



First Unitarian Portland
Order of Service

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

March 2024 Spiritual Theme: "Pluralism"

Gathering Hymn — #188

"Come, Come, Whoever You Are"

Welcome

Rev. Thomas Disrud

Chalice Lighting

Foundation Stewards

Voluntary

"Clean Up"
— Harvey Watkins

Chancel Choir
DeReau Farrar, Director

Call to Worship

Rev. Alison Miller

Hymn — #193

"Our Faith Is but a Single Gem"

Responsive Reading — #607

"Beloved Presence"

Doxology

"Spirit of Life"

Foundation Sunday

Foundation Testimony

Kathy Ludlow

Offertory

"The Gift of Peace"
— Cynthia Dobrinski

Parker Bells

Pastoral Concerns & Prayer

Rev. Disrud

Silent Meditation

Hymn

"Shine On Me"

Reading

"Song of the Reed"
— Rumi

Voluntary

"Set Me Free"
— Myron Butler

Sermon

"Spring Cleaning of the Soul"

Rev. Miller

Prayer

Hymn

"Create in Me a Clean Heart"

Benediction

Postlude

"Prayer"
— Jeanne C. Warzyn

Chancel Choir
DeReau Farrar, Director

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Legacy Society Members

First Unitarian Foundation honors the following individuals who have made a commitment to First Unitarian Portland's future by planning a gift through their will, trust, retirement plan, insurance policy, charitable gift annuity, or other estate planning device.

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Wheeler	Ann Pickar	Andrew Wilson
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Have you included the church in your will or estate plan and your name is not on our list? Fill out our [Legacy Intent Form](#) in order to be added to our list.



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Bequests Received since 2001

First Unitarian Foundation gratefully acknowledges the following individuals who, during their lifetimes, thoughtfully included us in their estate plans helping to ensure the future and legacy of our church.

Norman Barrow

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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 3/10/2024

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

Childcare 6mo-3yrs: Location: A103 Nursery

Social Hour: After the service // Fuller Hall

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

T" Time: A Trans, Nonbinary, & Gender-Expansive, Exclusive Gathering: Noon // Location: Channing

Consider Including First Unitarian in Your Estate Plan

**Be a part of growing our endowment.
Be part of the Church's financial future.**

March is Foundation Month at First Unitarian Portland. There will be opportunities to learn how you can join our current Foundation Legacy Society members to ensure our church remains a strong and active part of the lives of future generations through a planned gift.

If you have questions or want more information, stop by our table in the lobby this Sunday.

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

[Your donations support the work of this church.](#) Thank you!
Please feel free to add a note to direct your donation to a specific effort.

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.