Retreat: blue Northface Gortex jacket. There are other things that were left behind, now in our kitchen.

SPECIAL MUSIC FOR TODAY'S SERVICES

"Blessing," Irish poem; music: Katie Moran Bart. Sung by QUUF Choir.

UPCOMING EVENTS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Next Week's Service, June 17, 10:00 A. M. – Speaker: Dick Conway. Sermon Title: "Fatherhood Is Forever – and for the Blink of an Eye"

On this Father's Day Sunday, our speaker celebrates fatherhood in literature and life.

In Colorado, Dick Conway was a college professor, a father, and a terrible golfer. In Port Townsend, he is retired, a grandfather, and a terrible golfer.

QUUF's ANNUAL MEETING will take place **this Sunday, June 10**, right after the second service. This is your chance to learn about, and vote on key Fellowship issues. We will elect members to the Board of Trustees, Nominating and Special Funds Committees. We will also vote on bylaws revisions, the 2007-08 budget, and Green Sanctuary Projects. Please come and participate in our Fellowship democracy. If you cannot make the meeting, you can still have a friend cast a vote in your stead. Proxy forms are available at the back of the sanctuary.

NOTE: **Hot dogs & veggie dogs & all the fixings** will be available at the end of the second service **at very reasonable prices** (due to the rainout of the Field of Dreams Coed Softball Game on May 20).

We are putting together a **list of those who plan to attend this year's GENERAL ASSEMBLY** in Portland for purposes of coordinating rides and perhaps for getting together while there. The sign-up sheet is in the clipboard rack at the back of the sanctuary. Sheila Lauder will take care of compiling the list and getting the information to everyone who is planning to attend by June 15.

Two persons are still needed for our elite QUUF Mowing Team! The lawn mowers are self-propelled and in good condition – and you will be, too, if you walk behind them and steer them. Not gender specific. Call John at 385-9577.

Foundations are in place in two new **Habitat for Humanity** homes on 21st St. The Habitat Caravan folks from all over the US will be here June 17- 29th to frame the houses. The Church Build Group will feed the 20 people breakfast and lunch daily. **QUUF's days are June 18 and 29th.** We need a few volunteers to prepare and serve breakfast at the church on those days, and to prepare lunches for on site delivery. Volunteers need to plan the menu, shop for food (you will be reimbursed) and prepare and serve the food and do clean up. Contact David or Diane Bommer at 385-7947.

The Sunday Services Committee has organized a series of seven services led by QUUF members during Rev. Bode's summer vacation break. These lay-led services are held at 10:00 a.m. – one service only – beginning next Sunday, June 17. Rev. Bode plans to return to the pulpit in August with "Twice-Told Tales," repeating a series of sermons given at the Fellowship two years ago titled, "Themes of Joseph Campbell." The summer speaker schedule is as follows:

June 17: Dick Conway

June 24: Gunther Dohse
 July 1: Linda Little
 July 8: Candy Drollinger
 July 15: Deb Hammond
 July 22: Bob Alei
 July 29: Joseph Bednarik (Poetry Service)
 August 5, 12, 19, 26: Bruce Bode
 September 2: Peggy Albers (Water Ceremony)

NEXT WEEK'S DESIGNATED OFFERING

June 10 – The Women’s Health Project. A fledgling organization founded by QUUF member **Beth Wilmart**. Already they have produced, *Listening to Women*, a community forum on women’s health issues, getting their 501(c)3 tax exempt status, hiring executive director Alison Ryan, and receiving grant funding from Rotary to present a series of workshops to help women learn to advocate for their own health. They are also working on *A Guide to Women’s Health in Jefferson County*, a comprehensive listing of local health and wellness resources that will map out access to many health care options for women and girls.

Members of the Designated Offering Committee are Pam Daly, chair, Don Berg, Sue Estes, Jan Forrest, Gayle Kaune, Rod Mitchell, and Bruce Bode, staff liaison. They welcome and encourage your suggestions of organizations to receive these twice-monthly offerings.

NOTE: All cash goes to the designated organization unless you use a QUUF envelope found at the back of the sanctuary or carried by our ushers. Please make all checks payable to QUUF, using the memo line to indicate the recipients and amounts, e.g., designated organization, your QUUF pledge, or a QUUF contribution

WHEEL OF LIFE

Margaret “Micky” Douhan, an early and long-time member of QUUF, died this past Sunday at the age of 95. A memorial service will be held at QUUF this afternoon, June 10, at 4:00 p.m.

Helene Fatt-Everett has returned home after many weeks at the KahTai Care Center recovering from a shoulder and leg injury.

DESIGNATED OFFERINGS SURVEY

Since last September our congregation has been donating plate offerings to a variety of organizations and causes. You have generously contributed over \$10,000. We now need your help in planning for next year. Your input is so important. Please take a moment to complete this survey.

To refresh your memory, here is a list of recipients: Gathering Place (523), Boiler Room (579), Jumping Mouse (763), ECCHO (559), Mujeres de Maiz (819), Jefferson AIDS Services (530), Youth/Bay St. Louis (1700), Jefferson County Emergency Chaplain’s Fund (508), Homeless Project (508), Guest at Your Table (1659), Northwind Arts Alliance (497), NAMI (399), Children’s Art Alliance (641), Habitat for Humanity (575), UUSCS Tsunami Relief (605), Marine Science Institute (623), Olympic Pet Pals (411), Domestic Violence (626), West Camp for Girls (671), Women’s Health Project (yet to be collected).

Please respond from 5 to 1, 5 indicating the most positive, and 1 indicating the least positive opinion.

What is your overall feeling about the Designated Offering Program so far?

5 4 3 2 1

What is your opinion of the choice of organizations/causes selected to receive our offerings?

5 4 3 2 1

Did you have enough information about the organizations?

5 4 3 2 1
Was the procedure for collecting the offering explained adequately?

5 4 3 2 1
Do you consider having two offerings per month:

Too much About right We should do more

**Do you have a suggested organization for next year's offerings?
Please indicate it.**

Comments: