

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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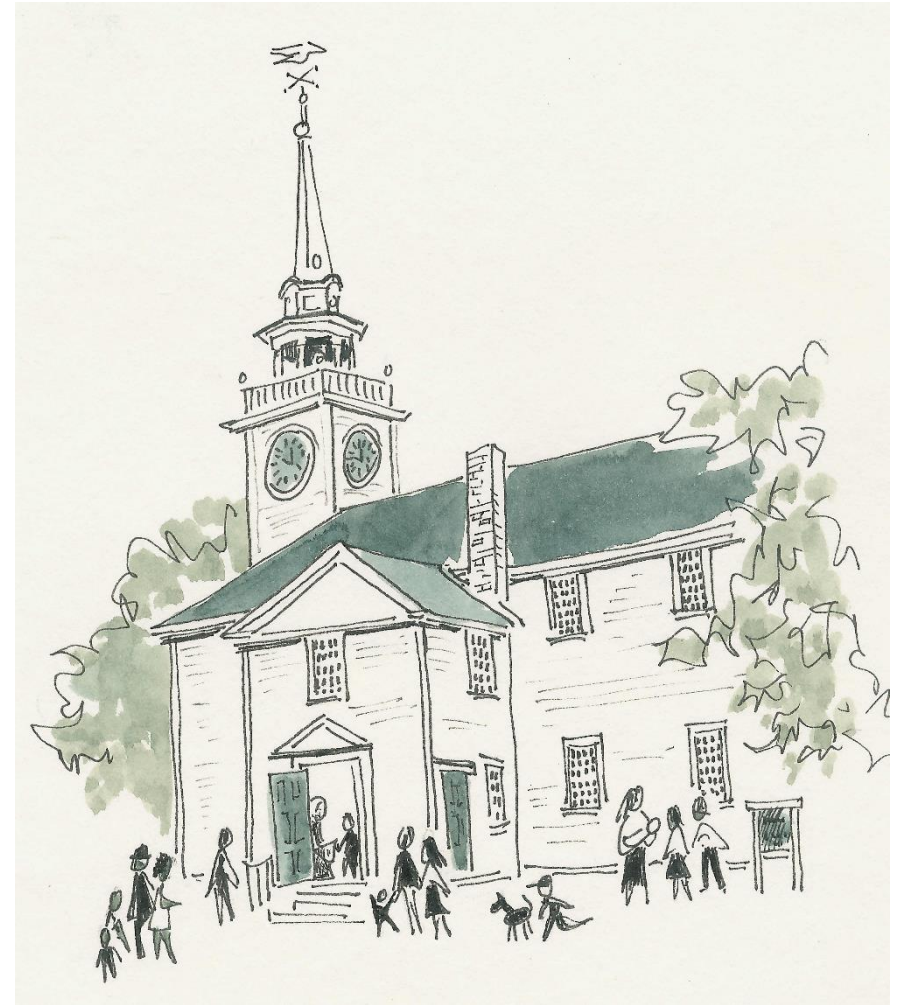
Minister: Rev. Dan Harper
Director of Religious Education: Dr. Kate Sullivan
Music Director: Mary Beth Courtright

Parish Committee:
Tara Volungis, Chair; Bev Burgess, Vice Chair;
Pete Parker, Treasurer; Susan George, Clerk;
At-Large Members:
Ngoc DuPont, and Micah Mulder

Rev. Dan Harper's Office Hours:
Mondays, Tuesdays, and Wednesdays from 9:30a-3:00p.
Please contact the Parish Office or Dan to schedule an appointment.

January 2026 / Care Circle Coordinator
Anne Sexton / (339) 236-0002 / annewsexton1@gmail.com

Worship Associate:	Thank You:
Coffee Hour:	Jeanette Paul
Usher(s):	The Dupont Family
Flowers:	Beverley Burgess
	Given by Nancy Robertson in memory of cherished First Parish members, Jane Ellis and Chartis Tebbetts.



January 11th, 2026

If you would like to give to this morning's offering online, please use the first QR code above. In the comments field, **please write "Sunday offering."**
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Order of Service
Rev. Danielle DiBona

"There are two types of Christians: those who imitate Jesus and those who are content just to admire him"
~ Soren Kierkegaard

Welcome Jeanette Paul, Worship Associate

Prelude: "This Is the Day" Les Garrett, arr. Fred Bock

Opening Words: by Jim Palmer

Opening Hymn: #1000, "Morning Has Come"

Unison Chalice Lighting Words:

If you can be anything -- be kind
If you can do anything -- love
If you can experience anything -- experience joy
If you can share anything -- share kindness
If you can have anything -- have compassion
If you can spread anything -- spread hope
If you can encourage anything -- encourage mercy
If you can extend anything -- extend grace"
by Rev. Dr. Mark Sandlin

Moment for All Ages: Rev. Danielle

Hymn: #276, "O Young and Fearless Prophet"

Candles of Joy, Sorrow, and Concern -

Prayer and Meditation -

Hymn in response: #1002, "Comfort Me"

Reading: "Was Jesus a Liberal?" by Matt Laney
Read by Jeanette Paul

Choir Anthem: "Green"
Words: Peter Mayer; Music: Trad. French Carol

Sermon: "O Jesus!" Rev. Danielle DiBona

Offering: "Give Me Jesus" Trad. Spiritual, arr. Mark Hayes

Our "**share the plate**" for **January and February** is designated to **Hearth**. Hearth is a non-profit corporation whose mission is to end homelessness among the elderly through housing, outreach, prevention, and advocacy. Adults aged 50 and older are the fastest growing segment of the homeless population, with the number expected to triple nationwide by 2030. Nearly 25% of Boston's homeless population is aged 55 or older. All housing operated by Hearth provides a creative array of supportive services that assist residents to age with dignity, regardless of their special medical, mental health, or social needs.

Closing Hymn: #1018, "Come and Go with Me"

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: "Two Travelers" Brad Jacobsen

Next Week's Service: "A Secular Saint"

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