

Arlington Street Church, Unitarian Universalist
Boston, Massachusetts

SUNDAY, JANUARY 10TH, 2016

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.

PRELUDE

Somewhere (There's a Place for Us)

One Hand, One Heart

from *Westside Story* Leonard Bernstein (1918 - 1990)

Nicholas Place, piano

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

Hymn 396 ~ I Know This Rose Will Open

arranged: Mark David Buckles (b. 1980)

WELCOME AND CHALICE LIGHTING

The flaming chalice is the symbol of our free faith.

GREETINGS

The Center for Ethical Living and Social Justice Renewal

Rev. Deanna Vandiver and Rev. Ruth Idakula

***HYMN 40**

The Morning Hangs a Signal

CHILDREN'S BLESSING

Children's Benediction text: *Barbara Pescan*
music: *Bart Bradfield*

Go in joy, — go in peace to meet the day! With
op - en hearts em - brace life's won - der. We will guide you,
we will love you on your way.

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	El amor es el espíritu
of this congregation,	de nuestra congregación
And service is our gift.	Y el servicio es nuestro regalo.
This is our great covenant:	Esto es a lo que nos comprometemos:
To dwell together in peace,	Convivir en paz,
To speak our truths in love,	Hablar nuestras verdades con amor,
And to help one another.	Y ayudarnos los unos a los otros.

*HYMN 1020

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SERMON

Facing Down Fear Rev. Kim K. Crawford Harvie

SILENT REFLECTION, MEDITATION, AND PRAYER

ANTHEM

Draw the Circle Wide text: *Rev. Gordon Light (b. 1944)*
music: *Mark A. Miller (b. 1967)*

Emily Jaworski, mezzo soprano

Draw the circle wide
No one stands alone
We'll stand side by side
Draw the circle wide

OUR SHARED RESPONSIBILITY

We share half of the morning's offering with a community partner in our mission of love, service, justice, and peace. Over 300 pledging members and friends also support the work of Arlington Street Church with commitments averaging \$20 a week plus volunteer service. Whatever you give is greatly appreciated. Thank you for your generosity!

OFFERTORY

On the Street Where You Live from *My Fair Lady*

text: *Alan Jay Lerner* (1819 - 1986)

Reese Millican, tenor

music: *Frederick Loewe* (1901 - 1988)

*Dedicated to our ten years of friendship with First Church New Orleans,
rebuilding together in the spirit of love and justice*

PARISH HIGHLIGHTS

*HYMN 1014

Standing on the Side of Love arranged: *Mark David Buckles*

*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

Something's Coming from *Westside Story*

Leonard Bernstein (1918 - 1990)

Nicholas Place, piano

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

Today in Children's Religious Education (CRE)

If you have arrived today with a baby or small child, there is a nursery/playroom with the service piped in for your pleasure. Go through the leather door to the right of the pulpit, the room will be on your left before the stairs.

- Pre-schoolers: Meet Taan and Allie in the Hunnewell Chapel to learn about important Black role models.
- Kindergarten-2nd graders: Spirit Play Group ~ Meet Nancy in the Perkins Room for a story about snail mail.
- 3rd-6th graders: UU Superheroes ~ Meet Carol and Erica in the Carol Smith Room to learn about Lucy Stone.
- 7th graders and up~ Friday Night Supper Painting ~ Meet with Laura Evonne in the Parish Hall.

If you are interested in volunteering with CRE or would like to learn more about our program, please email cre@ascboston.org.