



ARLINGTON STREET CHURCH

Unitarian Universalist

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 1ST, 2009
Day of the Dead: El Dia de los Muertos

If you have brought photographs or mementos, please feel free to place them on the altar before the service begins or during the opening hymn

PRELUDE

Sonata in B Minor, *Domenico Scarlatti* (1685 – 1757)
K. 87
Prelude in D Major, *Sergey Rachmaninoff* (1873 – 1943)
Op. 23
Tatiana Vassilieva, piano

CALL TO WORSHIP

The Second Principle *Mark David Buckles* (b. 1980)
Valerie Estle, soprano

We believe in justice, equity, and compassion in all relations.

CHALICE LIGHTING

To the Four Directions Elizabeth Lindholm
Joan Goodwin

Our flaming chalice, symbol of Unitarian Universalism, burns in celebration of the principles and purposes of our liberal faith.

WELCOME, PARISH HIGHLIGHTS, AND GREETINGS

CHILDREN’S BLESSING

Go In Joy text: *Barbara Pescan*
music: *Bart Bradfield*

The children are invited to leave for their classes with Erick DuPree. All children are welcome!

ONE MEMBER’S JOURNEY

Military Chaplain Intern
Sean Holland

***HYMN 18**

What Wond’rous Love

COMMUNITY CANDLES OF SORROW AND JOY Rob Cuddi

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.”

There Will Be a Light *Ben Harper* (b. 1969), arr. *Buckles*
Valerie Estle, soprano; J. Jacob Krause, baritone

Please join us in singing

“There will be. . . There will be. . .

There will be a light. . . There will be a light!”

AFFIRMATION AND COVENANT

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

PRESENTE

Rev. George Whitehouse

Calling out the names of the loved ones who have died

***HYMN 100**

I’ve Got Peace Like a River

SERMON

Rev. Kim K. Crawford Harvie

Life Before Death

SILENT REFLECTION, MEDITATION, AND PRAYER

ANTHEM

Spanish Folk Song, arr. *Margaret Dodd*

A La Puerta Del Cielo

At the Doorway of Heaven

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

Der Tod und das Madchen *Franz Schubert* (1797 – 1828)

Wo wird einst *Hugo Wolf* (1860 – 1903)

Julia Mintzer, mezzo soprano; Tatiana Vassilieva, piano

CHILDREN’S COSTUME PARADE

Amazing Grace *Columbian Harmony* (1829)

arr. *Jefferson Cleveland* (1937-1986)

***HYMN 103**

For All the Saints

***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.

***BENEDICTION AND EXTINGUISHING THE CHALICE**

Adapted from *The Dead Say* *Judith Anderson*

POSTLUDE

Graceful Ghost Rag *William Bolcom* (b. 1938)

Tatiana Vassilieva, piano

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

Carol Fisher, Not-So-Wicked Witch
Linda Evans, Lead Greeter
Phillip Roberts, Lead Usher and Assistant Treasurer
Rob Cuddi, Candles Coordinator
Scott Schroeder, Assistant Treasurer
Todd Rinehart, Worship Coordinator
Woody O’Kane, for pumpkins and other goodies