

Arlington Street Church, Unitarian Universalist

Boston, Massachusetts

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 6TH, 2016

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

Billy the Kid (1938) Aaron Copland (1900 - 1990)
The Open Prairie
Our Town (1940)
Story of Our Town
The Resting Place on the Hill
Rodeo (1942) - Second Episode: Corral Nocturne
Linli Wang, piano

INTROIT

The Fifth Principle Mark David Buckles (b. 1980)
Emily Jaworski, mezzo soprano
Sean Currilin, bass

*We believe in democracy and the right of conscience
Within our community and throughout our world. Amen.*

WELCOME, CHALICE LIGHTING, AND GREETINGS

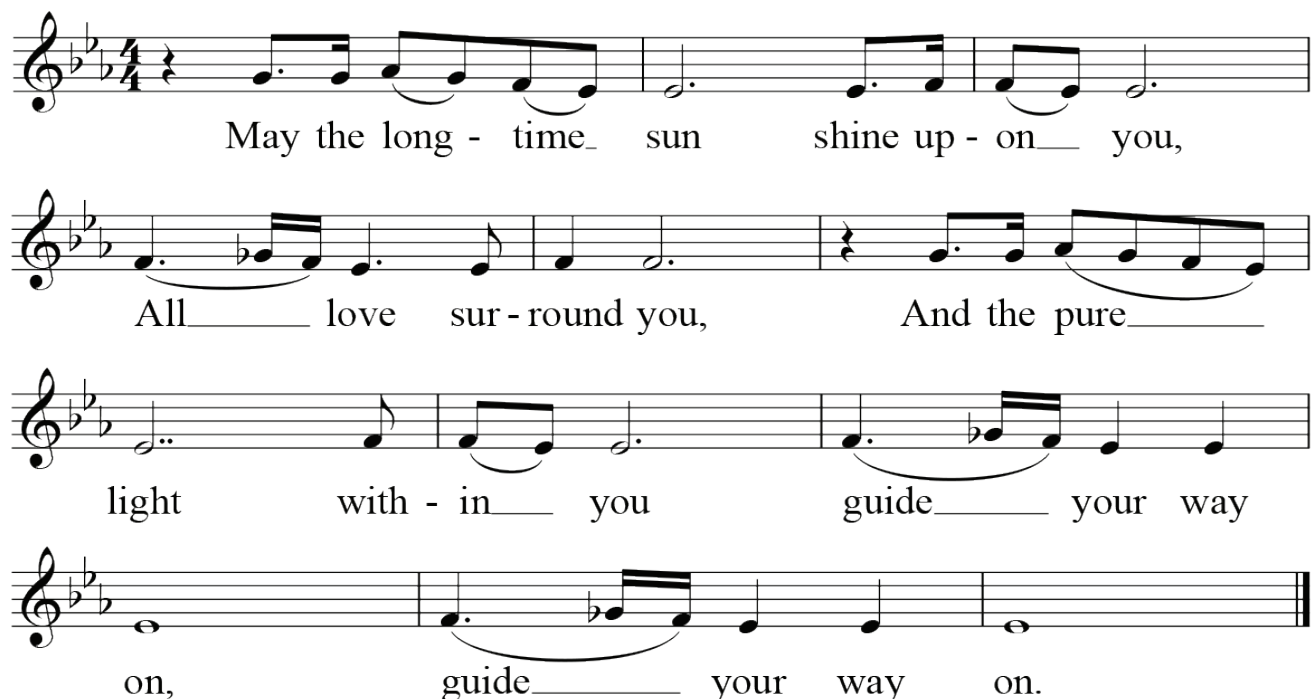
The flaming chalice is the symbol of our free faith.

*HYMN 1064

When Our Heart is in a Holy Place arranged: Mark David Buckles

CHILDREN'S BLESSING

Longtime Sun Mike Heron (b. 1942)
from *A Very Cellular Song* arranged: Mark David Buckles (b. 1980)



May the long - time_ sun shine up - on_ you,
All_____ love sur - round you, And the pure_____
light with - in_ you guide_____ your way
on, guide_____ your way on.

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

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

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

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 318

We Would Be One

SERMON

After November 8th Rev. Kim K. Crawford Harvie

SILENT REFLECTION, MEDITATION, AND PRAYER

ANTHEM

Choose Something Like a Star text: *Robert Frost (1874 - 1963)*
music: *Randall Thompson (1899 - 1984)*

O Star (the fairest one in sight),
We grant your loftiness the right
To some obscurity of cloud—
It will not do to say of night,
Since dark is what brings out your light.
Some mystery becomes the proud.
But to be wholly taciturn
In your reserve is not allowed.
Say something to us we can learn
By heart and when alone repeat.
Say something! And it says, 'I burn.'
But say with what degree of heat.
Talk Fahrenheit, talk Centigrade.
Use language we can comprehend.
Tell us what elements you blend.
It gives us strangely little aid,
But does tell something in the end.
And steadfast as Keats' Eremite,
Not even stooping from its sphere,
It asks a little of us here.
It asks of us a certain height,
So when at times the mob is swayed
To carry praise or blame too far,
We may choose something like a star
To stay our minds on and be staid.

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

If I Had a Hammer ... *Pete Seeger* (1919 - 2014) and *Lee Hayes* (1914 - 1981)
Geraldine C. Buckles, vocals
Mark David Buckles, guitar and vocals
Julie Metcalf, fiddle and vocals

PARISH HIGHLIGHTS

*HYMN

I am Willing *Holly Near* (b. 1949)

*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

Fanfare for the Common Man (1942) *Aaron Copland* (1900 - 1990)
Linli Wang, organ

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 Group	Pre-K (2- 5yrs)	Spirit Play (K-2nd grade)	UU Super Heroes (3rd-5th grade)	Coming of Age (COA) (6th-8th grade)	Youth Group (8th-12th grade)
Location	Hunnewell Chapel	Perkins Room	Carol Smith Room	Sanctuary	Sanctuary
Lesson	CRE groups begin with the sharing of sorrows and joys				
	Autumn Story	Friday Night Supper Program / Weaving	Capes	Worship Service or helping CRE	Worship Service or helping CRE

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 staggering 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!

