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*Saying hello to the Zoomers, thanks
to Patrick Cooleybeck!
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Dear Ones,

We did it! Our inaugural gathering as a hybrid spiritual community was a resounding success!

So many thanks to everyone who made it possible, with a special shout-out to Queen Cheryl and her Great Doors team and, as always, to Art Nava, Rich Abreu, Kem Morehead, and our incomparable Tech Team! So much love to the Zoomers who were thrilled for those who could make it in person. So much gratitude to those who made it in person for keeping us connected with the Zoomers! We'll keep doing this as long as the COVID positivity rate in Boston doesn't soar or it's too cold for our technology (and us!) in the "well-ventilated" sanctuary.

A reminder to [pre-register for the in-person Sunday service](#) (if you've done it once, you're now in the ASC Pre-Check line), or bring your vax card (along with a smartphone or tablet and headphones) to church.

This Sunday, Director of Music Mark David Buckles opens the service playing his own *Improvisation* on the piano. Soprano Hannah Shanefield sings *I'll Be Seeing You*. Mark David (guitar) and Julie Metcalf (viola and violin) lead us in *Seek Not Afar for Beauty*; *Simple Faith*; *Big Love*, *Small Moments*; and a mash-up of *Meditation on Breathing* and *People Get Ready*. With texts attributed to Mother Teresa and Anne Lamott, we'll hear Julie and AnnaLotte Smith (piano) accompany Olusegun Soyemi (counter tenor), Andrew Stack (bass), and Hannah singing

We cannot do great things,
Only small things, with great love.
We are not here to see through one another;
We are here to see one another through.

James Foleno is our worship coordinator. My sermon is called *Faith in Small Things*. Mark David closes the service playing his own “Fantasy” on *Seek Not Afar for Beauty*.

Our Climate Crisis team invites everyone to please register for *Work That Reconnects: A Spiritual Response to the Climate Crisis*. You can learn more on the homepage at ASCBoston.org.

And it’s time for Pie in the Sky! Each November, the top chefs in Boston bake and donate 25,000 pies. For each apple, pecan, or pumpkin pie sold, a week’s worth of meals is provided to a Community Servings client who is homebound with a critical illness. Thank you to Arlington Street’s Thanksgiving pie sellers, Lisa Drapkin & Debbie Lewis! [Here’s the link.](#)

*Faithfully yours, with love,
Kim*

Thanks to Prudential Committee (our governing board) member Julia Simon for sharing this really interesting and helpful [risk-assessment resourc](#)



*Queen Cheryl recruiting new members to the Zoom room!
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For more photos of our First Inaugural Hybrid Service, please visit Arlington Street Church on Facebook! *Thank you, Hala!*