

Today in Family Ministry

Today, we will hear from the Coming of Age youth as they share their credo statements with the congregation! The children will remain in the sanctuary for this multi-generational worship service.

If you have arrived with a baby or small child who becomes restless, there's a nursery/playroom with the service piped in for your listening pleasure. 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.

June Share the Plate: Into the Woods

Into the Woods is a program that takes high school teenagers and their parents out of the city ... and ... into the woods! Co-facilitated by our own Rev. George G. Whitehouse and Healthy Boston's Jamiese V. Martin, Into the Woods is funded in part by the United States Department of Agriculture and their subsidiary, the Department of Forestry, and doubles as a recruiting tool to identify new personnel for the National Forests. Orvis has joined the project and supplied fishing poles and fishing lessons on the most recent trip (to Vermont)! The next trip will be in late summer. For more information, please speak with Rev. George or write to him at office@ASCBoston.org. *Thank you for your generous support!*

Service is Our Gift

Candles Coordinator, *Darrell Waters*
Candles Chaplain, *Jenna Crawford*
Lead Greeter, *Rachel Corey*
Lead Usher, *Philip Roberts*
Worship Coordinator, *Hala Hazar*
Assistant Treasurers, *Alma Antoniotti & Gail Jennes*



Welcome to Arlington Street Church

TODAY – JUNE 9, 2019

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 _____

Email _____

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 Email No preference

I would like to know more about:

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

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
Minister for Climate Justice

Rev. Joanna Lubkin
Chaplain, Wellesley College

Rev. Vera O'Brien
Chaplain, HopeHealth
Sandwich and Martha's Vineyard

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

Ali Jablonsky
Tufts Medical Center

Rev. Liz Weber
Massachusetts General Hospital

Music

Mark David Buckles, *Director of Music*

Kelly Lenahan, *Collaborative Pianist and Organist*

Rodger Clinton Vine, *Artist in Residence*

Choir Section Leaders

Ann-Marie Iacoviello, *Soprano*

Daniel Rosensweig, *Tenor*

John Bitsas, *Baritone*

Administration

Jeffrey Bouchard, *Congregational Administrator*

Adam Berman, *Bookkeeper*

Brad Nobles, *Sexton*

Laurinda O'Connor, *Publications*



ARLINGTON
STREET CHURCH
Unitarian Universalist

SUNDAY, JUNE 9TH, 2019

COMING OF AGE SUNDAY

Congratulations to our youth!

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, JUNE 9TH, 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

Kinderszenen, Op. 15 Robert Schumann (1810 - 1856)

I. Von fremden Ländern und Menschen

VII. Träumerei

XIII. Der Dichter spricht

Kelly Lenahan, piano

WELCOME, CHALICE LIGHTING, AND GREETINGS

The flaming chalice is the symbol of our free faith.

COMING OF AGE Rev. Dave Egan

*HYMN 126

Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing

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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CREDO: I BELIEVE

Madison Bailey
Gaby Whitehouse, mentor
Katherine Holt-Doucette
Deb Vittner, mentor
James Foleno
Art Nava, mentor

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

*HYMN 1028

The Fire of Commitment

REFLECTION

Coming of Age Rev. Kim K. Crawford Harvie

SILENT REFLECTION, MEDITATION, AND PRAYER

ANTHEM

Of my Children text: Roger Hooper (b. 1940)
music: Mark David Buckles (b. 1980)

My heart contains a child's box of water colors.

Each small cake of colored powder
hard and dry
aligned
in even
rigid
rows.

The brush each of my children brings unlocks

The color, and, with water, makes

a house a tree a field a sky

My children make the colors show

bright clean blue
the raging red
bitter yellow
wet black night
warm orange glows
sad brown has bled
over love's deep green.

The picture that my children paint
restores the landscape time made faint
their unpremeditated art
takes colors from my heart.

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 unpledged 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 church operations) or scan the QR code.



Thank you for your stewardship and support!

OFFERTORY

Clair de Lune Claude Debussy (1862 - 1918)
Kelly Lenahan, piano

PARISH HIGHLIGHTS

*HYMN

Life Calls Us On text: Rev. Kendyl Gibbons (b. 1955)
music: Rev. Jason Shelton (b. 1972)

CHORAL BENEDICTION

An Irish Blessing text: Traditional Gaelic blessing
music: Everett Reed

May the road rise to meet you.
May the wind be always at your back.
May the sun shine warm upon your face.
May the rains fall soft upon your fields.
And until we meet again,
May God hold you in the palm of Their hand

*BENEDICTION AND EXTINGUISHING THE CHALICE

POSTLUDE

Prelude and Fugue in C minor, BWV 549 J.S. Bach (1685 - 1750)
Kelly Lenahan, organ

*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
For your people are my people
Your people are mine
Your people are my people
Your divine, my divine

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