Today in Children's Religious Education (CRE)

If you have arrived with a baby or small child, welcome! There is a nursery/playroom with the service piped in for your listening pleasure. Go through the leather door to the right of the pulpit and cross through the chapel. The nursery will be on your left before the stairs

CRE is gathering this morning all together in the Chapel to share joys and sorrows, to talk about death and dying with Rev. Vera O'Brien, Chaplain and one of our affiliated community ministers.

We also have Sophy, the amazing facepainter, to help us get ready for Halloween!

Jaimie is not working in CRE today; she's singing with the choir!

Share the Plate: Hurricane Relief in Haiti

The 145 mph winds of Hurricane Matthew made a direct hit on Haiti. Almost 90% of some areas in the south have been completely destroyed. Out of the 4,000 homes in the city of Les Anglais, only 82 remain standing. There is no clean water, and almost no food. There is also a desperate need for medical intervention. The death toll is staggaring and still rising.

Once again, Arlington Street is partnering with the Haitian Coalition of Somerville and EPCARE (Emergency Preparedness Engaging Community Action Resource Education; please see epecare.org). Please be generous! Thank you!

Service is Our Gift

Candles Coordinator, *Kate Birney*Candles Chaplain, *Art Judge*Lead Greeter, *Nancy Perna*Lead Usher, *Deb Vittner*Worship Coordinator, *Art Nava*Assistant Treasurers, *Paul Babbitt & Nancy Perna*

PLEASE SILENCE YOUR CELL PHONE. THANK YOU!

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.

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:

Tina Rose (chair) / Rick Cresta (vice chair) Dave Erbe / Lois Hartsough / Al Ingram / Eve Lauria / Art Nava / Ted Rudinsky / Connie Scanlon

OFFICERS OF THE CORPORATION ARE:

Art Nava (treasurer) / Tori Bell & Gaby Whitehouse (co-moderators) / Doc Kinne (clerk)

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."

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SUNDAY, OCTOBER 30th, 2016 HONORING DAY OF THE DEAD EL DÍA DE LOS MUERTOS

7 Unitarian Universalist PRINCIPLES

- 1. The inherent WORTH and DIGNITY of every being
- 2. JUSTICE, EQUITY, and COMPASSION in all relations
- 3. ACCEPTANCE of one another and encouragment of SPIRITUAL GROWTH
- 4. A free and responsible search for TRUTH and MEANING
- 5. The right of CONSCIENCE and the use of the DEMOCRATIC process
- 6. The goal of world community with PEACE,
 LIBERTY, and JUSTICE for all
- 7. RESPECT for the INTERDEPENDENT WEB of which we are a part

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Gathered in love and service for justice and peace

Arlington Street Church, Unitarian Universalist

Boston, Massachusetts

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At the Great Doors, please feel free to take a piece of orange paper and write on it the names of loved ones who have died. They will be added to the altar during the service.

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 end of Greetings.

PRELUDE

Invention No. 11 in G Minor, BWV 782 Invention No. 14 in B-flat Major, BWV 785 J. S. Bach (1685 - 1750) Chaconne in B-flat Major, Anh. 82 Johann Bernhard Bach (1676 - 1749) Linli Wang, organ

Introit

Pie Jesu text: Latin requiem hymn (c. 7th - 13th century) music: Gabriel Fauré (1845 - 1924) Julie Gregorio, soprano

WELCOME, CHALICE LIGHTING, AND GREETINGS

The flaming chalice is the symbol of our free faith.

STORY IN THE SANCTUARY

Grandma's Flowers Laura Evonne Steinman

COMPLETING THE ALTAR

PRESENTE Rev. George G. Whitehouse Calling out the names of loved ones who have died

*Hymn 1001

Breaths

CHILDREN'S BLESSING

on.

from A Very Cellular Song arranged: Mark David Buckles (b. 1980)



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

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COMMUNITY CANDLES OF SORROW & JOY

Sanctuary John W. Thompson and Randy Scruggs (b. 1953) text adapted: Crawford Harvie/Buckles music arranged: Mark David Buckles (b. 1980)

Emily Jaworski, mezzo soprano

Open my heart to be a sanctuary All made holy, loved and true With thanksgiving, I'll be a living Sanctuary for you

AFFIRMATION AND COVENANT

El amor es el espíritu Love is the spirit de nuestra congregación of this congregation, 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 1064

Blue Boat Home

in memory of Mark Halberstadt at the helm

SERMON

The Sea is Quiet Tonight Michael H. Ward a reading from the author's memoir Living On Rev. Kim K. Crawford Harvie

SILENT REFLECTION, MEDITATION, AND PRAYER

CANTICLE

Joanna Lubkin, vocals

Mark David Buckles, guitar and vocals

if i die

won't you laugh more than you cry won't you take my dreams and make them fly if i die

if i must leave won't you dance more than you grieve give more than you receive if i must leave

if grow cold my hands won't you take all your fear and understand you'll find me in every grain of sand if grow cold my hands

if time has come won't you walk in awe more than you run you give hope to those with none if time has come

if my story's told won't you be young in the growing old be the sculptor not the mold if my story's told

if angels call won't you shine bright past my nightfall be humble as you stand tall if my angels call

if ends the song won't you listen inside and sing along make right the notes still wrong if ends the song if ends the song...

OUR SHARED RESPONSIBILITY

During the offertory, you are invited to open your heart and engage in the spiritual practice of generosity. For 287 years, the abundant support of our community has allowed Arlington Street Church to remain a beacon for liberal religious values in downtown Boston. Your gifts in the Sunday plate sustain both the church and the larger community – half of the offering is shared with a partner in our mission of love, service, justice, and peace. Thank you for your stewardship and support!

OFFERTORY

choral arrangement: David Glasgow (b. 1971) Lawson Daves, bass

Daniel Rosensweig, tenor Julie Metcalf, violin

PARISH HIGHLIGHTS

*HYMNS 103

For All the Saints

*Benediction and Extinguishing the Chalice

*RECESSIONAL (sung twice; please join in!)

When You Walk From Here text: Linnea Good music: Tom Witt, arranged: Mark David Buckles

When you walk from here, When you walk from here, Walk with justice, Walk with mercy, and with God's humble care.

POSTLUDE

Fugue in D Major, BWV 532 J. S. Bach (1685 - 1750) Rodger Clinton Vine, organ

continued on back

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