



"St. Sebastian" Climate Justice Art Exhibit

Sundays in October at Seattle First United Methodist

Throughout October, First Church is grateful to display Arlington-based artist Joseph Gregory Rossano's sculpture "St. Sebastian". His sculpture is part of his exhibit, "Portraits of the Divine", which depicts a menagerie of endangered and extinct animals as encounters with the divine

St. Sebastian and Rossano's "Portraits" exhibit will be installed at the Smithsonian in Washington DC in 2025.

- ✦ *The exhibit is free and open to the public for viewing on Sundays in October after worship until 2pm or by appointment.*
- ✦ *Parking is available in our garage for attendees on Sundays until 3pm.*
- ✦ *Find us at 2nd & Denny, next to the Pacific Science Center. Enter from the North Sanctuary entrance*



Special Guests on Sunday, October 13th

**10:30 AM: Blessing of the Animals
Worship Service**



**With Guest Speaker
Joseph Gregory Rossano
(Artist- St. Sebastian
Sculpture)**

- ✦ *Join us for a Blessing of the Animals Service offered by our Climate Justice Work Group, during which the artist will share reflections on his work.*
- ✦ *Bring your pets (on leash or secure carriers) or bring a picture of your pet to receive a blessing.*

**12:15 PM: Recital
Hispanic Heritage Month**



**With Guest Musician
Elizabeth Galafa Ylaya
(featuring classical
Spanish art songs, Puerto
Rican folks songs, and
popular zarzuela favorites)**

- ✦ *Join us after worship for a lively program of Latin American Music. (Free will donation to support our music program)*
- ✦ *Enjoy snacks and coffee between worship and the recital.*
- ✦ *After worship service care for (socialized) pets will be available during the recital.*