

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.

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.

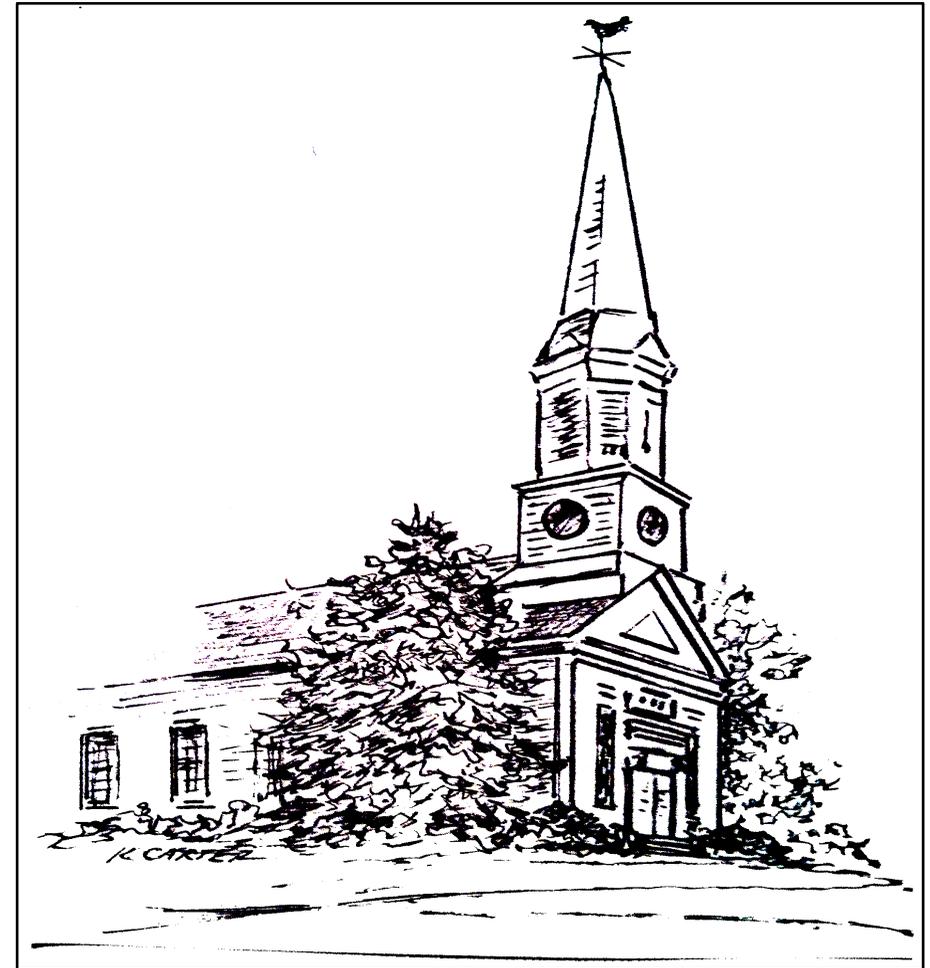
Nursery Care: *Our downstairs nursery is not currently staffed*, but you are welcome to accompany your child to the nursery at any point during the worship and spend time there as a family if you feel that you need to.

Video and Streaming: We stream our worship services live and archive them on www.youtube.com. 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.

Sunday School: We will be taking the summer off. During summer worship there will be nursery space available if your family has need of it, but as always children of all ages are welcome in worship with us, and baby noises are a source of joy for us all. Sunday School will return in September.

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 or 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.



First Parish Church
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SUNDAY, JULY 24, 2022 ~ 9:30AM WORSHIP

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

PRELUDE Trumpet Allemande Anthony Holborne (c. 1545-1602)
Meditation Jacob Arcadelt (c. 1505-1560)

CALL TO WORSHIP Pastor Eric Dupee

CHIMES FOR PRAYER AND MEDITATION

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

GATHERING PRAYER *(together)*

God, our Holy Parent, there are moments we feel as though we are separated from you. There are times we choose our own agendas over you. As we gather to worship today, remind us that despite our wandering souls, you are still “home” to us. Thank you, nurturing God, for welcoming us into this space today. Hear us, as we pray as Christ taught...

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** “MAJESTY” No. 43

MESSAGE FOR ALL AGES

SOLO "YOU'LL NEVER WALK ALONE" Rodgers and Hammerstein
*When you walk through a storm, hold your head up high,
and don't be afraid of the dark.
At the end of the storm is a golden sky
and the sweet, silver song of a lark.
Walk on through the wind, walk on through the rain,
though your dreams be tossed and blown.
Walk on with hope in your heart,
and you'll never walk alone.*
Melissa O'Keefe, soloist
Terrie Ilaria, accompanist

PASTORAL PRAYER AND PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

SCRIPTURE Luke 11:1-13 N.T. 62 Linda Drew

SERMON “Teach Us to Pray” Pastor Eric Dupee

OFFERING OUR GIFTS Adagio (from *Organ Sonata No. 1*)
Felix Mendelssohn (1809-1847)

(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** “EVERY TIME I FEEL THE SPIRIT” No. 481

CLOSING BLESSING AND THREEFOLD AMEN

POSTLUDE Trumpet Tune in D
Henry Purcell (1659-1695)

Flowers are given in remembrance of the Monks and LeBlanc families.



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Coffee Hour: The Java Mamas and Papas have two requests
 1. We need people to sign up to bring goodies to share during our fellowship time. These can be store bought or homemade.
 The sign up poster is available each Sunday near the coffee table.
 2. We could really use another few people on our committee. Training is available. Your responsibilities would include making the coffee before church and then serving the coffee during Fellowship Time.
 The commitment would be about one Sunday a month.
 Please contact Linda Hart with your questions. 363-4493

First Parish August Newsletter: We will be producing an August newsletter. This is a good opportunity to let the community know what your board or committee has been doing or to get the word out about important events and activities coming up in August or September. We hope to have all the submissions by tomorrow, July 25th, so you still have time to submit something.

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Tuesday, July 26th

8:30am Yoga

Wednesday, July 27th

8am Strength Training

9:30am Wednesday Bible Study-Zoom

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8am Aerobics

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