**Mission Statement**: We welcome all to our inclusive spiritual community. We affirm our Unitarian Universalist Principles and put them into action by worshipping together, caring for one another, and working for a safe, just, and sustainable world.

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#### **Rev. Dan Harper's Office Hours:**

Mondays, Tuesdays, and Wednesdays from 9:30a-5:00p. Please contact the Parish Office or Dan to schedule an appointment.

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## **Thank You:**

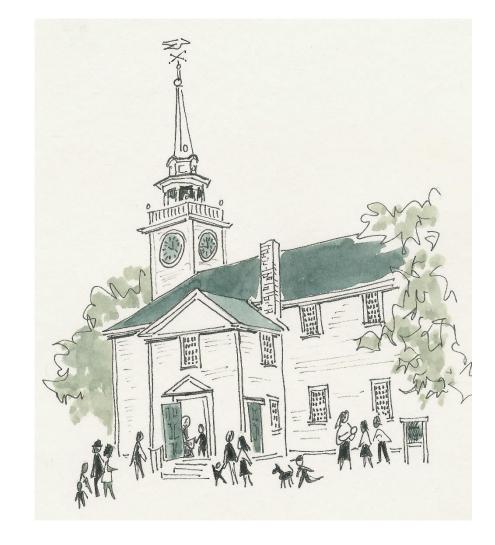
ate: Holly Harris
Martha Gjesteby and Joan Kovach
Annie Spang and Will Cowen
Given by Martha Gjesteby and Joan Kovach
in celebration of the promise of Spring.







If you would like to give to this morning's offering online, please <u>use</u> the first <u>QR code above</u>. In the <u>comments</u> field, **please write** "<u>Sunday offering</u>." Scan the other two codes to follow us on FaceBook and Instagram!



March 3rd, 2024

# Order of Service Minister: Rev. Dan Harper

# Welcome

Prelude: "Do, Lord, Remember Me" Tune: DITMUS, Afro-Amer Spiritual, arr. Martha Sobaje

# **Opening Words**

Hymn: #1001, "Breaths"

Unison Chalice Lighting Words: #559

Moment for All Ages: "Prince Gotama's Questions"

Hymn: #413, "Go Now in Peace"

Candles of Joy, Sorrow, and Concern -

Prayer and Meditation -

Hymn in response: #391, "Voice Still and Small"

Readings: From "The Wealth of Nations," book 4, chapter 1, by Adam Smith. From "Money (that's What I Want)," by Janie Bradford and Berry Gordy. Read by Holly Harris

**Choir Anthem:** "Simple Gifts" Shaker Song, adapted by Aaron Copeland, Transcribed for chorus by Irvine Fine

Sermon:	"The Best Things ir	n Life" - Dan
Offering:	"Meditation #5"	Clif Hardin

Our **"Share the Plate"** for March and April will be directed to the Unitarian Universalist Urban Ministry (UUUM) earmarked for the Roxbury Youth Programs, RYP. The RYP provides after school programming for tutoring, homework help, daily workshops, hot meals, van rides, and internship programs for youth artists who learn skills in leadership, self-efficacy and creativity through the lens of community history and social change.

Closing Hymn: #131, "Love Will Guide Us"

# Unison Closing Words:

Go out into the world in peace, Be of good courage, Hold fast to what is good, Return to no one evil for evil. Strengthen the fainthearted Help the suffering; Be patient with all, Love all living beings.

Postlude: "Toccata" José Antonio Carlos de Seixas (1704-42)

Next Week's Service: "Springtime in Poetry"

Join us after today's service for **coffee hour** across the street at the Parish House. All are welcome and encouraged to attend!