

Arlington Street Church, *Unitarian Universalist*

Boston, Massachusetts

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 7TH, 2014

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

PRELUDE

Little Prelude and Fugue in G major *J.S. Bach* (1685-1750)
Hornpipe, from *Water Music* *George Frideric Handel* (1685-1759)
arranged by *Marc Boniteau*
Yevgenia Semeina-Maroyan, organ

CALL TO WORSHIP

***Hymn 1000**, Morning Has Come

WELCOME AND CHALICE LIGHTING

The flaming chalice is the symbol of our free faith

GREETINGS

RAINSTORM

In memory of Rev. Eugene B. Navias, Associate Minister Emeritus
Laura Evonne Steinman and Children's Religious Education (CRE)

WATER COMMUNION

..... *Chris Alburger*, Intern Minister
First Arabesque *Claude Debussy* (1862-1918)
Yevgenia Semeina-Maroyan, piano

*HYMN 126

Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing arr. *Buckles*
Verses 2 & 3 *Rev. Eugene B. Navias* (1928-2014)

COMMUNITY CANDLES OF SORROW & JOY

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 beginning of the first hymn. After the service, Candle Cards are posted downstairs during coffee hour. You may also submit a candle by Saturday night at the church website, ASCBoston.org, by clicking on "Worship."

Some of us pray with words, some of us pray through action, and some of us use words other than prayer to describe our connection to the divine and to one another. As you feel called, please join us in singing the chorus of *Healing Prayer*.

Healing Prayer music: *Nick Page* (b. 1952)
text: *African American Spiritual "Balm in Gilead" and Nick Page*
Glorivy Arroyo, mezzo soprano; Julie Gregorio, soprano

Drone

Melody

We pray We

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.
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***HYMN 1064** *(in the teal hymnal)*

Blue Boat Home

SERMON Rev. Kim K. Crawford Harvie
Feeding the Good Wolf

SILENT REFLECTION, MEDITATION, AND PRAYER

ANTHEM

Coming Together *Jason Robert Brown* (b. 1970)

Julie Gregorio, soprano; Glorivy Arroyo, mezzo soprano

James Dornier, tenor; Justin Hicks, bass

OUR SHARED RESPONSIBILITY

Over 300 pledging members and friends support the work of Arlington Street Church with commitments averaging \$20 a week plus volunteer service. Whatever you give is greatly appreciated. Please consider a generous donation today! Contributions placed in an envelope will be credited toward your pledge or gift.

OFFERTORY

Beau Soir text: *Paul Bourget* (1852-1935)

music: *Claude Debussy* (1862-1918)

Julie Gregorio, soprano; Yevgenia Semeina-Maroyan, piano

PARISH HIGHLIGHTS

***SONG**

Swimming to the Other Side

Pat Humphries (b. 1960), arr. *Mark David Buckles* (b. 1980)

Mark David Buckles, guitar and vocals

We are living 'neath the great Big Dipper

We are washed by the very same rain

We are swimming in the stream together

Some in power and some in pain

We can worship this ground we walk on

Cherishing the beings that we live beside

Loving spirits will live forever

We're all swimming to the other side

***BENEDICTION AND EXTINGUISHING THE CHALICE**

Enough *David Whyte* (b. 1955)

***CHORAL BENEDICTION** *(sung twice; please join in!)*

When You Walk From Here text: *Linnea Good*
music: *Tom Witt, arr. Buckles*

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

POSTLUDE

Festival March *Humphrey J. Stark*
Yevgenia Semeina-Maroyan, organ

*Following this morning's service, Rev. Kim looks forward to
greeting you at the Great Doors. Mark David Buckles invites
those interested to join him in listening to the postlude.*

Today in Children's Religious Education (CRE)

Welcome back to CRE at Arlington Street! We are so happy to see you. Whether your children are returning to Arlington Street or here for the first time, please fill out a CRE registration form. CRE staff and volunteers will collect the forms after the service.

Today, children of all ages will remain in the sanctuary to participate in the annual water service.

After the service, you're invited to come to the Perkins Room for a CRE Open House! Come meet the staff and volunteers, visit the spaces where the groups will meet, and learn about our vibrant and growing CRE program.