



First Unitarian Portland
Order of Service

Sunday, March 3, 2024 | In-person or [Livestream](#) | 10:30 a.m.
March 2024 Spiritual Theme: "Pluralism"

Gathering Hymn	"Here Together"	
Welcome		Danielle Garrett, Intern Minister
Chalice Lighting		Phoebe Barrett & Irene Moore
Voluntary	"We Are One" - Brian Tate	Chancel Choir & DeReau Farrar, Director
Call to Worship		Rev. Alison Miller
Hymn — #343	"A Firemist and a Planet"	
Responsive Reading — #534	"Gloria!" — Barbara Pescan	
Doxology	"Spirit of Life"	
Time for All Ages	"Hats of Faith" — Medeia Cohan	Nancy Duncan and Rev. Leah Ongiri, Acting Director of Lifespan Faith Formation & Family Ministries
Hymn of Blessing	"May This Light Shine"	
Offertory	"There Is a Happy Land" — George Shearing	Joe O'Donnell, organ
Pastoral Concerns and Prayer		Danielle Garrett
Silent Meditation		
Reading	"One Light through Many Windows" — Barbara Brannon	
Voluntary	"Let Me Listen" — Dan Forrest	
Sermon	"One Faith, Many Beliefs"	Rev. Miller
Prayer		
Hymn — #309	"Earth Is Our Homeland"	
Benediction		
Postlude	"Chaconne" — Louis Couperin	Joe O'Donnell, organ

A Glimpse of Upcoming Gatherings

Subscribe to our weekly "Front Steps" for FULL church updates, links, events, and special information: tinyurl.com/enews-signup.

Happening Sunday 3/3/2024

Pancake Breakfast: 9 - 10:15a // Location: Buchan Reception Hall. // Provided by our Men's Group. 🥞

Free Parking Every Sunday in the U-Park across the street until 4p. First-come first-serve

Childcare 6mo-3yrs: Location: A103 Nursery

Together Time: Families begin in the sanctuary.

Social Hour: After the service // Fuller Hall

Welcome Circle: Right after the service // Gather at the Sanctuary's front right corner

It's Foundation Month! Please stop by our information table in the Lobby to learn more.

First Steps Class Today! 🌱

Sunday, March 3, from 12 - 1:30 p.m.

Location: Fireside Room A303

This orientation is designed for those who are new to our community, provides insights into our values, and traditions.

Pick up your name tags! 🧣

Location: Sanctuary lobby

Need a name tag? [Fill out this form](#) to request a physical name tag.

Need help locating a room? Ask an usher with a red name tag! They'd be happy to help.

Recurring Workshops, Classes & Open Gatherings

Alliance Presents... Every first Wednesday of the month @10:30a in Eliot Chapel.

Art Wall Exhibition: Come down to Fuller Hall and enjoy a wide variety of art each month!

Beloved Community of Color: Every second Thursday evening and fourth Saturday morning of the month. [Email them for more info.](#)

Care & Action for Reproductive Dignity (CARD): Currently we meet the third Sunday of each month. From 12:15 - 1:45 in the Fireside Room.

Caregivers Support Group: Open to Newcomers. Fourth Sunday of each month at 9a [via Zoom](#).

First Connections: Third Sunday of each month @12p in Daisy Bingham.

First Steps: First Sunday of each month @12p in Channing.

Friday Vesper Services: from 5 - 5:40p [via Zoom](#).

Labyrinth: Most second Sundays of the month in Buchan Reception Hall.

Loving Kindness Meditation: [resumes on Zoom](#) Monday, September 18, from 8-8:30p.

Mental Health Caregivers Group: Second Wednesday every month via Zoom 7-8:30p. [Email them for more the link.](#)

"T" Time: A Trans, Nonbinary, & Gender-Expansive, Exclusive Gathering: meet on the 2nd and 4th Sundays in Channing Room at noon.



Navigate to the [Front Steps](#) or [Church Calendar](#) for more information on gatherings: beacons.ai/firstupdx

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Our Mission

First Unitarian aims 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, & inclusion.

March Shared Plate

The [Leaven Community Land and Housing Coalition](#) is an interfaith collective that grows neighborhood capacity to stabilize our communities so that all people in Oregon may find a home.