

***This month's theme is
LOVE***

***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.



Samhain

October 27, 2024

*Sign up for our
weekly
newsletter*



*Give to the plate
electronically.*



*New here?
Fill out a
guest card.*



Prelude Gnosssienne No. 1 by Erik Satie

Hymn #402 From You I Receive

Opening Words

**Lighting of
the Chalice**

Greeting We invite you to greet your neighbor.
Take time to go over to someone you
haven't met.

Music #1001 Breaths

**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.*

Time for All Ages

**Children's
Recessional** Be Open by Debbi Nargi-Brown

Reading

Hymn Samhain Song by Lisa Thiel

Message

**Offering and
Thanksgiving** Side with Love

Offertory Music Farewell to Fiunary by Norman MacLeod

**Offertory
Dedication** #1010 We Give Thanks

**Joys, Concerns,
and Milestones**

Pastoral Prayer

**Sounding of the Bell
and Time of Silence**

Hymn #123 Spirit of Life

**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

Benediction

Postlude Opus 18/I, No. 2 by Hugo Distler

Join us for coffee hour in Durgin Hall after the service.



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/revottoconnor.

Meditation Group Wednesdays 7-8:30pm. Beginners & longer term meditators warmly welcomed.

Join the Stewardship Team! If you're interested in the spiritual and financial longevity of FPM, email Aisha Cruse.

October's Book Discussion will cover **The Perks of Being a Wallflower**. The meeting will take place today at 12pm in the library.

Meet Rev. Otto and others for coffee and conversation (on the minister) between 4pm and 6pm at **Tous Les Jour on October 28th**. Show up anytime, leave anytime. All are welcome.

The **Jewitch Pacifist group** intertwines Jewish spiritual traditions with witchcraft practices, while advocating for non-violence and peaceful coexistence. Meet in the library at noon on November 10th.

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 (RE) Announcements:

- Reminder to make sure your children are registered for RE at <https://tinyurl.com/fpmalden24REReg>.
- After worship, please pick them up at RE to bring them to coffee hour
- Don't forget to sign up for a Sanctuary cleaning shift (or two) on the bulletin board as you exit the sanctuary.
- Coming up:
 - Nov. 3 - RE Classes (Saplings with Beca, Leaves with guest teacher Kate), OWL
 - Nov. 10 - All Ages Chapel with DRE Sara
 - Nov. 17 - Religious Education Classes (Saplings with Beca), OWL

Coming up in Music:

- Choir & Band Retreat Sunday November 17, after service from 12:30-2:30pm in the sanctuary. Childcare and lunch provided.
- Thurs Choir Rehearsals (7-8pm): Oct 24
- Sun Performances (rehearse 9:15-9:45am): Nov 3 & Nov 10

Want to follow along with the screenshare or captions on your phone? Join the Zoom meeting: Meeting ID: 850 5726 8114; Passcode: 121577

