

TODAY

An Unusual Coffee Hour

Hunnewell Chapel, immediately following the worship service

The parish hall, where we would normally enjoy coffee and a hearty repast following the worship service, is being set up for Emily Dunn's memorial service reception today. Thanks to Jon and Wendy Ellertson, there will be coffee and light refreshments available in the Hunnewell Chapel (right through the leather door at the front right of the sanctuary). Please do stop in to the chapel. Please do not stop in downstairs to offer help; they are in a frenzy of love and service! If you would like to make a financial contribution to defray the cost of the collation, Rev. Kim will gratefully accept your gift in Emily's memory.

Young Adult Group

Stage Right Room, immediately following the worship service

The Young Adult Group (ages 18 – 35) meets after the Sunday service for lunch in the Stage Right Room. You can purchase food from the Sandwich Board during Coffee Hour, or bring your own food. The Stage Right Room is the first room on your left after going down the stairs at the back of the sanctuary.

Children's Religious Education

Perkins Room, during worship service

Today, Church School will be planting a memorial garden commemorating the life of Emily Dunn. This lesson draws on the seventh principle of Unitarian Universalism, the interdependent web of all life. Our special garden will be placed by the church office door in a planter donated by the parents and friends of the Church School program.

Church School is sung to class with the Church School Blessing printed in your order of service, and will gather outside the church office, returning for the final hymn and benediction.

Special Note: Church School is a peanut free zone.

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

Any usher will be happy to help!

OUR UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST FAITH

“The living tradition we share draws from many sources including 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 that create and uphold life.”

This is the first of the six sources of Unitarian Universalism from which our living tradition draws. To read all six sources, as well as the seven principles of our free faith, please see the Our Faith brochure in the pew rack.

ALLELUIA!

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

CHILDREN'S PROGRAMMING

Church School begins every Sunday in the sanctuary to the front right. Children are sung out of service gathering downstairs in the Perkins Room, with an adjacent toddler space for parents with children ages 1-5. Parents with infants are invited to the Religious Education Office, right off the sanctuary, where a rocker, changing table and supplies are available. For information about our Children's Religious Education program, please contact the church office or see the religious educator.

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.

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.”

CONGREGATIONAL LEADERSHIP

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

THE MEMBERS ARE:

Tori Bell / Marilyn Castriotta / Doug Fiero (vice chair) / Danny Fournier / Carmen Griggs Elizabeth Lindholm (chair) / Karl Paulnack Bob Sessions / Mickey Randazza.

OFFICERS OF THE CORPORATION ARE:

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Gathered in love and service for justice and peace

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PRELUDE

Vesper Voluntaries *Edward Elgar (1857-1934)*
Molly Wood, organ

CALL TO WORSHIP

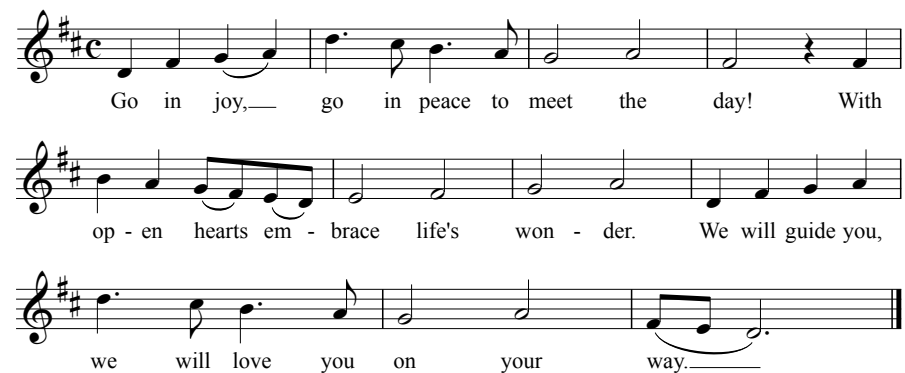
Rejoice (2004) *Braxton Blake*
J. Jacob Krause, baritone; Molly Wood, organ

WELCOME

CHALICE LIGHTING

CHURCH SCHOOL 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.

The children are invited to leave for their classes.

All children are welcome!

PARISH HIGHLIGHTS AND GREETINGS

NEW MEMBERS JOINING CEREMONY

Responsive Reading 468, We Need One Another

*HYMN 348

Guide My Feet

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, and clicking on "Worship."

COMMUNITY CANDLES OF SORROW & JOY – continued

There Will Be a Light *Ben Harper (b.1969), arr. Buckles*
Valerie Estle, soprano
(Please join us in singing)
There will be, there will be, there will be a light.

AFFIRMATION AND COVENANT

<i>Love is the spirit</i>	<i>El amor es el espíritu</i>
<i>of this congregation,</i>	<i>de nuestra congregación</i>
<i>And service is our gift.</i>	<i>Y el servicio es nuestro regalo.</i>
<i>This is our great covenant:</i>	<i>Esto es a lo que nos comprometemos:</i>
<i>To dwell together in peace,</i>	<i>Convivir en paz,</i>
<i>To speak our truths in love,</i>	<i>Hablar nuestras verdades con amor,</i>
<i>And to help one another.</i>	<i>Y ayudarnos los unos a los otros.</i>

*HYMN

Meditation on Breathing *Sarah Dan Jones (b.1962)*

SERMON

Standing in the Need of Prayer *Rev. Kim K. Crawford Harvie*

SILENT REFLECTION, MEDITATION, AND PRAYER

ANTHEM

Verleih uns Frieden *text: Martin Luther (1483-1546)*
(Lord, in thy mercy grant us peace) *music: Felix Mendelssohn-*
Bartholdy (1809-1847)

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

Poem of May *Moritz Moszkowski (1854-1925)*
Rodger Clinton Vine, piano

*HYMN

Lean on Me *Bill Withers (b.1938)*
Mark David Buckles, guitar and vocals
Lean on me, when you're not strong
And I'll be your friend
I'll help you carry on
For it won't be long
'Til I'm gonna need
Somebody to lean on

*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

Nun Danket Alle Gott *J. S. Bach (1685-1750)*
Rodger Clinton Vine, organ

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

PLEASE SILENCE YOUR CELL PHONE. THANK YOU!

Service is Our Gift

Carol Fisher, *Assistant Treasurer*
Dan Moon, *Alternate Usher*
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Michael Orzech, *Worship Coordinator*
Peter Zalewski, *Lead Greeter*
Wendy and Jon Ellertson, *Sandwich Board*

