



**ARLINGTON
STREET CHURCH**
Unitarian Universalist

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 22ND, 2009

HAPPY THANKSGIVING!

HAPPY SAINT CECILIA'S DAY!

PRELUDE

Overture: Largo, *G. F. Handel* (1685-1759)
Allegro, Minuet

CALL TO WORSHIP

From Harmony, from Heavenly Harmony *Handel*
(Recitative)
When Nature Underneath a Heap (Aria)
From Harmony, from Heavenly Harmony (Chorus)

CHALICE LIGHTING

Marilyn Castriotta

WELCOME, PARISH HIGHLIGHTS, AND GREETINGS

***HYMN 68**

Come, Ye Thankful People

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!

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.
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***HYMN 32**

Now Thank We All Our God

ARIA

Sharp Violins Proclaim *Handel*

REFLECTION

St. Cecilia *Rev. Kim K. Crawford Harvie*

Blessed Cecilia, appear in visions
To all musicians, appear and inspire:
Translated Daughter, come down and startle
Composing mortals with immortal fire.
—*W.H. Auden*

ARIA

But Oh! What Art Can Teach *Handel*

REFLECTION

Beauty

ARIA

Orpheus Could Lead the Savage Race *Handel*

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

March *Handel*

***HYMN 67**

We Sing Now Together

***BENEDICTION**

CHORAL BENEDICTION

Handel

But Bright Cecilia Raised the Wonder (Recitative)
As from the Power of Sacred Lays (Solo and Chorus)

SAINT CECILIA MUSICIANS

Mark David Buckles, conductor
Valerie Estle, soprano
Daniel Ross, tenor
Julia Scott Carey, harpsichord
Alistair Leon Kok, Jennifer Chu, Sumi Fasolo, and
Jenny Smythe; violin
Jon Epstein and Clayton Burns, viola
Joseph Rovine and Marc Pasciucco, violoncello
Martha Davis, bass
Joyce Alper and Heather Sugioka, oboe
Rachael Stachowiak and Christopher Steger, bassoon
Rob Reustle and Patrick Doyle, trumpet
Jeremy Lang, timpani

Please silence your cell phone. Thank you!
<p>At Your Service...</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * 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 <p>... any usher will be happy to help!</p>
<p>Service is Our Gift</p> <p>Art Nava, Lead Greeter George Whitehouse, Lead Worship Coordinator Marilyn Castriotta, Prudential Committee Mark MacDonnell, Treasurer Mark Watanabe, Leadership Presence Michael Orzech, Candles Coordinator Nancy George, Assistant Treasurer Peter Lowber, Lead Usher</p>