

*First Universalist Society
Salisbury Center, N.Y.*

built 1829

OLD COUNTRY CHURCH REUNION

AUGUST 14, 1994

FIRST UNIVERSALIST SOCIETY OF SALISBURY CENTER, NY

Society estab. 1822 Structure built 1829

Minister: The Rev. Timothy Hume Behrendt
Guest Speaker and former Minister of this Parish
The Rev. Maurice Cobb

Musicians: Teal Carpenter
Mary Kupidlowski
Peg Spencer

Prelude	"Composition #6"	by M. Kupidlowski
Opening Words		Tim Behrendt
Hymn	"Morning is Broken"	# 38
Welcome		Susan Watkins Pres. of Board
Announcements, Milestones, Introductions, Remembrances, etc.		
Reading		Tim Behrendt
Hymn	"May Nothing Evil Cross this Door"	# 1
Meditation and Pastoral Prayer		
Offering		
	Musical Interlude	
	Teal Carpenter, Lynn and Ronaele Stalnaker	
Offertory		# 381
Responsive Reading		# 594
Presentation		The Rev. Maurice Cobb
	" A Faith for the Whole Self"	
Hymn	"For the Earth Forever Turning"	# 163
Closing Words		Tim Behrendt
Postlude	"Pastorale"	Teal Carpenter

Do enjoy our Art Exhibit, and admire our historic structure. Susan can answer questions about our building.

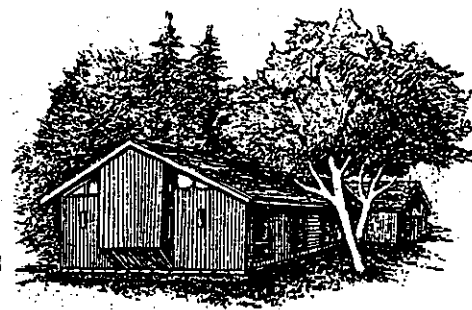
Please join us for Luncheon. (Donations accepted!)

We are pleased to be using the "new" hymnals for the first time at OCCR. They are a Memorial to Raymond Lyon by family and friends.

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October 2, 1996

Dear Board Members:

I have been part-time minister of the Salisbury Center Universalist Society since 1978. As a seminarian (1960 - 1963) I made a commitment (influenced by Albert Schweitzer) to give my time, energy and ministry to the small church which because of money difficulties often has trouble getting professional, experienced ministerial leadership. I am pleased that I have been able to stay with this commitment. Religion needs the grass root support of village and rural communities.

Part of my ministerial work is to help keep the building in repair, so activities can take place in a pleasant, warm, and safe surrounding. Salisbury Center with its 1829 structure has a challenge with this. It has about 35 members who do all kinds of work on dinners, craft shows, and bake sales to keep financially afloat. A new financial challenge has recently arisen. The church presently is in dire need of a new shingling job. The low estimate came in at \$4800 00. Without this work the whole building and its main support beams (ceilings-paint job-electrical system-etc.) are in danger of severe damage. The people's fund raising efforts are already near "burn out" levels. Can you help us with either a grant, or matching grant? We would appreciate any help you might offer to keep one of the few remaining rural New York Universalist founded churches alive and healthy.

Sincerely,

Timothy Hume Behrendt
Timothy Hume Behrendt, Minister

Ordination and Installation

Of Thomas J. Farmer, Jr.,

As Pastor of the Universalist Churches in Dolgeville and Salisbury
Center, N. Y.

Wednesday Evening, April 1, 1903, at 7:30 o'clock P. M.

Programme.

1. Voluntary.
2. Doxology.
3. Invocation.
4. Hymn, "Holy, Holy, Holy!"
5. Scripture Lesson.
6. Anthem, "The Radiant Morn' Hath Passed Away."
7. Sermon, by Rev. F. W. Betts, Syracuse.
8. Solo, "Come Unto Me."
9. Prayer of Consecration, Rev. E. V. Stevens.
10. Conferring of Fellowship and Charge to Pastor,
Rev. S. D. Butler, Fort Plain.
11. Duet, "The Lord Is my Shepherd."
12. Charge to People, Rev. H. E. Benton, Little Falls.
13. Hymn, "Coronation."
14. Benediction by the Pastor.



Ministers and Their Addresses

REV. I. M. ATWOOD, D. D., ROCHESTER, N. Y.

REV. H. E. BENTON, LITTLE FALLS, N. Y.

REV. F. W. BETTS, SYRACUSE, N. Y.

REV. J. W. CARTER, HERKIMER, N. Y.

REV. DEWITT LAMPHEAR, MINDEN, N. Y.



Ordination and Installation

...OF...

LEWIS HENRY ROBINSON

as PASTOR of the

UNIVERSALIST CHURCHES

...IN...

Dolgeville and Salisbury, N. Y.,

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 8, 1900

at 7:30 o'clock P. M.

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PROGRAM OF SERVICE

Doxology,	CONGREGATION
Invocation,	REV. DEWITT LAMPHEAR
Hymn No. 1	
Scripture Lesson,	REV. H. E. BENTON
Anthem	
Sermon,	I. M. ATWOOD, D. D.
Ordination Hymn—216	
Prayer of Consecration,	REV. H. E. BENTON
Act of Ordination,	I. M. ATWOOD, D. D.
Solo	
Charge to Pastor,	REV. J. W. CARTER
Duet.	
Charge to People,	REV. F. W. BETTS
Hymn No. 443	

BENEDICTION BY THE PASTOR

ORDINATION HYMN

Tune Ernau. No. 216.

Without Thy whitened harvest fields,
Father, another laborer stands,
Ready to serve Thee as Thou wilt,
Spend and be spent at Thy command.

Stern let him be 'gainst wrong and sin,
To those who err, a pitying friend,
Brave in defence of Truth and Right,
To those in sorrow, comfort lend.

Touch Thou his lips that they may speak
Words that the world shall hear and heed,
Touch Thou his heart, his life shall preach
A sermon in each kindly deed.

Nor shall he count his labor vain
If but one soul to Thee be won,
And men shall say, "He doeth good,"
As once they said of Thy dear son.

—ALICE CARY ATWOOD.