# **Welcome to Arlington Street Church**

**TODAY - OCTOBER 13, 2013** 

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	

- $\Box$  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?

prefer to be contacted by
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#### 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

### Service is Our Gift

Candles Coordinator, Art Nava Lead Greeter, Dennis Haley Lead Usher, Greg Haig Worship Coordinator, Charles Dimino Assistant Treasurers, Gail Jennes and Alma Antoniotti Pulpit Flowers from the Garden, Laura Evonne Steinman

### 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 MEMBERS ARE:

Shane McBride (chair) / Harlow Robinson (vice-chair) / Christine Curtiss / Alex Frost Greg Haig / Dan Moon / Ellen Payzant Thomas Simers

#### OFFICERS OF THE CORPORATION ARE:

Samuel Gloyd and Desmond Ravenstone (co-moderators) / David McClain (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 in the Perkins Room 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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### **Choir Section Leaders**

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SUNDAY, OCTOBER 13<sup>TH</sup>, 2013

# HONORING INDIGENOUS PEOPLES DAY

# Unitarian Universalism DRAWS FROM MANY SOURCES

~ OUR SIXTH SOURCE ~

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

> **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, OCTOBER 13<sup>TH</sup>, 2013

### **PRELUDE**

Two Roses, from Au Sein de la Nature

Two Autumn Leaves, from Au Sein de la Nature

Molly Lozeau, piano Leokadiya Kashperova (1872-1940)

#### WELCOME

#### **GREETINGS**

### **CANTICLE**

Joanna Lubkin, vocals; Mark David Buckles, guitar & vocals

### CHALICE LIGHTING

Anna and Maya Cooleybeck

Mary Brave Bird (1954-2013)

The flaming chalice is the symbol of our free faith.

# \*HYMN 1017 (in the teal hymnal)

Building a New Way

# CHILDREN'S BLESSING

Children's Benediction text: Barbara Pescan music: Bart Bradfield life's We will guide you, will love

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

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# COMMUNITY CANDLES OF SORROW & JOY

you

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."

The Reverend Kim K. Crawford Harvie and the choir are away this Sunday. Today, we thank Mark David Buckles, Molly Lozeau, & Joanna Lubkin for their beautiful music!

# Spirit of Life (Hymn 123)

Spirit of Life, come unto me. Sing in my heart all the

stirrings of compassion.

Blow in the wind, rise in the sea;

Move in the hand, giving life the shape of justice.

Roots hold me close; wings set me free;

Spirit of Life, come to me, come to me.

Fuente de Amor, ven hacia mí.

Y al corazón,

cántale tu compasión.

Sopla al volar, sube en la mar;

Hasta moldear la justicia de la vida

Arráigame, libérame,

Fuente de Amor, ven a mí, ven a mí.

# 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.

# \*HYMN 159

This Is My Song

#### **SERMON**

.. Catie Scudera, Intern Minister The Land Is Sacred .....

# SILENT REFLECTION, MEDITATION, AND PRAYER

#### **CANTICLE**

Adama (Land) ...... music: Kobi Oshrat (b. 1944) text: Shimrit Orr (b. 1945), trans. David Lubkin (b. 1958) Joanna Lubkin, vocals; Mark David Buckles, guitar and vocals

#### Land

There are words that are close to the depth of the soul There are good words that are deeply painful in their strength

Blood and man and land; these are the same word in their essence

#### Land

Mother caresses, and wraps, and completes

My cornerstone as the wind is pleasing

A quiet to my soul — if for a moment, I am assured no terror

On the face of great waters I will stride

#### A bond

It is not good to be alone

Come, give me your hand

Even if your heart trembles

#### Land

Love storms in me until my soul is extinguished

Love is intertwined in me as dream and duty

It could not be otherwise, I've already tired from the drums of war

I go down to the sea

I'll hear the soft yearning

Closing my eyes

From within the silence

The voice of the land rises

Land

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### 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**

Song Without Words Op. 30 No. 1 ... Felix Mendelssohn (1809-1847) Molly Lozeau, piano

# PARISH HIGHLIGHTS

### \*HYMN 21

For the Beauty of the Earth

### \*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**

German Waltz No. 3, Hob. IX:10 ...... Joseph Haydn (1732-1809) Molly Lozeau, piano

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

# Today in Children's Religious Education (CRE)

Today we continue our exploration of world religions in three ageappropriate groups.

- Kindergarten-2<sup>nd</sup> graders are reading *Old Turtle* with Sandy
- 2<sup>nd</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> graders are reading *Lights of Gita* and talking about Hinduism in America with Erica and Carol.
- 5<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> graders are exploring the question, "What is religion for?" with Art, Sarah, and JP.

You are welcome to join our CRE families in the Perkins Room for lunch after the service. We also invite you to check out HONK this Sunday in Somerville. HONK is a festival of activist street bands from around the world. There will be lots of great music and fun activities for people of all ages!

If you would like to learn more about CRE and how you can get involved, please email Erica at elong@ascboston.org.