

Welcome to Arlington Street Church

TODAY – MARCH 10, 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 _____
 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?

I prefer to be contacted by:

- Mail Phone E-mail No preference

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, Arthur Judge

Lead Greeter, Dennis Haley

Lead Usher, Greg Haig

Worship Coordinator, Desmond Ravenstone

Assistant Treasurers, Alma Antoniotti and Gail Jennes

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:

*Art Nava (chair) / Shane McBride (vice-chair)
Christine Curtiss / Greg Haig / Richard Marshall
Dan Moon / Deb Pontes / Ellen Payzant
Harlow Robinson*

OFFICERS OF THE CORPORATION ARE:

*Samuel Gloyd & Karl Paulnack (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."

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**ARLINGTON
STREET CHURCH**
Unitarian Universalist

SUNDAY, MARCH 10TH, 2013

WELCOME, FRIENDS!

**UNITARIAN UNIVERSALISM
DRAWS FROM MANY SOURCES**

OUR FIRST SOURCE

*Direct experience of that transcending
mystery and wonder, affirmed in all
cultures, which moves us to a renewal
of the spirit and an openness to the
forces which create and uphold life*

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, MARCH 10TH, 2013

PRELUDE

- Change Ringing *Anonymous* (c. 16th century)
- Trumpet Tune *Henry Purcell* (1659-1695)
- March Triumphant *Jack Noble White* (b. 1938)
- Now Thank We All Our God *Johann Sebastian Bach* (1685-1750)
- Canon in D *Johann Pachelbel* (1653-1706)
- Rondeau *Jean Joseph Mouret* (1682-1738)

All pieces arranged by *Jack Noble White*

The Dorothy Shaw Bell Choir; Kent Schmadel, Director

WELCOME

CHALICE LIGHTING Catie Scudera

The flaming chalice is the symbol of our free faith.

INTROIT

- The Fifth Principle *Mark David Buckles* (b. 1980)
Glorivy Arroyo, mezzo soprano; Zachary Ballard, baritone
- We believe in democracy and the right of conscience within our community and throughout our world. Amen.

GREETINGS

*HYMN 163

For the Earth Forever Turning

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.

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; Jonathan Price, tenor

Drone
Melody
We pray We

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 1011 (in the teal hymnal)

Return Again

SERMON

Thin Places Rev. Kim K. Crawford Harvie

SILENT REFLECTION, MEDITATION, AND PRAYER

ANTHEM

Salaam (Od Yavo Shalom Aleinu) *Mosh Ben-Ari* (b. 1970)
arranged by *Gayanne Geurin* and *Will Robertson*
Mark David Buckles, guitar and vocals

Od yavo' shalom aleinu	Again peace will come upon us
Ve'al kulam	and on everyone.
Salaam	Peace
Aleinu ve'al kol ha olam	Among us and on all the world
Salaam, Salaam	Peace, Peace

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

- The Angelus *Jack Noble White* (b. 1938)
- An Old Irish Blessing Jack *Noble White*
- The Dorothy Shaw Bell Choir

PARISH HIGHLIGHTS

*HYMN 1008

When Our Heart Is in a Holy Place

*BENEDICTION AND EXTINGUISHING THE CHALICE

Ancient Gaelic blessing

*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

The Rejoicing *G. F. Handel* (1685-1759), arr. *White*
The Dorothy Shaw Bell Choir

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

TODAY in CRE

Children’s Religious Education (CRE)

Welcome to all of our guests for Bring a Friend Sunday! It’s a prefect day to visit! Catie Scudera and Erin Frost will be leading CRE this week. Catie will be talking about Lent and its connections to the environment and to our actions. Erin will guide a hands-on planting project to get us ready for spring!

This Sunday, Laura is running the Youth/Children’s Program in the Berkshires for a GLBT Women’s Jewish retreat through Nehirim. Laura will be back next Sunday.

***Note:** After next Sunday’s service, Arlington Street will be marching in the Vet’s for Peace parade. Hope you can join in!

The Dorothy Shaw Bell Choir

Arlington Street is honored to welcome the Dorothy Shaw Bell Choir, an internationally acclaimed community handbell choir from Fort Worth, Texas. Founded in 1964, the group has evolved to be truly unique among handbell ensembles in that the ringers do not use tables or gloves, and they perform from memory without a conductor. They have performed throughout the world, including at Carnegie Hall with Skitch Henderson and the New York Pops, and at the Vatican for Pope John Paul II. The choir’s members are all students from middle school through college.