



ARLINGTON STREET CHURCH, UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST

Boston, Massachusetts

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SUNDAY, JULY 28, 2024

PRELUDE

Don't be afraid.....*Seokjoo Hyun*

Le Jardin.....*Kevin Kern (b.1958)*

Hyunju Jung (she/her), piano

WELCOME, CHALICE LIGHTING, AND LAND ACKNOWLEDGMENT

Pat Scanlon (He/Him)

The flaming chalice is the symbol of our free faith.

*Hymn #121

We'll Build A Land.....*Carolyn McDade (b. 1935)*

We'll build a land where we bind up the broken.

We'll build a land where the captives go free,

where the oil of gladness dissolves all mourning.

Oh, we'll build a promised land that can be.

(Chorus)

Come build a land where sisters and brothers, anointed by God, may then create peace: where justice shall roll down like waters, and peace like an ever flowing stream.

We'll build a land where we bring the good tidings

to all the afflicted and all those who mourn.

And we'll give them garlands instead of ashes.

Oh, we'll build a land where peace is born.

(Chorus)

We'll be a land building up ancient cities, raising up devastations from old;

restoring ruins of generations.

Oh, we'll build a land of people so bold.

(Chorus)

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

Come, build a land where the mantles of Oh, come build the land, my people we
praises seek.
resound from spirits once faint and once (Chorus)
weak;
where like oaks of righteousness stand
her people.

GREETINGS Rev. Ali Jablonsky (She/Her), Worship Coordinator

***HYMN #155**

Circle 'Round for Freedom.....Linda Hirschborn (b. 1947)

Circle 'round for freedom, circle 'round for peace,
for all of us imprisoned, circle for release,
circle for the planet, circle for each soul,
for the children of our children, keep the circle whole.

COMMUNITY CANDLES OF SORROW AND JOY

Sanctuary *John W. Thompson* (b. 1950) & *Randy Scruggs* (1953–2018)
adaptation: *Crawford Harvie/Buckles*
arrangement: *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

*To have your candle of sorrow or joy read during the service,
please submit it in advance at ASCBoston.org.
During the service, candles are welcome in the Zoom chat.*

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 out 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 #100**

I've Got Peace Like a River.....*Anonymous*

I've got peace like a river,
I've got peace like a river,
I've got peace like a river in my soul. (2x)

I've got joy like a fountain...

I've got love like an ocean...

I've got pain like an arrow...

I've got tears like the raindrops ...

I've got strength like a mountain ...

SERMON

Second TourPat Scanlon

SILENT REFLECTION, MEDITATION, AND PRAYER

ANTHEM

Second Tour..... *Pat Scanlon*

Hannah Shanefield (She/Her), soprano
Hyunju Jung, piano

OUR SHARED RESPONSIBILITY

Friends, these are extraordinary times that call for extraordinary generosity. Since 1729, the support of our community has allowed Arlington Street to thrive as a beacon of love, service, justice, and peace. This congregation is entirely self-supporting. It's up to us to finance the beloved spiritual community we want to create! Today, we invite you to be part of Arlington Street's story of devotion, innovation, and transformational generosity. Please consider making a special gift to this morning's offering.



WAYS TO GIVE

1. Scan the QR code
2. Visit tinyurl.com/GiveASC
3. Search @ArlingtonStreet on Venmo (Charities)
4. Text the word "GIVE" to (617) 300-0509
5. Mail a check to Arlington Street Church

If you're ready to give regularly, you can set up automatic payments at tinyurl.com/GiveASC or by contacting Liz Teixeira at Treasurer@ASCBoston.org. Rev Beth and many of our most devoted members and friends pledge 5-10% of their income each year. In addition, we encourage you to provide now for a future gift to Arlington Street by remembering the church in your will. Thank you for helping to ensure a robust future for our beloved spiritual community!

Whatever you give is greatly appreciated. Thank you for your generosity!

SHARE THE PLATE

Generosity is a spiritual practice at Arlington Street. Because sharing our resources transforms both ourselves and our world, we share our Sunday offering with a partner in our mission of love, service, justice, and peace.

Since September, we have given generously to many causes about which we are passionate including International Medical Corps, NEADS service dogs, Best Friends Animal Society, Only a Child (Guatemala), Friday Night Supper Program, Lend a Hand, Renewal House, Sisters of Perpetual Indulgence, and Gay for Good.

During the summer months, our Share the Plate offerings are saved for future emergencies and to help in rescue and rebuilding efforts following natural (and unnatural) disasters, amplifying our impact around the world.

To make your gift, please visit www.tinyurl.com/GiveASC; scan the QR code above; or text the amount you want to give and the word **SHARE** (ex. \$50 SHARE) to (617) 300-0509. *Thank you for your generosity!*

OFFERTORY

Ice Pond.....*Jinwoo Park*
 Hyunju Jung, piano

PARISH HIGHLIGHTS

***Special Music**

Safety Pin..... *Pat Scanlon*

Chorus: I wear this pin upon my chest, Love always Trumps hatred, this will be
above my heart with pride our guide
Bigotry and hatred, there is no place to
hide
Stand with me, I'll stand by you, we'll
stand side by side

BENEDICTION AND EXTINGUISHING THE CHALICE

RECESSIONAL

Where You Go (I Will Go) *Shoshana Jedwab* (b. 1964)
arrangement: *Mark David Buckles* (b. 1980)

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| Where you go I will go, beloved | For your people are my people |
| Where you go I will go | Your people are mine |
| Where you go I will go, beloved | Your people are my people |
| Where you go I will go | Your divine, my divine |

POSTLUDE

Square's Dream.....*Youngsuk Yoo* (b.1965)
Hyunju Jung, piano



** Out of respect for Arlington Street Church members and friends who are Jewish,
we follow the tradition of not spelling out G*d's name.*

Flowers on the High Pulpit

Would you like to make a gift of flowers for the entire congregation to enjoy
on a Sunday morning? You can make your dedication in memory,
in honor, or in celebration of someone or something you love.

You can have flowers delivered or bring your own
(a minimum of two dozen flowers is perfect for our huge space).
Please email office@ASCBoston.org to claim your date! *Thank you!*