

Welcome to Arlington Street Church

TODAY – NOVEMBER 9, 2014

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

Any usher will be happy to help!

Service is Our Gift

Candles Coordinator, *Desmond Ravenstone*
Candles Chaplain, *Art Judge*
Lead Greeter, *Jenn Britt*
Lead Usher, *Greg Haig*
Worship Coordinator, *Kate Birney*
Assistant Treasurers, *Alma Antoniotti and Gail Jennes*

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:

Alex Frost (chair) / Greg Haig (vice-chair)
Christine Curtiss / Dave Erbe / Mary Marcel
Kerry Marshall / Dan Moon / Tina Rose
Thomas Simers

OFFICERS OF THE CORPORATION ARE:

Tori Bell & Desmond Ravenstone (co-moderators)
Doc Kinne (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 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

Ministers

Rev. Kim K. Crawford Harvie, Sr. Minister
Office@ASCBoston.org, ext. 10

Rev. George G. Whitehouse, Minister at Large
GWhitehouse@ASCBoston.org, ext. 10

Chris Alburger, Intern Minister
CALburger@ASCBoston.org

Music

Mark David Buckles, Director of Music
MBuckles@ASCBoston.org

Yevgenia Semeina-Maroyan
Organist and Pianist
Office@ASCBoston.org, ext 10

Choir Section Leaders

Julie Gregorio, soprano
Glorivy Arroyo, mezzo soprano
James Dornier, tenor
Justin Hicks, bass

Children's Religious Education

Laura Evonne Steinman, Religious Educator
& Artist in Residence, LES@ASCBoston.org

Erica Long, CRE Assistant
ELong@ASCBoston.org

Inside, OOS & Web

Laurinda O'Connor
Publications@ASCBoston.org

Jeffrey Bouchard, Facilities Manager & Administrative Assistant
JBouchard@ASCBoston.org, ext. 14

Brad Nobles, Sexton
JBouchard@ASCBoston.org, ext. 17

NB: To reach any staff member by phone, dial 617-536-7050. When prompted, enter *8 and then the extension.

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.



ARLINGTON
STREET CHURCH
Unitarian Universalist

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 9TH, 2014

HONORING ALL VETERANS

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

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 9TH, 2014

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

PRELUDE

Pastorella *Johann Sebastian Bach* (1685-1750)
Yevgenia Semeina-Maroyan, organ

WELCOME

CHALICE LIGHTING IN HONOR OF OUR VETERANS

The flaming chalice is the symbol of our free faith

From the poem *For the Fallen* *Laurence Binyon* (1869-1943)

They shall grow old, as we that are left grow old:
Age shall not weary them, nor the years condemn.
At the going down of the sun and in the morning,
We will remember them.

INTROIT

The Seventh Principle *Mark David Buckles* (b. 1980)
We believe in the interdependent web of all existence
of which we are a part. Amen.

GREETINGS

*HYMNS 389 AND 356

Gathered Here *and* Will You Seek in Far-Off Places?

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.”

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 101

Abide With Me

SERMON Rev. Kim K. Crawford Harvie

First Resort

SILENT REFLECTION, MEDITATION, AND PRAYER

ANTHEM

Look to This Day text: *Kalidasa* (c. 4th-6th century Hindu)
music: *Adolphus Hailstork* (b. 1941)

Look to this day!
For it is life, the very life of life!
The bliss of growth,
The glory of action,
The splendor of beauty.
For yesterday is but a dream,
And tomorrow is only a vision;
But today well-lived makes
Every yesterday a dream of happiness,
And every tomorrow a vision of hope.
Look to this day!
For it is life, the very life of life!
Look to this day!

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

In My Life *Lennon/McCartney*

Geraldine C. Buckles, vocals
Mark David Buckles, guitar and vocals

PARISH HIGHLIGHTS

*HYMN

Show Me the Song *Zohar Tobi* (b. 1985)
Mark David Buckles, guitar and vocals
Joanna Lubkin, vocals

When I rise, I want to rise pure
In the eyes of the One, in the eyes of the One

When I speak, I want to speak truth
In the ears of the One, in the ears of the One

Chorus

Show me the song you've given to me
Show me what longs to happen through me
Show me the question I came to answer
I will surrender, I will surrender

With my hands, I want to lay down the stone
On the house of the One, on the house of the One

-Chorus-

When I lay down, I want to rest in peace
In the arms of the One, in the arms of the One
In the arms of the One

-Chorus-

*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

Fugue in A Minor *Mark David Buckles* (b. 1980)
Yevgenia Semeina-Maroyan, piano

Following this morning's service, Rev. Kim looks forward to greeting you at the great doors. Mark David Buckles invites those interested to join him in listening to the postlude.

Today in Children's Religious Education (CRE)

There is no formal Children's Religious Education programming today. Childcare is provided in the Perkins Room. Laura and Erica are both away this weekend. All children are welcome to meet Allie and Keenan at the small table at the front of the sanctuary.

If you are interested in volunteering with CRE or would like to learn more about our program, please email Erica at CRE@ascboston.org.