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**Equality is about equal rights for all citizens before the law.**  
The principle of equality between women and men underpins all European policies and is **the basis for European integration.**  
It applies in all areas.

*European Commission*



# January

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**Engage with your own prejudices.** Learn how to **stand up** and **say things** that won't make you popular and be an ally to other people. **Empathy is important.**

*Fiona Bartels-Ellis  
2018*



# Feburary

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I want Europe to be at the side of women with **protection** and **support**. **The time for justice and equality is now.**

*Ursula von der Leyen*  
2022



# March

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**We are all citizens of one world, we are all of one blood.**

To hate people because they were born in another country, because they speak a different language, or because they take a different view on this subject or that, is a great folly.

*John Amos Comenius*  
1592-1670



# April

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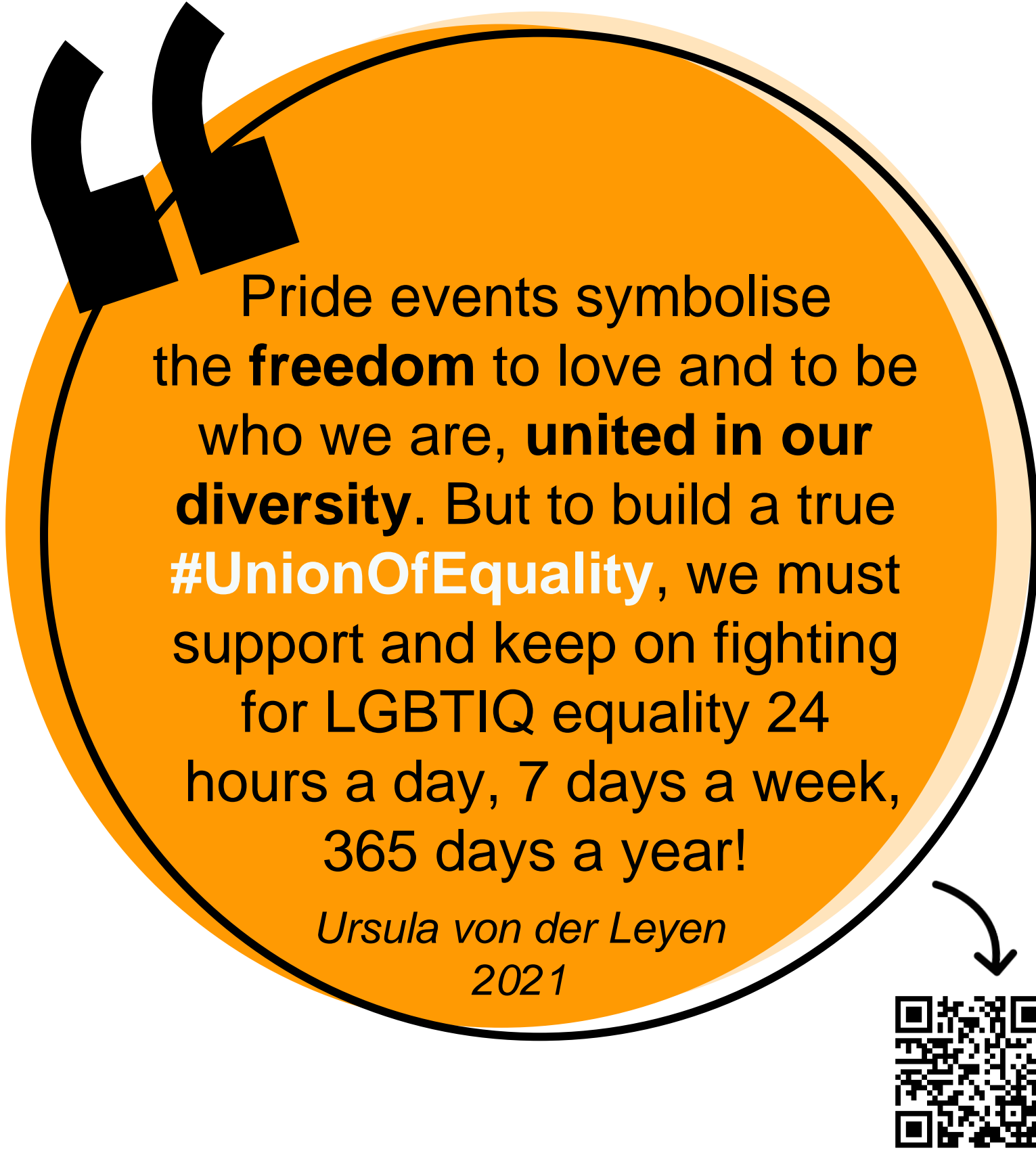
For the European Union to become a true **Union of Equality** we need to ensure that all people are treated **equally**, socially **included** and able to **participate** in social and political life without exception.

*Helena Dalli*  
2020  
[adapted]



# May

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Pride events symbolise the **freedom** to love and to be who we are, **united in our diversity**. But to build a true **#UnionOfEquality**, we must support and keep on fighting for LGBTIQ equality 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, 365 days a year!

*Ursula von der Leyen  
2021*



# June

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Europe itself is an  
embodiment of this diversity.

There is no place for racial  
discrimination and racism of any  
kind in democratic societies. We  
must all strive for our societies to  
be **inclusive** and **tolerant**.

*Ulrich Beck  
Helena Dalli  
2020 [adapted]*



# July

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When **employees** are valued  
for who they are, they are  
**committed** to their job and fully  
employ their **talents** and  
**creativity**.

*Helena Dalli*  
2022



# August

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**Cultural heritage brings us together.** It helps strengthen social cohesion, foster tolerance and mutual understanding. The **cultural and linguistic diversity** of Europe, and the **languages spoken** are an essential part of its cultural heritage.

*Mariya Gabriel*  
2022  
[adapted]



# September

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## Diversity

is a value and belief that each of us as a person has unique gifts and skills and are able to **build and change the world.** Each of us is a very important part of the world's puzzle.

*Jana Skalková*  
2018  
[adapted]



# October

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To be successful in a global society we must meet the need for **diversity**. Innovation is created by bringing together diverse people, with each **actively participating**.

Věra Jourová  
2018  
*[adapted]*



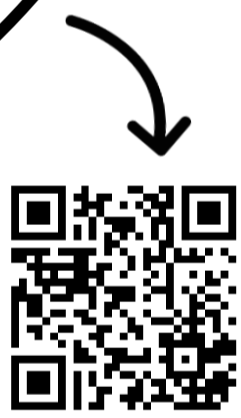
# November

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I strongly believe **diversity** is a journey, even if it's a long one. It's **crucial for a modern Europe.**

*Jana Skalková*  
2018



# December

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