

## Kundalini Yoga Class

Wednesday, November 10<sup>th</sup> ~ 6:00 PM, Hunnewell Chapel

Experience fun exercises and poses, breathing techniques, chanting, meditation, and deep relaxation in this unique class. Moving energy through your body brings positive change and growth. There will be a \$10 charge that will go to the church.

## The Wednesdays: Death in Five Wednesdays

November 10<sup>th</sup> and 17<sup>th</sup> plus December 8<sup>th</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup>

6:00-8:00 PM, Frothingham Library

You're welcome to join Professor Alan Helms and Rev. Kim for as little or as much as you're able for our next Wednesdays, Arlington Street's literary salon, in which we will explore the world's most perennially fascinating, most mysterious, most frightening to many, most cataclysmic to all, most profoundly important subject in the whole of literature: DEATH. There's not a great writer in world literature who hasn't written about it, and we're reading some of the best.

On November 10<sup>th</sup> we begin Thomas Mann's brilliant Death in Venice, in which an eminent, lonely German writer sojourning in Venice ignores rumors of an impending plague and chooses instead to remain in the death-haunted city because of his infatuation with the beautiful Tadzio, his memorable angel of death. On November 17<sup>th</sup>, we move to Antiguan writer Jamaica Kincaid's My Brother, a poignant memoir about her youngest brother Devon's AIDS-related death, in which she explores the nature of love, family ties, and loss.

*Come one, come all; come for one, come for all! All are welcome!*

## Soul Sisters

Saturday, November 13<sup>th</sup> ~ 10:00 AM, Chapel

Soul Sisters is a women's spirituality group that meets on the second Saturday of each month. Our small group format, coupled with topics chosen to facilitate sharing and reflection, provides opportunities for deepening relationships and building community. The time together is spent sharing, listening, laughing, and enjoying a meal. If you are interested in joining the group, please ask for information at the welcome table during coffee hour or contact the church office.

## DRUUMM

Sunday, November 14<sup>th</sup> ~ 5:00 PM, Chapel

The first monthly worship sponsored by Diverse, Revolutionary, Unitarian Universalist Multicultural Ministries (DRUUMM), will be a pot-luck fellowship followed by worship. This is a worship service by and for people of color and their families, including children. Please bring a dish and a memento of your life to share with this community.

## New Member Class

Monday, January 10<sup>th</sup> ~ 6:00 PM, Perkins Room

All interested newcomers are warmly invited to our next new member class, which meets on two Monday evenings. The date for the second meeting is still to be determined. Please sign up at the Welcome Table downstairs in the Parish Hall after the service. All are welcome!

## COVENANT RENEWAL PLEDGE FORM 2010 thru. 2011

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

I/We Commit an Annual Total Of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ to Support the Work of the Arlington Street Church for 2010-2011.

My/Our Pledge for the Year Will Be Paid:

Weekly  Monthly  Quarterly

Semi-annually  One payment  Or As Follows: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Contributions may be made via cash, check, or credit card. If you are paying your pledge with cash via the Sunday collection, be sure to clearly mark the envelope with your name(s) and indicate "**Pledge Payment**". Checks should be made payable to Arlington Street Church and also please include "2011 pledge payment" on memo line. If you wish to use a credit card, please complete the information below:

Mastercard  Visa Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Credit Card #: \_\_\_\_\_

Expiration Date: \_\_\_\_\_

One Time Charge  Monthly Contribution

### SUGGESTION BOX

The staff and leadership of Arlington Street Church welcome your ideas, comments, and suggestions. If you have a thought to share about what works well or what could be improved, please send a message to [Comments@ASCBoston.org](mailto:Comments@ASCBoston.org). Your message will be received by the Church's administrative assistant so it can find its way to the appropriate people. Please speak your "truths in love" and include your name and contact information so we can follow-up. Thanks! For emergencies, please see "**Our Caring Community**" to the right.

### INSIDE SUBMISSION GUIDELINES

Please email all Sunday "Inside" announcements before Tuesday noon to [print@ascboston.org](mailto:print@ascboston.org). Phyllis Guiliano (church administrator) will receive this email and will compile all of the announcements for publication. Materials must be legible, signed, and fully composed and may be edited, as space is limited. Please note that we only publish submissions related to Arlington Street events or the wider Unitarian Universalist community.

### SCHEDULING EVENTS AT ARLINGTON STREET CHURCH

All issues dealing with building usage, for both congregational usage and rentals, must be coordinated by Jeffrey Bouchard, Assistant to the Administrator. Jeffrey is able to help you Monday – Friday, 8:00 AM – 3:00 PM. He can be reached by phone at 617-536-7050 ext. 14 or by e-mail at [JBouchard@ASCBoston.org](mailto:JBouchard@ASCBoston.org).

### OUR CARING COMMUNITY

In the event of a disruption or major transition in the life of an Arlington Street member, please inform the church office. Our staff and ministers will be in touch to lend support.

### SECURITY NOTE

This is an urban church. Please do not leave your valuables unattended!

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# INSIDE

ARLINGTON STREET CHURCH

## NEWS FROM THE SOUL OF SUNDAY

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 7<sup>TH</sup>, 2010

## CONGREGATIONAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

### Coffee Hour

Parish Hall, immediately following the worship service

Let's gather downstairs for coffee, comestibles, and community! If you're visiting Arlington Street Church, or would like information about Unitarian Universalism, please visit the Welcome Table. All are welcome!

### Get In Touch with Your Inner Queen of Clean!

Today, November 7<sup>th</sup> ~ 12:30-2:30 PM, Sanctuary

The Arlington Street Church Breads' Altar Guild (BAGs) is sponsoring a Dustathon. We are looking for volunteers of all ages to help dust pews and hymnal holders, polish wood, and in general spruce up the joint! The BAGs will provide dusting cloths, other cleaning supplies, and music to dust by. You bring some elbow grease and a sense of humor!

### Buy Fair Traded Christmas Gifts

Today, 12:00 PM, Parish Hall

Come to the Social Action table during coffee hour to order fair traded coffee, tea, snacks, and gift baskets from Equal Exchange; plus crafts from Ten Thousand Villages. Forty per cent of the purchase price will go to support the work of the Social Action Committee.

### Standing on the Side of Love!

### Vigil for Immigrant Justice

Today, November 7<sup>th</sup> ~ 2 PM, Suffolk County Detention Center

Join the New Sanctuary Movement's Vigil for Immigrant Justice. We will meet at the Social Action table at 1:15 PM in the Parish Hall to organize rides. Arlington Street Church is a member of New Sanctuary Movement.

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## CONGREGATIONAL ANNOUNCEMENTS continued...

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### The Radicalization of Margaret Fuller

Today, November 7<sup>th</sup> ~ 3 PM, Sanctuary

Two experts, John Matteson and Daniel McKanan, will lead a “Margaret Fuller-style” conversation entitled “The Radicalization of Margaret Fuller,” followed by a discussion. The scholarly presentations are:

**Clouded by Secret Sin:** Margaret Fuller and the Darker Side of Women in the Nineteenth Century, with John Matteson, Associate Professor of English at John Jay College of Criminal Justice, CUNY, and Pulitzer Prize winning author of Eden’s Outcasts: The Story of Louisa May Alcott and Her Father.

**Margaret Fuller and 1848:** Forging a United Radical Tradition, with Daniel McKanan. Professor McKanan is Ralph Waldo Emerson Unitarian Universalist Association Senior Lecturer in Divinity at Harvard Divinity School and author of a forthcoming 200 year history of religion and radical politics in the United States, which includes Margaret Fuller’s friendship with Italian revolutionary Giuseppe Mazzini.

The program will be moderated by Rev. Kim Crawford Harvie, with an overview of Margaret Fuller’s life by the Rev. Dorothy Emerson. This free event is co-sponsored by Arlington Street Church and is open to the public. Donations will be accepted. The traveling display “Why Margaret Fuller Matters” will be shown, and refreshments will be served. For details, additional programs, and resources on Margaret Fuller, please visit [www.margaretfuller.org](http://www.margaretfuller.org).

### Arlington Street Church Corporation Meeting

Sunday, November 14<sup>th</sup> ~ 12:30 PM, Sanctuary

#### Agenda:

- \*Membership Update ..... David McClain
- \*Ministerial Intern Committee .....Don Rickter
- Treasurer’s Report ..... Susie Nacco
- Prudential Committee Report ..... Doug Fiero
- Social Action Committee Report ..... Peter Lowber
- Special Report, Indulge 2011 .....Sharon Pressly Fiero, Dan Fournier
- Other Business

\*Indicates vote required

### Vision 2013:

#### Doubling Our Membership at Arlington Street Church!

Tuesday, November 16<sup>th</sup> ~ 6:30-8:00 PM, Hunnewell Chapel

How is Arlington Street Church changing your life? Do you know people who are Unitarian Universalists but don’t know it? A

*We invite you to cut out this calendar and clip it to your refrigerator or bulletin board!*

## Coming Up...

### Sunday, November 7, 2010

- 9:30 AM Choir Rehearsal ~ Sanctuary
- 11:00 AM Sunday Morning Worship ~ Sanctuary
- 11:15 AM Children’s Religious Education ~ Perkins Room
- 12:00 PM Coffee Hour ~ Parish Hall
- 12:30 PM After Hello: Talking about Unitarian Universalism ~ Clarke
- 12:30 PM Dustathon ~ Sanctuary
- 3:00 PM The Radicalization of Margaret Fuller ~ Sanctuary

### Monday, November 8, 2010

- 7:00 PM Gay Men’s Spirituality Group ~ Chapel

### Tuesday, November 9, 2010

- 6:00 PM Buddha’s Belly ~ Chapel
- 6:30 PM Immigration as a Moral Issue Reading Group ~ Frothingham
- 7:00 PM Arlington Street Zen Center ~ Chapel

### Wednesday, November 10, 2010

- \*3:30 PM Staff Meeting ~ Perkins Room
- 6:00 PM Kundalini Yoga ~ Chapel
- 6:00 PM The Wednesdays Literary Salon ~ Frothingham Library

### Thursday, November 11, 2010

- Veteran’s Day Church Office Closed
- 5:30 PM Finance Committee ~ Perkins Room
- 7:00 PM Choir Rehearsal ~ Clarke Room

### Friday, November 12, 2010

- 5:00 PM Friday Night Supper Program ~ Parish Hall | Kitchen

### Saturday, November 13, 2010

- 10:00 AM Soul Sisters ~ Perkins Room

### Sunday, November 14, 2010

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- 9:30 AM Social Action Committee ~ Smith Room
- 11:00 AM Sunday Morning Worship ~ Sanctuary
- 11:15 AM Children’s Religious Education ~ Perkins Room
- 12:00 PM Coffee Hour ~ Parish Hall
- 12:30 PM Corporation Meeting ~ Sanctuary
- 5:00 PM DRUUMM ~ Hunnewell Chapel

**NOTE:** This calendar is accurate as of noon the Tuesday before publication and only includes events directly related to the congregation. For complete, up-to-date calendar listings over the coming months, visit [www.ASCBoston.org](http://www.ASCBoston.org).

\* Denotes closed meetings

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critical mass of people living the Unitarian Universalist principles can transform the world! Let’s spread the word and become a congregation of 500 members.

How do we get there? What steps do we take along the way? What investments must we make? How much time will it take? Let’s get started!

Our first session will be brainstorming. All creative and imaginative ideas are welcome and will be seriously considered. It will all serve as input for the Prudential as we set priorities and plan the concrete steps that will impact us for years to come. We welcome, we urge, and we need your participation in this important discussion!

### Information on Tiffany Window Watercolors

Please see [www.cwebdev.com/Watercolors/index.htm](http://www.cwebdev.com/Watercolors/index.htm) to learn about the Tiffany Windows watercolors and the proposal Holly Hendricks made at the June Corporation meeting about placing the watercolors at the Andover Harvard Divinity School library for preservation and research.

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## ADULT RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

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### After Hello: Talking about Unitarian Universalism

Today, November 7<sup>th</sup> ~ 12:30 PM, Clarke Room

How do we talk about Unitarian Universalism with those who are unfamiliar with our faith’s traditions? Join our Intern Minister, Rebecca Froom, for an interactive workshop on how to have a conversation about our religious community!

### Reading Group: Immigration as a Moral Issue

Tuesday, November 9<sup>th</sup> ~ 6:30-8:00 PM, Frothingham Library (part 2)  
Sunday November 21<sup>st</sup>, 9:30-11:00 am, Carol Smith Room (part 2)

Join us for the final part of a two-part reflection and discussion group in response to Margaret Reagan’s recent book *The Death of Josseline: Immigration Stories from the Arizona-Mexico Borderlands* (Beacon Press, 2010, 218 pp).

Attend either the Tuesday or Sunday session in which we will reflect on Chapters 5-10. The Tuesday session will be facilitated by our Intern Minister, Rebecca Froom, and the Sunday session will be facilitated by Doug Fiero and Sam Gloyd.

### Buddha’s Belly ~ The Buddhist Book Discussion of the Arlington Zen Center

Tuesday, November 9<sup>th</sup> ~ 6:00 PM, Hunnewell Chapel

Buddha’s Belly meets every 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday throughout the church year. We are currently discussing Chogyam Trungpa’s *Smile at Fear*, through chapter 3. Buddha’s Belly is followed by gatherings of the Arlington Street Zen Center at 7:00 PM with seated and walking meditations, a dharma talk, and conversation. All are welcome!

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