Order of Service

November 29, 2020

“Look to this day!
For it is life, the very life of life.”

— attributed to Kalidasa

Rev. Ken Read-Brown, Minister
Christopher Nickelson-Mann, Music Director
Chloë Briedé, Interim Director of Religious Education

Prelude: Andantino
Frederic Schneider

Call to Worship

Introit: Spirit of Truth, of Life, of Power
words: Westwood / music: Mason

Lighting of the Flaming Chalice
Eva Marx, an Old Ship Deacon

Hymn: Here We Have Gathered
Hymnal No. 360

Welcome And Announcements
Rev. Ken Read-Brown

Time For All Ages
Chloë Briedé

Candles of Joy, Sorrow, and Concern

Meditation, Prayer, and Silence

Musical response

Anthem: The Gift of Love
American Folk Tune, arr. Hopson
Readings:  *Overwhelmed by Being*  
Richard Gilbert  
read by Keely Jordan  

*Stopping by Woods*  
Robert Frost  

Offertory:  *Le Sommeil de l'Enfant*  
Teresa Carreño  

*We are invited to contribute to our “plate” to support all our shared ministries. We are also invited to make a gift to our monthly outreach offering, this month to benefit the Friends of the Homeless of the South Shore. There is a “donate” link on our home page, oldshipchurch.org.*

Sermon:  *Living Life in Real-time*  
Rev. Robert McKetchnie  
First Parish in Cohasset, Unitarian Universalist  

Extinguishing of the Chalice  

Hymn:  *Find a Stillness*  
Hymnal No. 352

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\text{Find a stillness, hold a stillness, let the stillness carry me.} \\
\text{Find the silence, hold the silence, let the silence carry me.} \\
\text{In the spirit, by the spirit, with the spirit giving power, giving power,} \\
\text{I will find true harmony.} \\
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\text{Words: Carl G. Seaburg, 1972 --- based on a Unitarian Transylvanian text,} \\
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Music: Transylvanian hymn tune, harmonized by Larry Phillips, 1946 --- © 1995 Unitarian Universalist Association \\
Hymnody: 8.7.8.7.7. 
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Benediction:  *Dona Nobis Pacem*  
anonymous  

Postlude:  *Scène de Ballet*  
Cécile Chaminade

*We are pleased to welcome Rev. Robert McKetchnie, minister at First Parish in Cohasset, to our worship this morning. Ken preached a pre-recorded sermon for today’s First Parish Cohasset service. This is our annual pulpit exchange between our two congregations.*