

# Magdalen Community at Rothko Chapel

Sunday, November 5, 2006, 10:00 a.m.

*The Magdalen Community is a connective community seeking conversation and dialogue with other spiritualities and religious traditions. This Community takes its inspiration from The Gospel of Mary, where Jesus encourages the assembled community to find the divine nature within.*

## Opening Mantra - Anita Kruse, piano and vocal

### Be Present Mantra

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## Call to Silence and Opening Meditation

### Opening Music

#### *A World Within*

*There's a world within  
every human heart  
where a river flows  
with no end or start*

*There's a world within  
where creation blooms  
with each rising sun  
with each waxing moon*

*There's a world within  
wherever I may roam  
It's a world within  
Where I find my home*

There's a world within  
where a wisdom flows  
with a love that heals  
and a peace that grows

There's a world within  
where a quiet sings  
with the voice of the soul  
remembering

*There's a world within  
wherever I may roam  
It's a world within  
Where I find my home*

### **Instrumental Bridge**

*There's a world within  
wherever I may roam  
It's a world within  
Where I find my home*

There's a world within  
where the pure light glows  
with the truth we seek  
and the truth we know

There's a world within  
where we find ourselves  
it's a quiet place  
where the spirit dwells.....

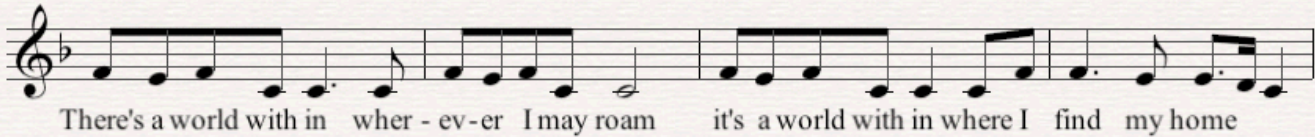
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## A World Within

*melody Group A*



*harmony Group B*

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Musical notation for harmony Group B, showing the harmony line for the lyrics: "There's a world with in where - ev - er I may roam it's a world with in where I find my home". The notation is in treble clef, G major, and 4/4 time. The harmony consists of quarter and eighth notes.

## Readings and Call to Conversation

*A Reading from Rumi's Kollīyaat-e Shams-e Tabrizī, #84, Edited by Badīozzaman Forouzanfar (Tehran, Amīr Kabīr, 1988)*

*Don't even think, just let yourself dream.  
Thoughts are veils that hide the moon's bright face.  
The heart's a moon, where thinking has no place.  
Toss these thoughts away into the stream.*

*A Reading from the Wisdom of Solomon, Chapter 7*

*For wisdom is more mobile than any motion;  
Because of her pureness she pervades and penetrates all things.  
For she is the breath of the power of God*

