
Today

Coffee Hour

Parish Hall, immediately following the worship service

If you're visiting Arlington Street Church, or would like more information about Unitarian Universalism, please visit the Welcome Table. All are welcome!

Young Adult Group

The Young Adult Group (ages 18–35) meets after the Sunday service for lunch in the Stage Right Room. The Stage Right Room is the first room on your left after going down the stairs at the back of the sanctuary.

Corporation Meeting

Sunday, November 8th, 12:30 PM, Sanctuary

AGENDA

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| I. Membership Update* | Clerk |
| II. Ordination of Kate Wilkinson* | Rev. Kim |
| III. Treasurer's Report | Mark MacDonnell |
| IV. Church Administrator's Report | Ed Thomas |
| V. Prudential Committee Report | Elizabeth Lindholm |
| VI. Church Council Report | Mark Watanabe |
| VII. Social Action Committee Report | Peter Lowber |
| VIII. Other Business | |

* Indicates vote required

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

"We covenant to affirm and promote the goal of world community with peace, liberty, and justice for all."

This is the sixth of the seven principles and purposes of Unitarian Universalism that our congregations covenant to affirm and promote. To read all seven, as well as the six sources 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

Children's Religious Education classes are held during the 11:00 AM service downstairs in the Perkins Room. Infant care is provided in the nursery, right off the sanctuary. An usher will be happy to lead you and your children there. For further information about our Children's Religious Education program, please contact the church office.

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, Danny Fournier, Carmen Griggs, Elizabeth Lindholm (chair), Karl Paulnack, Bob Sessions, and Mickey Randazza. Officers of the Corporation are Herbert Gleason (moderator), Rob Cotta (vice moderator), Mark MacDonnell (treasurer), Mark Watanabe (council chair), and Carol Smith (clerk).

Directory

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ARLINGTON STREET CHURCH

Unitarian Universalist

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 8TH, 2009

We covenant to affirm and promote • The inherent worth and dignity of every person • Justice, equity, and compassion in human relations • Acceptance of one another and encouragement to spiritual growth in our congregations • A free and responsible search for truth and meaning • The right of conscience and the use of the democratic process within our congregations and in society at large • The goal of world community with peace, liberty, and justice • The life of the mind • The interdependent web of all existence of which we are a part. The divinity, humanity, and mystery which all share draws from many religions, philosophies, sciences, arts, and cultures, which we share 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 • Words and deeds of prophetic women and men which challenge us to confront powers and structures of evil with justice, compassion, and the transforming power of love • Wisdom from the world's religions which inspires us in our ethical and spiritual life • Jewish and Christian teachings which call us to respond to God's love by loving our neighbors as ourselves • Buddhist teachings which counsel us to heed the teachings of compassion, the wisdom of science, and warn us against idolatries of the mind and spirit • Spiritual teachings of earth-centered traditions which celebrate the sacred circle of life and instruct us to live in harmony with the rhythms of nature. Grateful for the religious pluralism which enriches and ennobles our faith, we are inspired to deepen our understanding and expand our vision. As free congregations we enter into this covenant, promising to one another our mutual trust and support.

Arlington Street Church
Boston, Massachusetts
Founded in 1729

Gathered in love and service for justice and peace

Arlington Street Church, Unitarian Universalist
Boston, Massachusetts

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PRELUDE

Arioso *J.S. Bach* (1685 – 1750)
arr. *Georges Barrère* (1876 – 1944)
No. 5 “Irlandaise” from Suite *Claude Bolling* (b. 1930)
for flute & jazz piano
Donna Ross, flute; Molly Wood, piano

CALL TO WORSHIP

The Third Principle *Mark David Buckles* (b. 1980)
Daniel Ross, tenor; J. Jacob Krause, baritone
We believe in acceptance of one another and
encouragement of spiritual growth.

CHALICE LIGHTING

WELCOME, PARISH HIGHLIGHTS, AND GREETINGS

***HYMN 42**

Morning, So Fair To See

CHILDREN’S BLESSING

Go In Joy *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 with Erick DuPree. All children are welcome!

COMMUNITY CANDLES OF SORROW AND JOY Michael Orzech

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; Daniel Ross, tenor

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 410**

Surprised By Joy

SERMON

Monkeys In The Spa

Rev. Kim K. Crawford Harvie

SILENT REFLECTION, MEDITATION, AND PRAYER

ANTHEM

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Arlington Street Church Choir
Indian Raga, arr. *Ethan Sperry*

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

Come To My Garden *text: Marsha Norman* (b. 1947)
from *The Secret Garden* *music: Lucy Simon* (b. 1943)
Valerie Estle, soprano

***HYMN**

When the Spirit Says Do *African American Spiritual*,
arr. *Mark Freundt* (b. 1966)

***CHORAL BENEDICTION**

When You Walk From Here *(sung twice; please join us!)*
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**

POSTLUDE

Sonata No. 53 in E minor *Joseph Haydn* (1732 – 1809)
Molly Wood, piano

Please silence your cell phone. Thank you!

Service is Our Gift

Alma Antioniotti, Assistant Treasurer
Danny Fournier, Lead Greeter
David Everhart, Lead Usher
Donna Ross, Guest Musician
Gail Jenness, Assistant Treasurer
Michael Orzech, Candles Coordinator
Lois Hartsough, Lead Worship Coordinator
Sarah Cooleybeck, RE Assistant