Mission Statement: We welcome all to our inclusive spiritual community. We affirm our Unitarian Universalist Principles and put them into action by worshipping together, caring for one another, and working for a safe, just, and sustainable world.

First Parish in Cohasset Unitarian Universalist

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Minister: Rev. Dan Harper
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Rev. Dan Harper's Office Hours:

Mondays, Tuesdays, and Wednesdays from 9:30a-5:00p. Please contact the Parish Office or Dan to schedule an appointment.

March 2024 / Care Circle Coordinator
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Thank You:

Guest Pianist:Amara MulderWorship Associate:Eric KluzCoffee Hour:Dupont Family

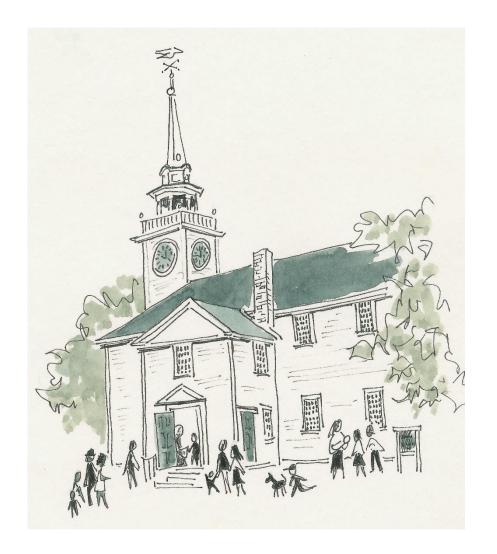
Usher(s): Bev Burgess and Diana Kornet
Flowers: Given by Bev Burgess in memory of
her parents, Winston and Jean Burgess.







If you would like to give to this morning's offering online, please <u>use</u> the first <u>QR code above</u>. In the <u>comments</u> field, **please write "Sunday offering."**Scan the other two codes to follow us on FaceBook and Instagram!



March 17th, 2024

Order of Service "Never Turning Back: Uplifting Trans and Nonbinary Lives in 2024" Guest Minister: UU Intern, McKayla Hoffman

Welcome Eric Kluz

Prelude Selection by Amara Mulder

Opening Words: #418, read by Eric Kluz

Hymn: #1007, "There's a River Flowin' in My Soul"

Chalice Lighting Words: "Living with Pride," Lori Gorgas Hlaban

Read by McKayla Hoffman

Moment for All Ages - "I Am Jazz," Jazz Jennings

Read by McKayla Hoffman

Hymn: # #118, "This Little Light of Mine"

Candles of Joy, Sorrow, and Concern - McKayla Hoffman

Prayer and Meditation – McKayla Hoffman

Hymn in response: #391, "Voice Still and Small"

Reading "Our Precarious Joy," Alok Vaid Menon Read by Eric Kluz

Sermon: "Never Turning Back" – McKayla Hoffman

Offering: Selection by Amara Mulder

Our "Share the Plate" for March and April will be directed to the Unitarian Universalist Urban Ministry (UUUM) earmarked for the Roxbury Youth Programs, RYP. The RYP provides after school programming for tutoring, homework help, daily workshops, hot meals, van rides, and internship programs for youth artists who learn skills in leadership, self-efficacy and creativity through the lens of community history and social change.

Closing Hymn: #1053, "How Could Anyone"

Unison Closing Words:

Go out into the world in peace,
Be of good courage,
Hold fast to what is good,
Return to no one evil for evil.
Strengthen the fainthearted
Help the suffering;
Be patient with all,
Love all living beings.

Postlude: Selection by Amara Mulder

Next Week's Service: "Palm Sunday and the Roman Empire"

Join us after today's service for **coffee hour** across the street at the Parish House. All are welcome and encouraged to attend!