This month's theme is STRONG FUTURE

## First Parish in Malden, Universalist

Mission Statement | Worship is what we do when we gather together, take risks for justice, embrace difference, and give back. Worship is what we do. This is what it looks like.



## **Children's Sunday** June 2, 2024

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Prelude	Allegro in A Major by W.F. Bach
<b>Opening Words</b>	
Lighting of the Chalice	Saplings Group
Greeting	We invite you to greet your neighbor. Take time to walk over to someone you haven't met.
Saplings Group Share Out	
Hymn	#1064 Blue Boat Home
Branches Group Share Out	
Land Acknowledgement	FPM is on the native land of the Massachuset, Naumkeag, Pawtucket, and Pennacook people.
Our Covenant	We, the members of the First Parish in Malden, covenant in friendship to create together a community of respect, equality, openness, trust, and compassion. We pledge ourselves to hospitality, understanding, spiritual growth, sharing, and participation.
Leaves Group Share Out	
Anthem	Count on Me by Bruno Mars
Time for All Ages	Thank You, Omu! By Oge Mora

Recognition of Teachers	
Graduation Ritual	
We Hold You in Our Love	
Offering and Thanksgiving	
<b>Offertory Music</b>	Indigo Bay by Jennifer Linn
Offertory Dedication	#1010 We Give Thanks
Joys, Concerns, and Milestones	
Pastoral Prayer	Rev. Otto Concannon
Sounding of the Bell and Time of Silence	
Hymn	#1021 Lean on Me
Extinguishing the Chalice	We extinguish this flame, but not the light of truth, The warmth of community, or the fire of commitment. These we carry in our hearts until we meet again.
Our Story	Cody Lazri
Benediction	Sara Krakauer
Postlude	Africa by Toto

**For all announcements, see the newsletter for more details!** To share an announcement, please email it to admin@fpmalden.org. To meet with Rev. Otto, go to www.calendly.com/revottooconnor.

**Pastoral Care Meeting today** from 12-1pm in the Library. The Pastoral Care team helps support members of our First Parish community. All are welcome.

All are invited to join the next meeting of **Rev. Otto's Book Club** after our Pride service on June 9th to discuss Hijab Butch Blues by Lamya H.

Our **Annual Cookout** will take place after the service on June 16th. We'll get out the grills for coffee hour and end the official church year with a fellowship focused picnic. Contact Aisha at <u>aisha.cruse@gmail.com</u>.

Our **First Parish Board Meeting**s are open to everyone! Join us for the next one from 7-9pm on 6/18. Get the Zoom access info in our newsletter.

Save the Date for **First Parish Trivia Night**! On 6/14 from 7-9p, teams will compete to answer triva about Malden, UUism, & FP history? Childcare and refreshments will be provided.

If any congregants **use the MBTA service The Ride** & have issues using it, Scott Allen invites them to reach out to him for support: <u>UUMalden.Ridehelp@outlook.com</u>.

**Malden for Palestine** invites anyone interested to join in calling for a ceasefire. You are invited to stand with them on the corner of Main St & Salem St (& Ferry St.) every Thursday from 5 - 6 PM.

## **Religious Education**

- June 9th: Pride Sunday and Last RE Classes
- June 16th: Multi-gen Worship Flower Communion

- June 23rd: General Assembly Livestream at 1 pm (instead of the 10:30 am worship service)
- June 30th: Summer worship begins All-Ages Childcare will be provided but no other RE programming.

Want to follow along with the screeenshare or captions on your phone? Join the Zoom meeting: Meeting ID: 835 4572 8534; Passcode: 103625