

Arlington Street Church, Unitarian Universalist
Boston, Massachusetts

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 7TH, 2010

PRELUDE

Fantasia in C Major, HXVII:4 *Joseph Haydn (1732-1809)*
Molly Wood, piano

CALL TO WORSHIP

The Third Principle *Mark David Buckles (b. 1980)*
Marques Hollie, tenor; J. Jacob Krause, baritone

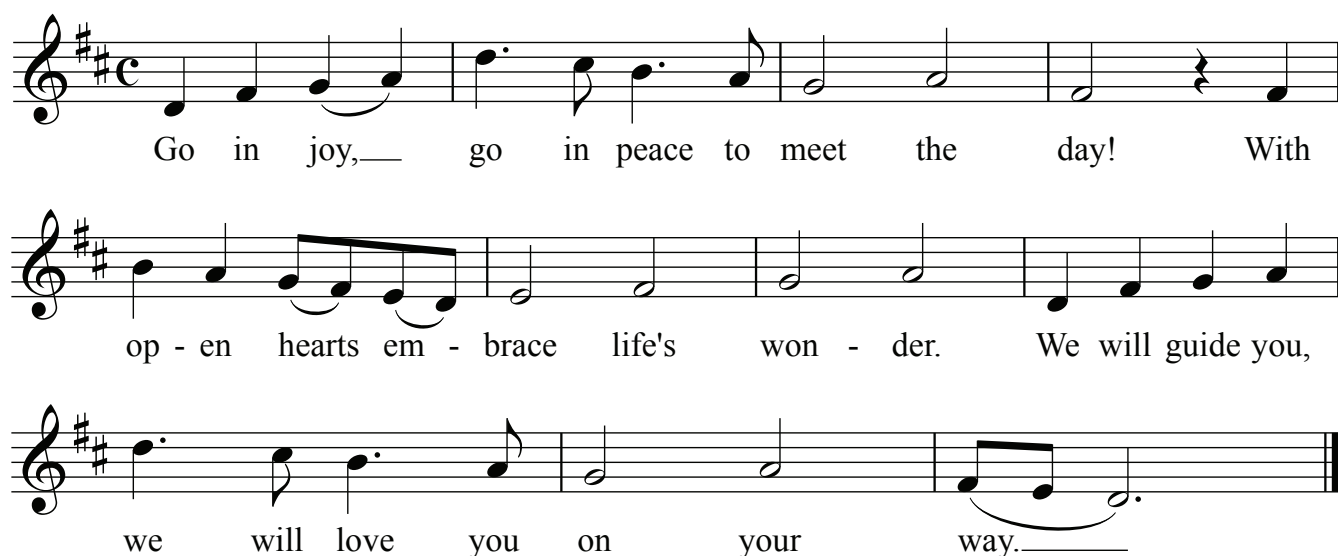
We believe in the acceptance of one another
and the encouragement of spiritual growth.

CHALICE LIGHTING

WELCOME

CHILDREN'S BLESSING

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



Go in joy, — go in peace to meet the day! With
op - en hearts em - brace life's won - der. We will guide you,
we will love you on your way.

*Following the Children's Blessing, all children are always
welcome to join us for Children's Religious Education!*

PARISH HIGHLIGHTS AND GREETINGS

One Member's Journey Rebecca From

***HYMN 112**

Do You Hear?

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 our words, some of us pray through our actions, and some of us use words other than prayer to describe our connection to the divine and 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; J. Jacob Krause, baritone

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 271**

Come Down, O Love Divine Verses 1, 2 Verse 3 Verse 3	Congregation Soloists Congregation
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SERMON

First Things First Rev. Kim K. Crawford Harvie

SILENT REFLECTION, MEDITATION, AND PRAYER

ANTHEM

He Watching Over Israel text: *Psalms 121:4, 138:7*
 music: *Felix Mendelssohn* (b. 1809-1847)

He watching over Israel, slumbers not, nor sleeps.
 Should'st thou, walking in grief, languish, He will quicken thee.

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

Deep River *Trad. African-American Spiritual*
Marques Hollie, tenor arr. *Moses Hogan (1957-2003)*

***HYMN 151**

I Wish I Knew How

***BENEDICTION AND EXTINGUISHING THE CHALICE**

***CHORAL BENEDICTION** (*sung twice; please join us!*)

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

Wilder Reiter, from *Album for the Young, Op. 68*
Molly Wood, piano *Robert Schumann (1810-1856)*

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

TODAY – November 7th, 2010

Children’s Religious Education (CRE)

November’s theme in Children’s Religious Education is our second Unitarian Universalist principle: Everybody should be treated fairly. In our gathering today, we will review our lessons from October on the first Unitarian Universalist principle (Everyone Rocks), and begin to explore how THANKFULLNESS and COMPASSION relate to our second principle.

PLEASE SILENCE YOUR CELL PHONE. THANK YOU!

Service is Our Gift

Assistant Treasurers, Philip Roberts and Scott Schroeder
Candles Coordinators, John M. O’Connor
Lead Greeter, Darcy Roake
Lead Usher, Philip Roberts
Worship Coordinator, George Whitehouse