# Arlington Street Church, Unitarian Universalist

Boston, Massachusetts

SUNDAY, MARCH 10<sup>th</sup>, 2013

#### Prelude

Change Ringing	Anonymous (c. 16 <sup>th</sup> 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)
А	Ill pieces arranged by Jack Noble White
The Dorothy Shaw Bell Choir; Kent Schmadel, Director	

#### WELCOME

CHALICE LIGHTING	Catie Scudera
The flaming chal	ice is the symbol of our free faith.

## INTROIT

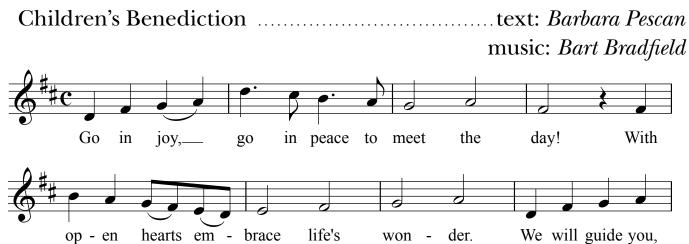
The Fifth Principle ...... *Mark David Buckles* (b. 1980) Glorivy Arroyo, mezzo soprano; Zachary Ballard, baritone We believe in democracy and the right of conscience within our community and throughout our world. Amen.

## GREETINGS

# \*Hymn 163

For the Earth Forever Turning

## **CHILDREN'S BLESSING**





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*.



#### **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 Salaam Aleinu ve'al kol ha olam Salaam, Salaam

and on everyone. Peace Among us and on all the world 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.