



Order of Service

Sunday, December 6, 2020 ■ Livestream at 10:15 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 December, we share our plate with three organizations providing critical services in our community. [Outside In, Clay Street Table](#), and the [Oregon Worker Relief Fund](#).

Prelude	"Carillon" from <i>L'Arlesienne Suite</i> , No. 1 George Bizet	Signe Lusk, piano
Gathering Hymn #225	"O Come, O Come, Emmanuel"	
Welcome		Stacey Mitchell, Intern Minister
Chalice Lighting		
Voluntary	"Some Kind of Miracle" Diane Warren	Hannah Hazelwood
Call to Worship		Rev. Bill Sinkford
Hymn #1003	"Where Do We Come From?"	
Responsive Reading	"What Will You Do with Your Gifts?" Rebecca Parker	
Doxology #123	"Spirit of Life"	
Offertory	"Theme" from <i>On Golden Pond</i> Dave Grusin	Signe Lusk, piano
Pastoral Concerns and Prayer		Stacey Mitchell
Silent Meditation		
Hymn #342	"O Slowly, Slowly, They Return"	
Reading	"Waiting" Burton Carley	
Voluntary	Wait 'Til You See What's Next" Jason Robert Brown	Dustin Hunley
Sermon	"Waiting for a Miracle"	Rev. Sinkford
Prayer		
Hymn	"Have I Not Known"	
Benediction		
Postlude	"Magnificat IV" Marcel Dupré	Joe O'Donnell, organ

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