

**Welcome Guests!** We're glad you're here. You can learn more about us via the brochure in the back of the seat in front of you, or at [www.firstparishyork.net](http://www.firstparishyork.net).

**Hearing Assistance:** Devices are available. Please ask a greeter to provide one.

**Restrooms:** Restrooms are located on the lower level of this building, which is accessed by stairs in the foyer. Wheelchair accessible restrooms can be found across the drive in Fellowship Hall. For access during the worship service, please see a Deacon.

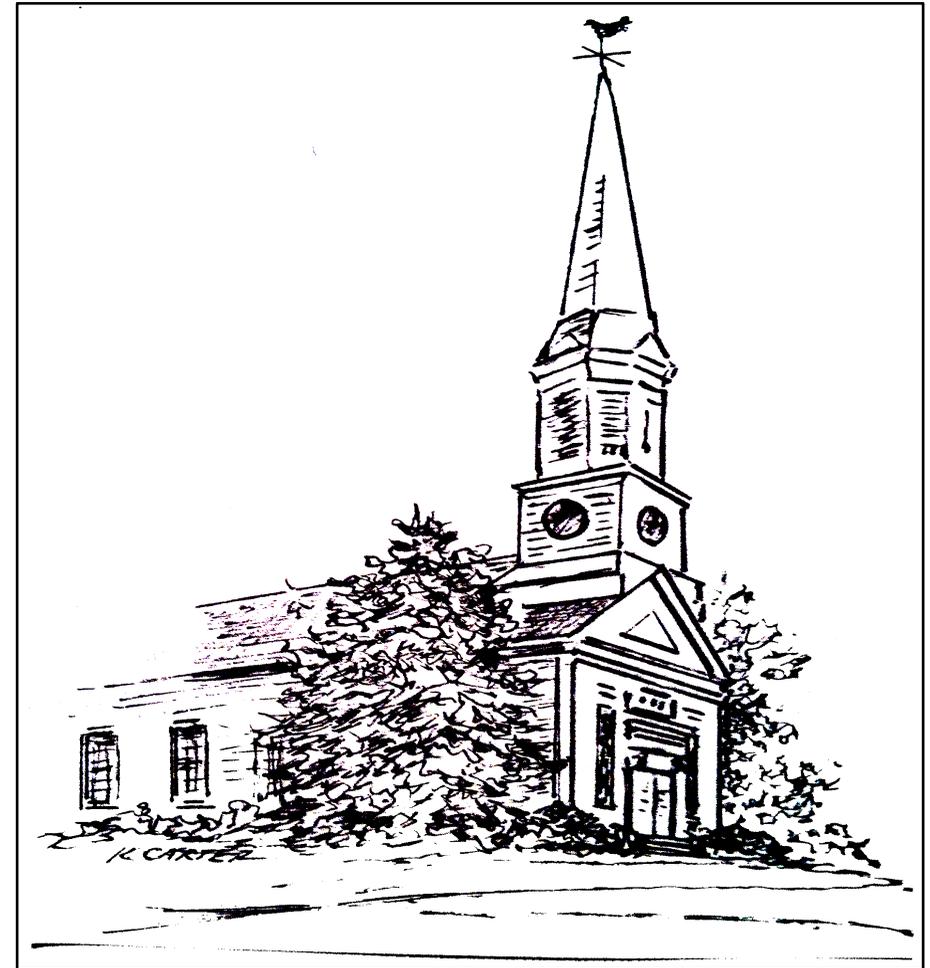
**Nursery Care:** *Our downstairs nursery is not currently staffed*, but you are welcome to accompany your child to the nursery at any point during the worship and spend time there as a family if you feel that you need to.

**Video and Streaming:** We stream our worship services live and archive them on [www.youtube.com](http://www.youtube.com). If for privacy reasons you do not wish to have you or your children's faces appear on video, you can sit in pews that are marked on the ends with blue tape. Feel free to ask a deacon to show you what those markings look like.

**Photos:** We regularly take photos for use in media. If you would prefer you or your child's image not be used, please inform a pastor after worship.

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**Pastoral Care:** If you'd like to meet with a pastor, please call the office at (207) 363-3758, or send an email to [eric@firstparishyork.net](mailto:eric@firstparishyork.net) or [dan@firstparishyork.net](mailto:dan@firstparishyork.net). The pastors are also available to make hospital visits, and we ask that you let us know if you or a family member would like a visit. Due to hospital confidentiality regulations, the hospital will not inform us unless you explicitly ask them to do so.



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**SUNDAY, JUNE 19, 2022 ~ 9:30AM WORSHIP**  
**FATHER'S DAY/MUSIC SUNDAY**

*\*Indicates a time when you are invited to stand if you choose.*

**CHORAL PRELUDE**

“BOUND FOR JUBILEE” Joyce Eilers  
“DIDN'T MY LORD DELIVER DANIEL” Arr., Greg Gilpin  
“OMNIA VINCIT AMOR” Michael John Trotta

(translation of Latin text)

*Love conquers all, therefore let us surrender to love.*

**Sweet Spirit and Men's Ensemble**

**CALL TO WORSHIP**

Pastor Dan Hollis

**CHIMES FOR PRAYER AND MEDITATION**

*(Candles will be lit as a sign of Christ's light in the world.)*

“A SIMPLE CELEBRATION” Kevin McChesney

**First Parish Handbell Choir**

**GATHERING PRAYER** *(together)*

**Ever-present God, through the music of Creation or the blessed oasis of silence, move in our lives. Sustain us on our journeys to unknown territory, help us to listen for your voice, and give us strength to speak your prophetic words. Empowered by your Spirit, grant us the courage we need to walk the difficult paths our lives take us through. Protect us from those who would make us their enemy, and hold us up when we are at our weakest; in Jesus' name, this we pray...**

**LORD'S PRAYER** *(together)*

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth, as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil: for thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.**

**\*OPENING HYMN** “WHEN IN OUR MUSIC GOD IS GLORIFIED!” *(verses 1, 2 and 5 only)* No. 7

**RECOGNITION OF OUR MUSIC MINISTRY**

**ANTHEM** "A FAMILY OF LOVE" Words and Music: Mary McDonald  
*Thank you, God, for family, for those we call our own,  
for giving to each other a place to call our home.  
For sisters and for brothers, for loved one all alone,  
We thank you, God, for family, our family of love.  
Thank you, God, for children you are trusting us to raise,  
and for the ones who raised us, we give to you the praise.  
Each one, part of you, Father, extensions from above.  
We thank you, God, for family, our family of love.*

**First Parish Sanctuary Choir**

**Gail Berneike, Meredyth Goss, Diana Parton, handbells**

**PASTORAL PRAYER AND PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE**

**SCRIPTURE** 1 Kings 19:1-14 O.T. 302 Phyllis Giordano

**SERMON** Pastor Dan Hollis

**OFFERING OUR GIFTS** "AND THE FATHER WILL DANCE" Mark Hayes

*And the Father will dance over you in joy!*

*He will take delight in whom he loves!*

*Is that a choir I hear singing the praises of God?*

*No, the Lord God himself is exulting o'er you in song!*

*Awake, my soul and sing! Let my spirit rejoice in God!*

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*(Please sign and pass the maroon fellowship pads on the center aisle of each pew, look at the names as they are passed back and forth and greet one another after the service.)*

**\*DOXOLOGY AND PRAYER OF COMMITMENT** *(together)* No. 34

**\*CLOSING HYMN** “SPIRIT, SPIRIT OF GENTLENESS” *(verses 1 and 3 only)* No. 326

**CLOSING BLESSING AND THREEFOLD AMEN** Terrie Ilaria

**POSTLUDE** “LET THERE BE PEACE ON EARTH” Arr. Mark Hayes

*Flowers are given in loving memory of Kenneth and Nancy Leigh by Richard Leigh, Nancy, Bradford, Barbara, Kenneth, grandchildren and great grandchildren.*

*Flowers are given in loving memory of our parents  
by Joy and Ric Carl.*



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Thank you for considering this fun and important ministry. To discuss interest or any of these ideas further, please contact Jess Scapicchio ([jess\\_scapicchio@yahoo.com](mailto:jess_scapicchio@yahoo.com)) or Pastor Dan ([dan@firstparishyork.net](mailto:dan@firstparishyork.net))

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