# **Welcome to Arlington Street Church**

# **TODAY – JUNE 17, 2012**

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 nametag(s) for Sunday worship.  (Nametags are placed on a rack in the vestibule.)
☐ Check here if you do <i>not</i> want to receive <b>Snapshot</b> , the e-newsletter of ASC with bi-weekly highlights of our community.
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

#### **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

Any usher will be happy to help!

#### Service is Our Gift

Assistant Treasurers, Ellen Spencer and Carol Fisher Candles Coordinator, Ann Clarke Lead Greeter, Nancy Perna Lead Usher, Ellen Spencer Worship Coordinator, Rev. Rebecca Froom

#### 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 & Deb Pontes (co-chairs)/ Carmen Griggs Richard Marshall / Shane McBride / Karl Paulnack Ellen Payzant / Harlow Robinson / Bob Sessions

#### OFFICERS OF THE CORPORATION ARE:

Dan Moon (council chair) / Samuel Gloyd & Diana Miller (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. There is an adjacent toddler room for parents with children ages 1-5. Children rejoin their families in the sanctuary to end the service. For information about our CRE program, please contact the church office or see our religious educator.

During the service, fussy babies and their parents are invited to the nursery just off the Hunnewell Chapel, where a rocker, changing table, and supplies are available, and the service is piped in.

## 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

Discounted parking on Sundays is available at the Back Bay Garage. Coupons are available at the Welcome Table after worship. Street parking may be available on Arlington Street past "The Castle."

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SUNDAY, JUNE 17<sup>TH</sup>, 2012 HAPPY FATHERS DAY

Unitarian Universalism PROMOTES SEVEN PRINCIPLES:

OUR FOURTH PRINCIPLE:

A free and responsible search for truth and meaning.

> **Arlington Street Church** Boston, Massachusetts Founded in 1729

Gathered in love and service for justice and peace

# Arlington Street Church, Unitarian Universalist

SUNDAY, JUNE 17<sup>TH</sup>, 2012

## **PRELUDE**

## **CALL TO WORSHIP**

Matt Meyer, vocals and percussion

### WELCOME

## PARISH HIGHLIGHTS AND GREETINGS

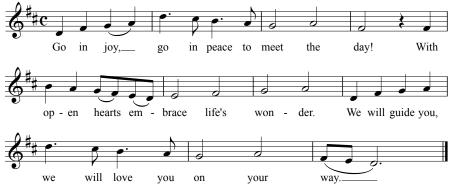
One Member's Journey: A Call to Connections ...... Art Nava

#### \*Hymn 1018

Come and Go with Me to that Land

## CHILDREN'S BLESSING

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



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

# 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*.



## 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.

# \*HYMN 295

Sing Out Praises for the Journey

#### SERMON

## SILENT REFLECTION, MEDITATION, AND PRAYER

#### ANTHEM

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

Improvisation

Matt Meyer, percussion

# \*HYMN 95

There Is More Love Somewhere

### CHORAL BENEDICTION

An Irish Blessing ...... text: Traditional Gaelic Blessing music: Everett Reed

May the road rise to meet you.

May the wind be always at your back.

May the sun shine warm upon your face.

May the rains fall soft upon your fields.

And until we meet again,

May God hold you in the palm of His/Her hand.

### \*Benediction and Extinguishing the Chalice

## \*Recessional (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

Improvisation

Matt Meyer, percussion

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

Hymns numbered 1000 and higher appear in the teal hymnal,

"Singing the Journey."

## **TODAY** in CRE

# Children's Religious Education (CRE)

Happy Fathers Day! We will spend this Sunday wrapping up and reflecting on our year together. Thanks to everyone who made this year so wonderful!

Have an amazing summer! If you would like to be involved with CRE starting in September, please email Laura Evonne this month (LES@ASCBoston.org).