# **Welcome to Arlington Street Church**

## **TODAY – JANUARY 18, 2015**

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, Zi	p
Phone numbersE-mail	
Children's Na	nme(s) & Age(s)
 □ I/we ar	e visiting for the first time.
□ I/we ha	ave been attending ASC for
□ I/we wo	ould like a permanent name tag(s) for Sunday worship. tags are placed on a rack in the vestibule.)
□ How die	l you hear about Arlington Street?
I prefer to be	contacted by:
□ Mail	□ Phone □ E-mail □ No preference
I would like t	o know more about:
□ Member	rship Classes/Joining ASC
□ Social A	ction □ Children's Religious Education
	eligious Education & Connections (ASC's small ministry)
	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, *Kate Birney*Candles Chaplain, *Art Nava*Lead Greeter, *Jenn Britt*Lead Usher, *Ellen Spencer*Worship Coordinator, *Desmond Ravenstone*Assistant Treasurers, *Carol Fisher and Ellen Spencer* 

### 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**

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Part Course C. Whitehouse Minister at Lease

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**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.



Sunday, January  $18^{H}$ , 2015

HONORING REV. DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.

UNITARIAN UNIVERSALISM
PROMOTES SEVEN PRINCIPLES

~ OUR FIRST PRINCIPLE ~

We believe in the inherent worth and dignity of every being.

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, JANUARY 18<sup>th</sup>, 2015

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

## **PRELUDE**

I. Introduction

III. Intermezzo

IV. Scherzoso

Yevgenia Semeina-Maroyan, organ

## Introit

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

## WELCOME AND GREETINGS

## \*HYMN 149

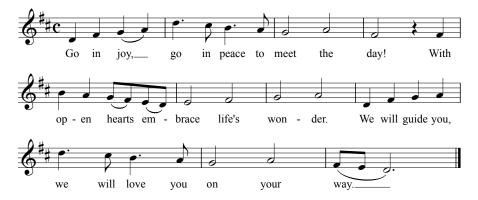
Lift Every Voice and Sing

**CHALICE LIGHTING** ...... Transformation Team for Racial Justice

The flaming chalice is the symbol of our free faith

## CHILDREN'S BLESSING

Children's Benediction ...... text: Barbara Pescan music: Bart Bradfield



At this time, all children are welcome to join the Children's Religious Education program!

## 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."

Some of us pray with words, some of us pray through action, and some of us use words other than prayer to describe our connection to the divine and to one another. As you feel called, please join us in singing the chorus of *Healing Prayer*.

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,

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,

Yayudarnos los unos a los otros.

# \*Hymn 153

Oh, I Woke Up This Morning

And to help one another.

**SERMON** ....... Rev. Kim K. Crawford Harvie Lunch Counter Sit-Ins, 2015

# SILENT REFLECTION, MEDITATION, AND PRAYER

### ANTHEM

Daniel Rosensweig, tenor

## **OUR SHARED RESPONSIBILITY**

We share half of the morning's offering with a community partner in our mission of love, service, justice, and peace.

Over 300 pledging members and friends also support the work of Arlington Street Church with commitments averaging \$20 a week plus volunteer service. Whatever you give is greatly appreciated. Thank you for your generosity!"

## **OFFERTORY**

## **PARISH HIGHLIGHTS**

## \*HYMN 151

I Wish I Knew How it Would Feel to Be Free

## \*BENEDICTION AND EXTINGUISHING THE CHALICE

\*RECESSIONAL (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**

Sonata No.8, Op. 132 ...... Josef Rheinberger (1839-1901) V. Passacaglia

Yevgenia Semeina-Maroyan, organ

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)

After checking in and doing joys and sorrows with our grade-based groups, CRE will meet in the Parish Hall to help set up for the *Stop Hunger Now* event taking place after today's service. Children and youth will have the opportunity to ask questions about the food we will be packing, where the food is going, and how they can help stop hunger now!

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