

***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

Garrett Barry's/Swallowtail Jig/Banish Misfortune
Traditional Irish Tunes

Children's Programming

The Children's Religious Education (CRE) program begin each Sunday in the sanctuary. After the opening hymn, children/youth are sung out to gather downstairs for age-appropriate CRE groups. Each group begins with a ritual of sharing sorrows and joys before their lesson. Children/youth rejoin the larger community in the sanctuary to end the service together.

Just off the Hunnewell Chapel, there is a nursery for restless babies and their caregivers. This space offers a rocking chair, changing table with supplies, and a live audio feed of the service. For more information about children's programming at Arlington Street Church, please contact Laura Evonne Steinman, Director of CRE, at LES@ASCBoston.org.

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	Spring covers with Allie	Spring cleaning with Lale and Nancy	Clara Barton with Dan and Carol	or come to CRE and assist!	or come to CRE and assist!

Next Sunday is Stop Hunger Now! All hands on deck at 1:00 pm. Also, volunteers are needed to help unload the truck before church. For more information, please contact Laura Evonne at les@ascboston.org
 CRE is starting a Children's Collection Ritual. This offering will be received as the children leave the sanctuary for their CRE groups and added to the congregation's collection for the day.

March Share the Plate: Only a Child

Only a Child, founded in Guatemala City in 1994 by Arlington Street member George Leger, maintains a shelter and carpentry shop and ensures an education for street kids.

The shelter, housing up to a dozen guys at a time, is far more than a place to sleep; it provides a surrogate family in which the youth are taught responsibility and accountability and develop confidence and self-esteem.

All of them work, many in the on-site carpentry shop, where they learn carpentry skills and produce finely crafted cedar boxes they sell to support the program.

They also go to school. In a bid to maximize the kids' chances to leave the streets once and for all, we sponsor their tuition at high-quality independent schools and at university.

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."

Staff Directory

Parish Ministers

Rev. Kim K. Crawford Harvie, *Senior Minister*
Rev. George G. Whitehouse *Minister at Large*
Beth Robbins, *Intern Minister*

Community Ministers

Dr. Arthur Judge
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Rev. Clyde Grubbs
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Rev. Fred Small
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Rev. Joanna Lubkin
Chaplain, Wellesley College
Rev. Vera O'Brien
Chaplain, Brigham and Women's Hospital

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Music

Mark David Buckles, *Director of Music*
Linli Wang, *Organist and Pianist*
Rodger Clinton Vine, *Artist in Residence*

Choir Section Leaders

Julie Gregorio, *soprano*
Emily Jaworski, *mezzo soprano*
Daniel Rosensweig, *tenor*
Lawson Daves, *bass*

Children's Religious Education (CRE)

Laura Evonne Steinman, *CRE Director and Artist in Residence*
Jaimie Dingus, *CRE Assistant*

Administration

Jeffrey Bouchard, *Congregational Administrator*
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All staff members may be reached through the church office

Office@ASCBoston.org or 617-536-7050

Service is Our Gift

Candles Coordinator, *Patrick Cooleybeck*
 Candles Chaplain, *Art Judge*
 Lead Greeter, *Jenn Britt*
 Lead Usher, *Ellen Spencer*
 Worship Coordinator, *Art Nava*
 Assistant Treasurers, *Ellen Spencer & Kevin Tyrrell*



ARLINGTON STREET CHURCH
 Unitarian Universalist

SUNDAY, MARCH 19TH, 2017

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 encouragement 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

Arlington Street Church
 Boston, Massachusetts
 Founded in 1729

Gathered in love and service for justice and peace

Arlington Street Church, Unitarian Universalist

Boston, Massachusetts

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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

Donnybrook Fair/Lilting Banshee/Maid on the Green
The Merry Blacksmith/Dunmore Lassies/My Love is in America
Kitty's Wedding/Off to California *Traditional Irish Tunes*

Ulster Landing

Karen Burciaga, fiddle
Daniel Meyers, uilleann pipes, tin whistle
Matthew Wright, bouzouki

WELCOME AND CHALICE LIGHTING

The flaming chalice is the symbol of our free faith

INTROIT

Freedom Come Aa Ye text: *Hamish Henderson* (1919 - 2002)
tune: *John McLellan*

Daniel Meyers, baritone

*GREETINGS

*HYMN 368

Now Let Us Sing

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!

About Today's Featured Musicians

Ulster Landing is a Boston-based band of fiddle, harp, bouzouki, and uilleann (Irish) pipes. They specialize in folk music of various Celtic traditions: Scotland and Ireland, but also Wales, Cornwall, Brittany in northwestern France, and Galicia in northwestern Spain. The name Ulster Landing is inspired by the Irish province of Ulster, where Scottish and English settlers landed in the 17th century. These "Scotch Irish" developed their own Scots dialect, Ullans, and a culture distinct from the rest of Ireland. Thus, the band's name honors the variety of musical styles found across diverse nations.

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)

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 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 6

Just as Long as I Have Breath
to the tune of *Hymn 21 For the Beauty of the Earth*

SERMON

Yes! *Beth Robbins*, Intern Minister

SILENT REFLECTION, MEDITATION, AND PRAYER

ANTHEM

Who But I? music: *Daniel Brewbaker* (b. 1951)
from *Out of the Mist, Above the Real ...* text: attrib. to *Amergin Ghíingel*
(poet and druid of the Irish Mythological Cycle)

Karen Burciaga, violin
Julie Metcalf, viola
Daniel Meyers, uilleann pipes

I am Wind upon the Sea,
I am Wave of the Ocean,
I am Murmur of the Billows,
I am Ray of Golden Sun,
I am Hawk above the Cliff,
I am Wild Boar in Valour,
I am Point of Lance in Battle,
I am Stag of Seven Tynes.

Who but I can throw the Light upon the Meeting of the
Mountains?

Who but I will cry aloud the Ageless Phases of the Moon?

Who but I can know the place where Sun returns at Time
of Rest?

Who but I? Who but I?

I am Fairest of the Flowers,
I am Song of the Blackbird,
I am Salmon in the Water,
I am Word of Magic Art.

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

OUR SHARED RESPONSIBILITY

During the offertory, you are invited to open your heart and engage in the spiritual practice of generosity. For 288 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. As a convenient option, you may text the word GIVE to 617-300-0509 or scan the QR code.



Thank you for your stewardship and support!

OFFERTORY

The Eagle's Whistle

Sheebeg and Sheemore *Traditional Irish Tunes*

PARISH HIGHLIGHTS

*HYMN

If You Want to Sing Out, Sing Out *Yusuf Islam* (b. 1948)

Mark David Buckles, guitar and vocals
Julie Metcalf, violin and vocals

Well, if you want to sing out, sing out
And if you want to be free, be free
'Cause there's a million things to be
You know that there are

And if you want to live high, live high
And if you want to live low, live low
'Cause there's a million ways to go
You know that there are

Chorus

You can do what you want
The opportunity's on
And if you can find a new way,
You can do it today
You can make it all true
And you can make it undo
You see, ah ah ah
It's easy, ah ah ah
You only need to know

Well if you want to say yes, say yes
And if you want to say no, say no
'Cause there's a million ways to go
You know that there are

And if you want to be me, be me
And if you want to be you, be you
'Cause there's a million things to do
You know that there are

Chorus

Well, if you want to sing out, sing out
And if you want to be free, be free
'Cause there's a million things to be
You know that there are