



# ARLINGTON STREET CHURCH

Unitarian Universalist

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 4<sup>TH</sup>, 2011

## PRELUDE

Invocatio Dona nobis pacem ..... *Heinz Wunderlich* (b. 1919)  
Luca Massaglia, organ; Isabella Stabio, soprano saxophone

## CALL TO WORSHIP

To Worship (Responsive Reading 441) ..... *Jacob Trapp*

**CHALICE LIGHTING** ..... Harlow Robinson  
For Every Time ..... *M. Maureen Killoran*

## WELCOME, PARISH HIGHLIGHTS, AND GREETINGS

### \*HYMN 347

Gather the Spirit

**A LITANY FOR LABOR DAY** ..... *Interfaith Worker Justice*, adapted  
Congregational Response: “*Source of Compassion, hear our cry*”

## 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](http://ASCBoston.org), by clicking on “Worship.”

### Spirit of Life (Hymn 123)

Spirit of Life, come unto me.  
Sing in my heart all the  
stirrings of compassion.  
Blow in the wind, rise in  
the sea;  
Move in the hand, giving  
life the shape of justice.  
Roots hold me close; wings  
set me free;  
Spirit of Life, come to me,  
come to me.

*Fuente de Amor, ven hacia mí.  
Y al corazón,  
cántale tu compasión.  
Sopla al volar,  
sube en la mar;  
Hasta moldear  
la justicia de la vida  
Arráigame,  
libérame,  
Fuente de Amor, ven a mí,  
ven a mí.*

## **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 163**

For the Earth Forever Turning

## **SERMON**

Held in the Hands of the World ..... Rebecca Froom, Intern Minister

## **SILENT REFLECTION, MEDITATION, AND PRAYER**

### **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**

Romanze from *Suite No. 1* ..... *Hans-André Stamm* (b. 1958)  
Gabriel's Oboe ..... *Ennio Morricone* (b. 1928)  
Luca Massaglia, organ; Isabella Stabio, soprano saxophone

### **\*HYMN 298**

Wake, Now, My Senses

### **\*BENEDICTION AND EXTINGUISHING THE CHALICE**

## **POSTLUDE**

Allegro non troppo from *Suite No. 1* ... *Hans-André Stamm* (b. 1958)  
Luca Massaglia, organ; Isabella Stabio, soprano saxophone

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

**PLEASE SILENCE YOUR CELL PHONE. THANK YOU!**

### **Service is Our Gift**

Rebecca Froom, *Guest Speaker*  
Harlow Robinson, *Worship Coordinator*  
Philip Roberts & Scott Schroeder, *Assistant Treasurers*  
Charles Dimino, *Candles Coordinator*  
Nancy Perna, *Lead Greeter*  
Philip Roberts, *Lead Usher*