



# ARLINGTON STREET CHURCH

Unitarian Universalist

SUNDAY, MAY 27<sup>TH</sup>, 2018  
HONORING MEMORIAL DAY!

## 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

### May Share the Plate: The Louis D. Brown Peace Institute

Louis D. Brown was a 15-year-old 10th grader who grew up in Roxbury with very big dreams: college, graduate school, a doctoral degree in aerodynamic engineering. Ultimately, Louis wanted to be the first African-American and youngest-ever President of the United States.

Louis said, "I want young people I went to school with and from my community to be active in my government. However, if things don't change, I'll be alone in the White House, because by the time I become president, my peers will all be dead, addicted to drugs, or in jail." Setting out to improve his community and to be a role model to his peers, he joined Teens Against Gang Violence.

That fall, on his way to a Teens Against Gang Violence meeting, Louis was killed in the crossfire of a gang shootout.

That was 1993. The next year, his extraordinary mother, Tina Chéry, honored her son's dream by founding The Louis D. Brown Peace Institute. Dedicated to education in peacemaking and nonviolence, the institute also assists survivors of homicide victims. For more information, please visit [ldbpeaceinstitute.org](http://ldbpeaceinstitute.org). *Thank you for your generous support!*

#### Service is Our Gift

Candles Coordinator, *Lucy Humphrey*  
Candles Chaplain, *Art Judge*  
Lead Greeter, *Queen Cheryl*  
Lead Usher, *Deb Vittner*  
Worship Coordinator, *Darrell Waters*  
Assistant Treasurers, *Nancy George & Paul Babbitt*

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

#### 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.

#### 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:

*Al Ingram (chair) / Rick Cresta (vice-chair) / Joe Alen Dan Brotman / Lois Hartsough / Eve Lauria Deb Pontes / Ted Rudinsky / Connie Scanlon*

#### OFFICERS OF THE CORPORATION ARE:

*Art Nava (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 now open and runs through October. More information is available at [www.asctiffany.org](http://www.asctiffany.org).

#### 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. Beth Robbins**  
*Interim Director of Family Ministry*  
**Erica Rose Long**  
*Interim Assistant Director of Family Ministry*  
*Chaplain, Massachusetts General Hospital*

#### Community Ministers

**Dr. Arthur Judge**  
*Hospital Chaplain, retired*  
**Rev. Clyde Grubbs**  
*Spiritual Director*  
**Rev. Fred Small**  
*Minister for Climate Justice*  
**Rev. Joanna Lubkin**  
*Chaplain, Wellesley College*  
**Rev. Vera O'Brien**  
*Chaplain, Brigham and Women's Hospital*

All staff members may be reached through the church office at 617-536-7050  
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#### Intern Ministers

**Ali Jablonsky**  
*Massachusetts General Hospital*  
**Karlene Griffiths Sekou**  
*Black Lives Matter, Boston*  
**Liz Weber**  
*UU Church of Reading, Massachusetts*

#### Music

**Mark David Buckles**, *Director of Music*  
**Daniel Padgett**, *Collaborative Pianist*  
**Rodger Clinton Vine**, *Artist in Residence*

#### Choir Section Leaders

**Katie Elledge**, *Soprano*  
**Katherine Maysek**, *Alto*  
**Daniel Rosensweig**, *Tenor*  
**John Moorman**, *Bass*

#### Administration

**Jeffrey Bouchard**, *Congregational Administrator*  
**Adam Berman**, *Bookkeeper*  
**Brad Nobles**, *Sexton*  
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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, MAY 27<sup>TH</sup>, 2018

*You are invited to share your sorrows and joys with the congregation by filling out a Candles Card in the back pew on the right-hand side of the sanctuary. Candles Cards are collected until the end of greetings.*

## PRELUDE

What I Did For Love ..... *Marvin Hamlisch* (1944 - 2012)  
& *Edward Kleban* (1939 - 1987)  
Blackbird .... *John Lennon* (1940 - 1980) & *Paul McCartney* (b. 1942)  
Ashokan Farewell ..... *Jay Ungar* (b. 1946)  
Daniel Padgett, piano

## WELCOME AND CHALICE LIGHTING

*The flaming chalice is the symbol of our free faith.*

## INTROIT

Allerseelen ..... text: *Hermann von Gilm* (1812 - 1864)  
music: *Richard Strauss* (1864 - 1949)

Katie Elledge, soprano; Daniel Padgett, piano

Stell auf den Tisch die  
duftenden Reseden,  
Die letzten roten Astern  
trag herbei,  
Und laß uns wieder von der  
Liebe reden,  
Wie einst im Mai.

Place on the table  
the fragrant mignonettes,  
Bring in the last red asters,  
and let us talk  
of love again,  
as once we did in May.

Gib mir die Hand,  
daß ich sie heimlich drücke  
Und wenn man's sieht,  
mir ist es einerlei,  
Gib mir nur einen deiner  
süßen Blicke,  
Wie einst im Mai.

Give me your hand,  
so that I may secretly press it;  
and if someone sees,  
it's all one to me.  
Just give me one  
of your sweet glances,  
as once you did in May.

Es blüht und duftet heut  
auf jedem Grabe,  
Ein Tag im Jahre ist ja den  
Toten frei,  
Komm an mein Herz,  
daß ich dich wieder habe,  
Wie einst im Mai.

Flowers bloom and spread their  
fragrance today on every grave;  
one day in the year is sacred  
for the dead.  
Come close to my heart,  
so that I can have you again,  
as once I did in May.

## GREETINGS

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

## \*HYMN 1010

We Give Thanks

## 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 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 101

Abide with Me

## SERMON

Good Goodbyes ..... *Rev. Beth Robbins*

## SILENT REFLECTION, MEDITATION, AND PRAYER

## CANTICLE

In My Life ..... *John Lennon & Paul McCartney*  
Katie Elledge, soprano; Daniel Padgett, piano

## 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 or scan the QR code.



***Thank you for your stewardship and support!***

## OFFERTORY

Sicilienne ..... *Maria Theresia von Paradis* (1759 - 1824)  
Rodger Clinton Vine, organ

## PARISH HIGHLIGHTS

### \*HYMN

Here Together ..... *David Glasgow*

We are here, here together, in this holy moment,  
and we're grateful for the winding road that brought us to this place.

*Repeat*

We have spent time together, and these holy moments give us  
strength to go down the winding road until we meet again.

*Repeat*

And my prayer for you  
is a peace that's true  
until we meet again.

### \*BENEDICTION AND EXTINGUISHING THE CHALICE

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

Where You 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

Trumpet Tune from Suite in D Major ..... *Charles Callahan* (b. 1951)  
Rodger Clinton Vine, organ

## Today in Family Ministry

For today's intergenerational worship, children and youth are invited to sit with their families or join Erica in the balcony to enjoy the service with sermon bingo, coloring, and some of our favorite stuffed animal friends. Kids will head up to the balcony as we sing *Abide with Me* and return during our closing hymn, *Here Together*.

Allie and Lena are available in the nursery to care for babies and small children. To find the nursery, go through the leather door to the right of the pulpit and cross through the chapel. The nursery is on your left before the stairs.

*Rev. Kim, Mark David, and the Arlington Street Choir are off today  
and look forward to seeing you next week!*

*continued on back*