



**First Parish in Malden, Universalist  
2 Elm Street, Malden, Massachusetts 02148**

*Gathered in 1648*

*David M. Horst, Minister*

*Pat Paar, President, Parish Board*

*Mariko Matsumura, Director of Music*

*Wayne MacKay, Facilities Manager*

**Telephone: 781-322-0474 Website: [MaldenUUA.org](http://MaldenUUA.org)**

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**First Parish Unitarian Universalist in  
Saugus**

**P.O. Box 1168, Saugus, Massachusetts 01906**

*Gathered in 1737*

*Jackie Clement, Minister*

*Janet Venti and Pete Furtado, Co-Moderators*

**Telephone: 781-231-2882 Website: [UUSaugus.org](http://UUSaugus.org)**

The First Parish in Malden and Saugus, a Unitarian Universalist congregation located in Malden, serves the liberal religious community of Malden, Everett, Saugus, and neighboring cities. The church is located at Elm and Pleasant Streets (Route 60), a few blocks west of the Malden Center T station. Convenient, free parking is available in the lot between the church and the Beebe Elementary School. Enter from Elm Street westbound. Sunday morning worship begins at 10:30. Childcare for infants and toddlers is provided from 9 a.m. – 1 p.m. at no charge. Children join everyone for the opening of worship at 10:30 a.m. then depart for religious education and a snack. Coffee and conversation follow the service in the Fellowship Hall at 11:30; you're welcome to bring brunch food to share. A Parent Room, adjacent to the sanctuary, is now open for nursing, feeding, and changing diapers. *If a Sunday morning worship service or weekday program is canceled due to a winter storm, it will be announced on WBZ-AM 1030 at :05 and :35 past the hour or online at [WBZ.com](http://WBZ.com) (click on School Closings). Or call the church at 781-322-0474 to hear a pre-recorded message.*

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## ***First Parish in Malden, Universalist***

*Uniting in worship with First Parish in Saugus*

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### **September 7, 2008 ~ Order of Worship**

*Worship Leaders* ~ Michael Glenn, Karen Lynch, Liz Ammons,

Heather Gomez, Hank Driscoll, Steve Schmidt, Bill Barbeau

*Minister, First Parish in Malden* ~ David M. Horst

*Minister, First Parish in Saugus* ~ Jackie Clement

*President, Parish Board, Malden* ~ Pat Paar

*Co-Moderators, Saugus* ~ Janet Venti and Pete Furtado

*Director of Music and Soprano Soloist* ~ Mariko Matsumura

*Organist and Pianist* ~ Janna Bruene

*Ushers* ~ Susan Burke and Angel Savini

*\* Please stand as you are able*

10:20 a.m. *The first bell is rung*

A time to greet one another and prepare for worship

Prelude *Foundation and Land of Rest* Janna Bruene  
Wilbur Held

10:30 a.m. *The second bell is rung*

Call to Worship Karen Lynch and Liz Ammons

\*Hymn #151 *I Wish I Knew How* All

\*Lighting of the Chalice Heather Gomez

\*Musical Refrain All

Words based on Isaac Watts, Tune: Old Hundredth, Genevan Psalter, 1551

From all that dwell below the skies,

Let faith and hope and love arise.

Let beauty, truth and good be sung,

Through every land, by every tongue.

Our Story Karen Lynch

News and commentary on the lives of our congregations

Time for All Ages Boo Hill

Children's Blessing All

Go now in peace, go now in peace.

May the love of God surround you

Everywhere, everywhere, you may go.

*Children and youth may depart for childcare and religious education*

Responsive Reading #609 *To Serve the People* Hank Driscoll  
Congregation

Anthem *Blue Boat Home* Mariko Matsumura  
text by Peter Meyer, music by Roland Hugh Prichard Ms. Bruene

Reading: Myths about Immigration Liz Ammons

Responsive Reading #588 *To Loose the Fetters* Liz Ammons

\*Hymn #170 *We Are a Gentle, Angry People* All

Sermon

"The Spiritual Basis for our Immigration Work" Steve Schmidt

"Testimony" Delia Durán-Clark

"Taking up Immigration as an Issue" Michael Glenn

Offering and Thanksgiving Karen Lynch

Offertory Music *Waltz Op. 69 No. 1* Ms. Bruene  
Frederic Chopin

\*Offertory Dedication #1010 All

Oh, we give thanks for this precious day.

For all gathered here and those far away,

for this time we share, with love and care.

Oh, we give thanks for this precious day.

Prayers of the Day

Prayer Bill Barbeau

Joys, Concerns, and Milestones Congregation

A Time of Silence  
Sounding of the Bell  
From the Metta Sutra

Hank Driscoll and All

May all beings be at ease  
Whatever livings beings there may be  
Whether weak or strong, omitting none  
The great or the mighty, medium, short or small,  
The seen and the unseen, those living near and far away,  
Those born and to-be-born, may all beings be at ease!  
Let none deceive another, or despise any being in any state.  
Let none through anger or ill will wish harm upon another.  
Even as a mother protects her child, her only child,  
So with a boundless heart should one cherish all living beings,  
Radiating kindness over the entire world.

Musical Meditation

Ms. Bruene

\*Affirmation *Love is the Doctrine* Heather Gomez and All

Love is the doctrine of this church,  
The quest of truth its sacrament, and service is its prayer.  
To dwell together in peace, to seek knowledge in freedom,  
To serve humanity in fellowship, to the end that all souls shall  
grow into harmony with the divine—  
Thus do we covenant with each other and with God.

\*Hymn #121 *We'll Build a Land* All

\*Benediction and Extinguishing of the Chalice Michael Glenn

Postlude *Trumpet Voluntary* Ms. Bruene  
John Travers

**The flowers this morning  
are placed in loving memory and honor  
of Ernest Guarino  
placed by his sister-in-law, Betty McAvoy**