

Arlington Street Church, Unitarian Universalist

Boston, Massachusetts

SUNDAY, JANUARY 15TH, 2017

You are invited to share your sorrows and joys with the congregation by filling out a Candle Card in the back pew on the right-hand side of the sanctuary. Candle Cards are collected until the end of greetings.

PRELUDE

Martin Luther King *Robert T. Davis*

Someday We'll All Be Free *Donny Hathaway (1945 - 1979)*

Glory

Lonnie Lynn (b. 1972), Che Smith (b. 1977), and John Stephens (b. 1978)

Linli Wang, piano

WELCOME AND CHALICE LIGHTING

The flaming chalice is the symbol of our free faith

INTROIT

The Second Principle *Mark David Buckles (b. 1980)*

Julie Gregorio, soprano

We believe in justice, equity, and compassion in all relations. Amen.

GREETINGS

*HYMN 119

Once to Every Soul and Nation

To the tune of Hymn 190 Light of Ages and of Nations

STORY IN THE SANCTUARY

Broken HeARTS *Laura Evonne Steinman*

CHILDREN'S BLESSING

Longtime Sun *Mike Heron (b. 1942)*

from *A Very Cellular Song* arranged: *Mark David Buckles (b. 1980)*



May the long - time_ sun shine up - on_ you,



All_____ love sur - round you, And the pure_____



light with - in_ you guide_____ your way



on, guide_____ your way on.

At this time, all children are welcome to join the Children's Religious Education program!

COMMUNITY CANDLES OF SORROW & JOY

Sanctuary *John W. Thompson and Randy Scruggs (b. 1953)*

text adapted: *Crawford Harvie/Buckles*

music arranged: *Mark David Buckles (b. 1980)*

Emily Jaworski, mezzo soprano

Open my heart to be a sanctuary
All made holy, loved and true
With thanksgiving, I'll be a living
Sanctuary for you

AFFIRMATION AND COVENANT

Love is the spirit
of this congregation,
And service is our gift.
This is our great covenant:
To dwell together in peace,
To speak our truths in love,
And to help one another.

El amor es el espíritu
de nuestra congregación
Y el servicio es nuestro regalo.
Esto es a lo que nos comprometemos:
Convivir en paz,
Hablar nuestras verdades con amor,
Y ayudarnos los unos a los otros.

*HYMN 199

Precious Lord, Take My Hand

SERMON

What Would Dr. King Do? Rev. Kim K. Crawford Harvie

SILENT REFLECTION, MEDITATION, AND PRAYER

ANTHEM

Up to the Mountain (MLK Song) *Patty Griffin (b. 1964)*
arranged: *Mac Huff (b. 1955)*

Emily Jaworski, mezzo soprano

OUR SHARED RESPONSIBILITY

During the offertory, you are invited to open your heart and engage in the spiritual practice of generosity. For 288 years, the abundant support of our community has allowed Arlington Street Church to remain a beacon for liberal religious values in downtown Boston. Your gifts in the Sunday plate sustain both the church and the larger community – half of the offering is shared



with a partner in our mission of love, service, justice, and peace. As a convenient option, you may text the word GIVE to 617-300-0509 or scan the QR code.

Thank you for your stewardship and support!

OFFERTORY

MLK *U2, arranged: Mark David Buckles (b. 1980)*

Julie Gregorio, soprano

Emily Jaworski, mezzo soprano

Mark David Buckles, baritone

PARISH HIGHLIGHTS

**You are invited to stand as you are willing and able.*

***HYMN 169**

We Shall Overcome

***BENEDICTION AND EXTINGUISHING THE CHALICE**

***RECESSIONAL** *(sung twice; please join in!)*

When You Walk From Here text: *Linnea Good*
music: *Tom Witt*, arranged: *Mark David Buckles*

*When you walk from here, When you walk from here,
Walk with justice, Walk with mercy, and with God's humble care.*

POSTLUDE

Lift Every Voice and Sing ... music: *John Rosamond Johnson* (1873 - 1954)
text: *James Weldon Johnson* (1871 - 1938)
arranged: *Craig Courtney* (b. 1948)

Linli Wang, piano

Today in Children's Religious Education (CRE)

If you have arrived with a baby or small child, welcome! There is a nursery/playroom with the service piped in for your listening pleasure. Go through the leather door to the right of the pulpit and cross through the chapel. The nursery is on your left before the stairs.

CRE Group	Pre-K (2- 5yrs)	Spirit Play (K-2nd grade)	UU Super Heroes (3rd-5th grade)	Coming of Age (COA) (6th-8th grade)	Youth Group (8th-12th grade)
Location	Hunnewell Chapel	Perkins Room	Carol Smith Room	Parish Hall	Sanctuary
Lesson	CRE groups begin with the sharing of sorrows and joys				
	The Snowy Day by Ezra Jack Keats	MLK and Banner Making	Woody O'Kane and the ASC Bells	Making Banners or Rev. Kim's sermon	Rev. Kim's sermon

After lunch at 1:00 pm, all are welcome to join Doc, Jaimie and CRE for a tour of ASC Bells!

January Share the Plate: Stop Hunger Now

Stop Hunger Now gets food and life-saving aid to the world's most vulnerable people and is working to end global hunger in our lifetime. Established in 1998, they have provided over 225 million meals in 74 countries. After worship on March 26th, we will create an all-ages assembly line in the Parish Hall to package rice, soy, dehydrated vegetables, and vitamins into an astonishing 20,000 meals!

In addition to literally putting our bodies on the line, our goal is to raise \$5,800 to put our money in the service of the vision of Stop Hunger Now by covering the cost of our meals at 29 cents each. We will be joined by friends from neighboring faith communities for this interfaith service extravaganza. Save the date! All are welcome!