

Arlington Street Church, *Unitarian Universalist*

Boston, Massachusetts

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 7TH, 2012

PRELUDE

Fantasia in G Major, BWV 572 *Johann Sebastian Bach* (1685-1750)
Gedymin Grubba, organ

INTROIT

Simple Song, from *Mass* *Leonard Bernstein* (1918-1990)
Jonathan Price, tenor; Molly Wood, piano

WELCOME

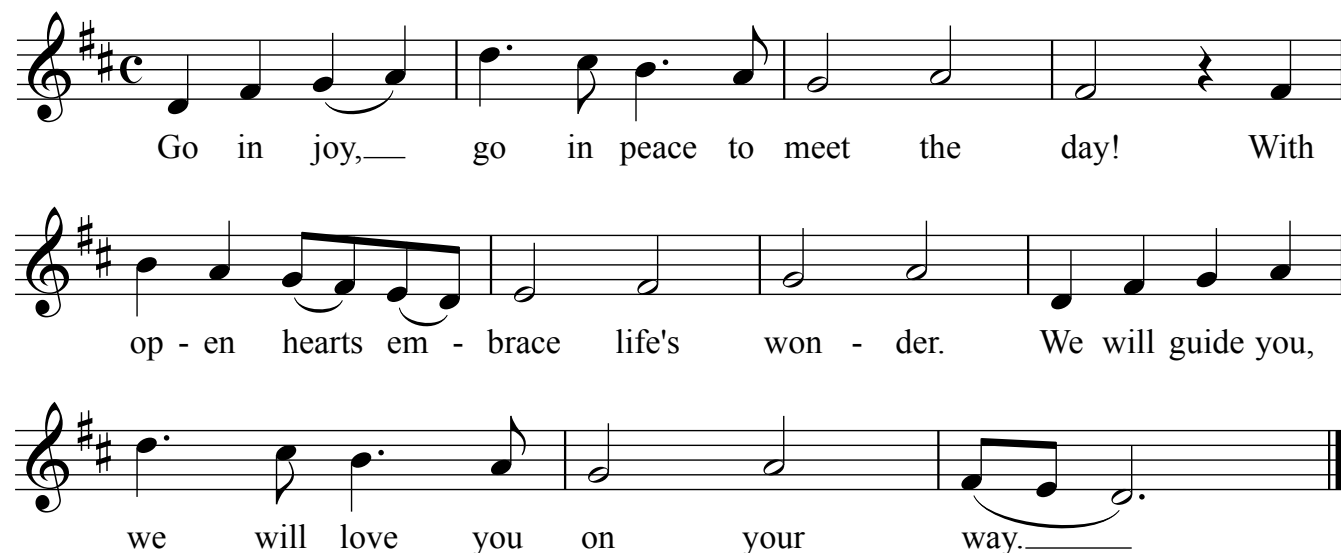
CHALICE LIGHTING *Catie Scudera*

Quotation from Mad Bear, Holy Man of the Tuscarora Nation of the
Six-Nation Iroquois Confederacy

PARISH HIGHLIGHTS AND GREETINGS

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.

*During the Children's Blessing, all children are always
welcome to join us for Children's Religious Education!*

*HYMN 120

Turn Back

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."

Spirit of Life (Hymn 123)

Spirit of Life, come unto me.

Sing in my heart all the
stirrings of compassion.

Blow in the wind, rise in
the sea;

Move in the hand, giving
life the shape of justice.

Roots hold me close; wings
set me free;

Spirit of Life, come to me,
come to me.

Fuente de Amor, ven hacia mí.

Y al corazón,
cántale tu compasión.

Sopla al volar,
sube en la mar;

Hasta moldear
la justicia de la vida

Arráigame,
libérame,

Fuente de Amor, ven a mí,
ven a mí.

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 1022** (in the teal hymnal)

Open the Window

SERMON

Columbus and Calumet Catie Scudera, Intern Minister

SILENT REFLECTION, MEDITATION, AND PRAYER

CANTICLE

Sure on this Shining Night

text: *James Agee* (1909-1955)

music: *Samuel Barber* (1910-1981)

Jonathan Price, tenor; Molly Wood, piano

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

Trio Allain Gott, BWV 664 *Johann Sebastian Bach* (1685-1750)

Gedymin Grubba, organ

***HYMN 168**

One More Step

***BENEDICTION AND EXTINGUISHING THE CHALICE**

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

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

Marche Triumphale *Gedymin Grubba* (b. 1981)
Gedymin Grubba, organ

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

TODAY in CRE

Children's Religious Education (CRE)

Today in CRE, we welcome a special guest, Lisa Mobayed, our ministerial field education student! Keeping with our October theme of GATHERING, Lisa will be exploring DENS, which are homes for animals. There might even be a chance to design one! JP LaFond will be caring for our children while Laura Evonne Steinman, our religious educator, is at a family gathering for two of her cousins' B'nai Mitzvah in NJ. Mazel Tov to Izzy and Eden for this special coming of age ritual in the Jewish tradition!

Note: At noon today in the stage right room, Lisa will also be leading the first "Parenting for the Spirit, in the Spirit" session. You can pick up your book during the workshop. Everyone—not just parents!—is welcome.

Rev. Kim K. Crawford Harvie, Mark David Buckles,
and the choir are away this morning. Special thanks to
Molly Wood, Jonathan Price, and Gedymin Grubba
for their beautiful music!