

Today in Family Ministry

Today, after the Children's Blessing, Rev. Dave and our children will gather in the Perkins Room for a chalice lighting, a song, meditation, and joys and sorrows. The children will be making Valentine's cards today for Renewal House guests. The children will return to the sanctuary at the end of the service to join the Arlington Street Choir for the Recessional.

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

February Share the Plate: Renewal House in Boston

Since 1980, Renewal House has provided temporary emergency shelter and advocacy services to individuals and families escaping domestic violence. Renewal House was one of the first domestic violence shelters in the state to provide shelter for male as well as female survivors, and is sought out by other agencies for its expertise in attending to the spiritual needs of survivors. Renewal House works closely with other programs that serve the Queer communities, as well as those that serve elders and individuals with disabilities, to support these underserved populations.

Among its many programs, Renewal House offers a 24-hour hotline, bilingual Spanish and English advocacy, support groups and pastoral counseling, English as a second language (ESL) classes and job training, and community outreach education. For more information, please visit www.uuum.org. *Thank you for your generosity!*

Service is Our Gift

Candles Coordinator, *Patrick Cooleybeck*
Candles Chaplain, *Art Judge*
Lead Greeter, *Rachel Corey*
Lead Usher, *Deborah Peck*
Worship Coordinator, *Darrell Waters*
Assistant Treasurers, *Alma Antoniotti & Gail Jennes*

Urban Church Awareness

Remember to be mindful of your belongings, and throughout the week, please help to keep the outside doors to the church secure.

Old Church Awareness

Please avoid stepping on the heating grates!

OUR UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST FAITH

Arlington Street Church is an historic congregation (1729) with a progressive faith. Long on the cutting-edge of movements for social justice, we affirm the inherent worth and dignity of every being. All are welcome!

CONGREGATIONAL LEADERSHIP

The Prudential Committee is the elected governing board of Arlington Street Church.

THE PRU MEMBERS ARE:

Lois Hartsough (chair) / Deb Pontes (co-chair) / Joe Alen / Dan Brotman / Al Ingram / Reese Millican / Alan Rodgers / Philip Roberts / Kevin Tyrrell

OFFICERS OF THE CORPORATION ARE:

Liz Teixeira (treasurer) / Tori Bell & Gaby Whitehouse (co-moderators) / Doc Kinne (clerk)

SPECIAL CONSIDERATIONS FOR SPECIAL NEEDS

FM amplification headsets are available from the ushers. Please do not remove them from the sanctuary. **Accessible** entry is via the ramp on the Arlington Street alley at the right-hand side of the front doors to the Church. **Braille** hymnals are available! Please ask an usher for assistance.

TIFFANY WINDOWS

The 2015 restoration of Arlington Street Church's Tiffany stained glass windows was made possible through the generous support of this congregation, an anonymous donor, and the George B. Henderson Foundation. The guided tour program for our historic church and its unique Tiffany stained glass windows is closed for the winter and will open in April 2019. Please visit www.asctiffany.org for more information.

ALLELUIA!

At Arlington Street Church, we raise a hand and circle two fingers above our heads to signal joyous affirmation.

PARKING AT ARLINGTON STREET CHURCH

Parking on Sundays is available at the Back Bay Garage for a discount. Discount coupons are available at the Welcome Table after worship. Additional parking may be available on Arlington Street past "The Castle."

Staff Directory

Parish Ministers

Rev. Kim K. Crawford Harvie, *Senior Minister*
Rev. George G. Whitehouse, *Minister at Large*
Rev. Dave Egan, *Director of Family Ministry*
Rev. Erica Rose Long,
Assistant Director of Family Ministry
Chaplain, Massachusetts General Hospital

Community Ministers

Dr. Arthur Judge,
Hospital Chaplain, retired
Rev. Fred Small,
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Mark David Buckles, *Director of Music*
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Rodger Clinton Vine, *Artist in Residence*

Choir Section Leaders

Ann-Marie Iacoviello, *Soprano*
Jennifer Soloway, *Alto*
Daniel Rosensweig, *Tenor*
John Bitsas, *Baritone*

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PLEASE SILENCE YOUR CELL PHONE. THANK YOU!



**ARLINGTON
STREET CHURCH**
Unitarian Universalist

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 10TH, 2019
To RENEWAL HOUSE WITH LOVE

8 Unitarian Universalist PRINCIPLES

1. The inherent **WORTH** and **DIGNITY** of every being
2. **JUSTICE**, **EQUITY**, and **COMPASSION** in all relations
3. **ACCEPTANCE** of one another and encouragement of **SPIRITUAL GROWTH**
4. A free and responsible search for **TRUTH** and **MEANING**
5. The right of **CONSCIENCE** and the use of the **DEMOCRATIC** process
6. The goal of world community with **PEACE**, **LIBERTY**, and **JUSTICE** for all
7. **RESPECT** for the **INTERDEPENDENT WEB** of which we are a part
8. Building **BELOVED COMMUNITY** by dismantling racism and oppression within ourselves and our world

Arlington Street Church
Boston, Massachusetts
Founded in 1729

Gathered in love and service for justice and peace

Arlington Street Church, Unitarian Universalist

Boston, Massachusetts

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 10TH, 2019

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

Preludes, from *The Well-Tempered Clavier*

Gottes zeit ist die allerbeste Zeit, BWV 106 *J. S. Bach* (1685 - 1750)
arrangements: *Aaron Larget-Caplan* (b. 1978)

Aaron Larget-Caplan, guitar

INTROIT

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

Daniel Rosensweig, tenor; John Bitsas, baritone

*We believe in acceptance of one another
and encouragement of spiritual growth.*

WELCOME, CHALICE LIGHTING, AND GREETINGS

The flaming chalice is the symbol of our free faith.

*HYMN 112

Do You Hear?

CHILDREN'S BLESSING

Longtime Sun *Mike Heron* (b. 1942)
from *A Very Cellular Song* arrangement: *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 leave
with Rev. Dave Egan, Director of Family Ministry!*

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

COMMUNITY CANDLES OF SORROW & JOY

Sanctuary *John W. Thompson* and *Randy Scruggs* (b. 1953)
adaptation: *Crawford Harvie/Buckles*
arrangement: *Mark David Buckles* (b. 1980)

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 86

Blessed Spirit of My Life

SERMON

To Bless and To Be Blessed *Rev. Kim K. Crawford Harvie*

SILENT REFLECTION, MEDITATION, AND PRAYER

ANTHEM

Fourteen Angels music: *Jeffrey Van* (b. 1941)
text: *Old German evening prayer recorded in
Wilhelm Grimm's "Wunderhorn"* (1808)
translation: *B. J. Bloomer*

Aaron Larget-Caplan, guitar

When at night I go to sleep,
Fourteen angels watch do keep;
Two my head are guarding,
Two my feet are guiding,
Two are on my right hand,
Two are on my left hand.
Two who cover me,
Two who wake me,
And two who sing me into the heavenly paradise.

About Today's Guest Musician

Aaron Larget-Caplan is an international recording and touring guitarist who has premiered over 80 compositions. His arrangements of the music of John Cage are published by Edition Peters and are the first sanctioned for the classical guitar. His recordings are available on Albany, Navona, and Stone Records. He is on the faculty at University of Massachusetts Boston and has an active private studio. His new series, 'Now Musique,' debuts in April at Arlington Street Church.

OUR SHARED RESPONSIBILITY

During the offertory, you are invited to open your heart and engage in the spiritual practice of generosity. For 289 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 (all texted gifts support the church operations) or scan the QR code.

Thank you for your stewardship and support!

OFFERTORY

Alms for the Love of Good *Agustin Barrios* (1885 - 1944)
Aaron Larget-Caplan, guitar

PARISH HIGHLIGHTS

*HYMN 126

Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing

Verse 1 and 2: congregation

Verse 3: soloists

Verse 3: congregation

*BENEDICTION AND EXTINGUISHING THE CHALICE

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

Where You Go (I Will Go) *Shoshana Jedwab* (b. 1964)
choral arrangement: *Mark David Buckles* (b. 1980)

Where you go I will go, beloved
Where you go I will go
Where you go I will go, beloved
Where you go I will go
'Cause your people are my people
Your people are mine
Your people are my people
Your divine, my divine

POSTLUDE

Prelude and Fugue in G Major, BWV 541 *J.S. Bach* (1685 - 1750)
Kelly Lenahan, organ

*The red tulips on the pulpit this morning are given
in loving memory of Joseph McAllaster
by Martin R. Anderson, M. Eileen Fitzgerald, and Jonna Sundberg.*

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