# Arlington Street Church, Unitarian Universalist

Boston, Massachusetts

SUNDAY, JANUARY  $19^{\text{TH}}$ , 2014

#### PRELUDE

Le Tombeau de Couperin ...... Maurice Ravel (1875-1937) Prélude Fugue Menuet Jayoung Kim, piano

### WELCOME AND GREETINGS

#### INTROIT

The Fifth Principle ...... Mark David Buckles (b. 1980) Glorivy Arroyo, mezzo soprano; Justin Hicks, bass We believe in democracy and the right of conscience Within our community and throughout the world. Amen.

### CHALICE LIGHTING

Claire, Lucy, and George Humphrey; Vickie Henry; and friends The flaming chalice is the symbol of our free faith.

## \*Hymn 149

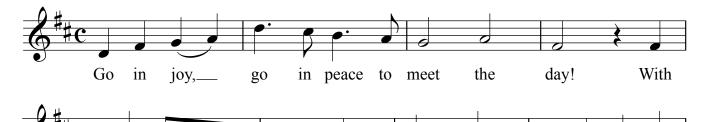
Lift Every Voice and Sing

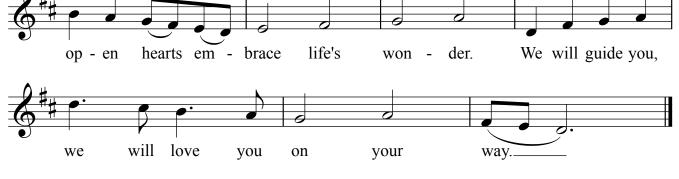
#### **STORY IN THE SANCTUARY**

Love Is Political ..... Laura Evonne Steinman

#### **CHILDREN'S BLESSING**

Children's Benediction ......text: Barbara Pescan music: Bart Bradfield





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; Julie Gregorio, soprano



## **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 1020 (in the teal hymnal)

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### Sermon

How Does One Emulate Dr. King? ...... Catie Scudera, Intern Minister

## SILENT REFLECTION, MEDITATION, AND PRAYER

### ANTHEM

Beloved, Let Us Love One Another (1896) ..... text: *I John 4:7-8* 

music: Arthur Foote (1853-1937)

Beloved, let us love one another, for love is of God.And ev'ry one that loveth is born of God, and knoweth God.He that loveth not knoweth not God, for God is love.Beloved, let us love one another, for God is love.

## **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

Let Us Break Bread Together, from *Suite on Afro-American Hymn Tunes* ...... *Charles Callahan* (b. 1951) Rodger Clinton Vine, organ

## PARISH HIGHLIGHTS

\*HYMN 169 We Shall Overcome

## \*Benediction and Extinguishing the Chalice

\*CHORAL BENEDICTION (sung twice; please join in!) 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

Postlude on Two Spirituals from *Suite on Afro-American Hymn Tunes* "Go Down, Moses" and "I Want to Be Ready"

Rodger Clinton Vine, organ Charles Callahan (b. 1951))

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

# Today in Children's Religious Education (CRE)

Today, we are meeting in our age-based groups.

- Kindergarten–2<sup>nd</sup> graders and Grady are reading *On the Day You Were Born*.
- 2<sup>nd</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> graders and Kate Hardin are reviewing the Five Pillars of Islam alongside the Seven Principles of Unitarian Universalism.
- 5<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> graders are staying in the service with Vickie Henry to experience how the Six Sources and Seven Principles of Unitarian Universalism are part of the worship at Arlington Street Church.

If you are new to Arlington Street and would like to learn more about how you or your family can become involved with CRE, come and eat lunch in the Perkins Room after the service. You can also email Erica at elong@ascboston.org for more information about the program and to receive the weekly CRE email newsletter.