



Order of Service

Sunday, September 25, 2022 ■ In-person and Livestream at 10:30 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.



The mission For the month of September, we share our offering with Sunrise Movement PDX. Sunrise began with a group of young people heeding the call to create a space in Portland's climate justice community for youth to come together and uplift each other's voices. They strive to empower generations to become active and take leadership in this movement.

Gathering Hymn #188 "Come, Come, Whoever You Are"

Dana Buhl,
Social Justice Director

Welcome

Chalice Lighting

Voluntary "Bring Me Little Water, Silvy"
arr. Moira Smiley

Call to Worship

Rev. Thomas Disrud

Hymn #203 "All Creatures of the Earth and Sky"

Responsive Reading #634 "On Turning"
Jack Riemer

Doxology #123 "Spirit of Life"

Offertory "Confessions in the Moonlight"
Joe Hisaishi

Signe Lusk, piano

Pastoral Concerns and Prayer

Dana Buhl

Silent Meditation

Hymn #1011 "Return Again"

Reading "Advice to Myself"
Louise Erdrich

Voluntary "Everyone Sang"
Linda Kachelmeier

Sermon "Time for a New Year"

Rev. Disrud

Prayer

Hymn #350 "The Ceaseless Flow of Endless Time"

Benediction

Postlude Flourish on "McKee"
V. Earle Copes

Joe O'Donnell, organ

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