



Order of Service

Sunday, November 28, 2021 ■ In-person and Livestream at 11:00 a.m.

Our Mission

The mission of First Unitarian Portland is to create a welcoming community of diverse individuals; to promote love, reason, and freedom in religion; to foster lifelong spiritual growth; and to act for social justice.

Our Vision

First Unitarian Portland is a beacon of hope for us and for our community, a spiritual center in the heart of our city that helps each of us to find our moral compass, calling and challenging us to build the beloved community with an ever-deepening sense of spirit, diversity, and inclusion.

Text and translations for choral music in our services are on our website under Worship/Music Ministry.



For the month of November, we share our plate with the [Immigrant Mutual Aid Coalition](#) (IMAC). In September 2020 when devastating wildfires and hazardous smoke affected much of Oregon, IMAC quickly pulled together community members along with immigrant rights and social justice groups.

Gathering Hymn #226	"People Look East"	
Welcome		Rev. Thomas Disrud
Chalice Lighting		
Voluntary	"Thank You" Walter Hawkins	
Call to Worship		Carter Smith, Intern Minister
Hymn #21	"For the Beauty of the Earth"	
Responsive Reading	"We Are Called to Pay Attention" Amanda Udis-Kessler	Carter Smith
Doxology #123	"Spirit of Life"	
Offertory	"For Every Mountain" Kurt Carr	
Pastoral Concerns and Prayer		Rev. Disrud
Silent Meditation		
Hymn	"One More Day"	
Reading	"In Celebration of the Winter Solstice" Stephanie Noble	
Voluntary	"Grateful" Hezekiah Walker	
Sermon	"A Seed, Underground"	Carter Smith
Prayer		
Hymn #76	"For Flowers That Bloom about Our Feet"	
Benediction		
Postlude	"Mach's mit mir, Gott" J. S. Bach	Joe O'Donnell, organ

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