

# Welcome to Arlington Street Church

**TODAY – FEBRUARY 17, 2013**

Please take a moment to complete this card so that we may welcome you more fully to our congregation. Simply drop it into the offering plate, or hand it to an usher after the service.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone numbers \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Spouse/Partner \_\_\_\_\_

Children's Name(s) & Age(s) \_\_\_\_\_

- I/we are visiting for the first time.  
 I/we have been attending ASC for \_\_\_\_\_  
 I/we would like a permanent name tag(s) for Sunday worship.  
(Name tags are placed on a rack in the vestibule.)  
 How did you hear about Arlington Street?  
\_\_\_\_\_

**I prefer to be contacted by:**

- Mail    Phone    E-mail    No preference

**I would like to know more about:**

- Membership Classes/Joining ASC    Choir/Music  
 Social Action    Children's Religious Education  
 Adult Religious Education & Connections (ASC's small group ministry)  
 Young Adult Group    Other \_\_\_\_\_

**PLEASE SILENCE YOUR CELL PHONE. THANK YOU!**

**At Your Service:**

- \* If you would like a large print order of service and hymns, or Brailled hymns
- \* If you are having trouble hearing the service and would appreciate an assistive listening device
- \* If you have mobility challenges and would like assistance

**Service is Our Gift**

*Candles Coordinator*, Arthur Judge

*Lead Greeter*, Nancy Perna

*Lead Usher*, Ellen Spencer

*Worship Coordinator*, Desmond Ravenstone

*Chalice Lighting*, Stacey Sacks, Jessie, Allie, & Dave Dagg

**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 MEMBERS ARE:**

*Art Nava (chair) / Shane McBride (vice-chair)*  
*Christine Curtiss / Greg Haig / Richard Marshall*  
*Dan Moon / Deb Pontes / Ellen Payzant*  
*Harlow Robinson*

**OFFICERS OF THE CORPORATION ARE:**

*Samuel Gloyd & Karl Paulnack (co-moderators)*  
*David McClain (clerk) / Susie Nacco (treasurer)*

**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.

**CHILDREN'S PROGRAMMING**

Children's Religious Education begins every Sunday in the sanctuary. Children are sung out near the beginning of the service and gather downstairs in the Perkins Room for CRE. Children rejoin their families in the sanctuary to end the service. Just off the Hunnewell Chapel is a nursery for fussy babies and their caregivers. The service is piped in, and a rocker, changing table and supplies are available.

For information about our CRE program, please contact the church office or see our religious educator.

**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**

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**ARLINGTON  
STREET CHURCH**  
Unitarian Universalist

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 17<sup>TH</sup>, 2013

STANDING ON THE SIDE OF LOVE SUNDAY

UNITARIAN UNIVERSALISM  
DRAWS FROM MANY SOURCES

OUR FIRST SOURCE

*Direct experience of that transcending  
mystery and wonder, affirmed in all  
cultures, which moves us to a renewal  
of the spirit and an openness to the  
forces which create and uphold life*

Arlington Street Church

Boston, Massachusetts

Founded in 1729

*Gathered in love and service for justice and peace*

# Arlington Street Church, Unitarian Universalist

Boston, Massachusetts

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## PRELUDE

You're Just in Love  
Let's Take an Old Fashioned Walk ..... *Irving Berlin* (1888-1989)  
True Love ..... *Cole Porter* (1891-1964)  
Somebody Loves Me  
S'Wonderful ..... *George Gershwin* (1898-1937)  
Molly Wood, piano

## WELCOME

**CHALICE LIGHTING** ..... Dagg/Sacks Family  
What Hurts The Soul? ..... *Jelaluddin Rumi*, trans. *Coleman Barks*  
*The flaming chalice is the symbol of our free faith.*

## CALL TO WORSHIP

\***Hymn 1014** (in the teal hymnal)  
Standing on the Side of Love

## GREETINGS

\***Hymn 1013** (in the teal hymnal)  
Open My Heart

## STORY IN THE SANCTUARY

Love Is Something ..... *Laura Evonne Steinman*

## 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

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; Jonathan Price, tenor

We pray We

## 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 87**  
Nearer, My God, to Thee

## SERMON

Loving God ..... *Catie Scudera*, Intern Minister

## SILENT REFLECTION, MEDITATION, AND PRAYER

## ANTHEM

If Music Be the Food of Love ... text: *Henry Heveningham*(1651-1700)  
music: *David Dickau* (b. 1953)

If music be the food of love,  
Sing on till I am fill'd with joy;  
For then my list'ning soul you move  
To pleasures that can never cloy.  
Your eyes, your mien, your tongue declare  
That you are music ev'rywhere.  
Pleasures invade both eye and ear,  
So fierce the transports are, they wound,  
And all my senses feasted are,  
Tho' yet the treat is only sound,  
Sure I must perish by your charms,  
Unless you save me in your arms.

## 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 AND PAPER HEART COLLECTION

Home ..... music and lyrics: *Drew Pearson and Greg Holden*  
recorded by: *Phillip Phillips* (b. 1990)  
Mark David Buckles, guitar and vocals

## PARISH HIGHLIGHTS

### \*HYMN 30

Over My Head

### \*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

I Got Rhythm ..... *George Gershwin* (1898-1937)  
Molly Wood, piano

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

## TODAY in CRE

### Children's Religious Education (CRE)

Today we are Standing on the Side of Love. We will reflect on the last 30 Days of Love—what we have done, shared, and experienced. Children and youth will continue painting the wooden animals and sharing their stories about love.

After the service, the Frost Family is opening their home to families heading to the Chinese New Year Parade! Please talk to Laura or Erin and Alex Frost for details and directions.

If you are perhaps looking for something involving cats instead of dragons, come to the Copy Cat Festival and hear Laura share her story about Krowka going missing in Somerville!

Have a delightful winter break from school. Be safe and have a blast!

The Reverend Kim K. Crawford Harvie is away this week.  
Rev. Kim will be back in the pulpit next Sunday!