

Arlington Street Church, Unitarian Universalist

Boston, Massachusetts

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SUNDAY, JANUARY 15TH, 2023

HONORING THE LIFE OF REV. DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.

PRELUDE

We've a Story to Tell the Nations *Henry Ernest Nichol* (1842 – 1899)

Higher Ground *Johnson Oatman Jr.* (1856 – 1922)

arrangement: *Seonha Son*

Precious Lord, Take My Hand *Thomas A. Dorsey* (1899 – 1993)

arrangement: *Eunmi Lee*

Hyunju Jung, piano

WELCOME, CHALICE LIGHTING, AND LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

Rev. Kim K. Crawford Harvie, Senior Minister

The flaming chalice is the symbol of our free faith.

INTROIT

The Second Principle *Mark David Buckles* (b. 1980)

Andrew Stack, baritone

We believe in justice, equity, and compassion in all relations. Amen.

GREETINGS Darrell Waters, Worship Coordinator

***HYMN 153**

Woke Up This Morning with My Mind Stayed on Freedom

African American Spiritual

Oh, I woke up this morning with my mind

(And it was stayed) stayed on freedom

Woke up this morning with my mind

(And it was stayed) stayed on freedom

Woke up this morning with my mind

(And it was stayed) stayed on freedom

Hallelu, Hallelu, Halleluia

I was walking and talking with my mind

(And it was stayed) stayed on freedom

Walking and talking with my mind

(And it was stayed) stayed on freedom

Walking and talking with my mind

(And it was stayed) stayed on freedom

Hallelu, Hallelu, Halleluia

I was singing and praying with my mind
(And it was stayed) stayed on freedom
Singing and praying with my mind
(And it was stayed) stayed on freedom
Singing and praying with my mind
(And it was stayed) stayed on freedom
Hallelu, Hallelu, Halleluia

Oh, I woke up this morning with my mind
(And it was stayed) stayed on freedom
Woke up this morning with my mind
(And it was stayed) stayed on freedom
Woke up this morning with my mind
(And it was stayed) stayed on freedom
Hallelu, Hallelu, Halleluia!
Hallelu, Hallelu, Halleluia!

COMMUNITY CANDLES OF SORROW & JOY

Sanctuary *John W. Thompson and Randy Scruggs (b. 1953)*
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 [here](#). During the service, candles are welcome in the Zoom chat.

AFFIRMATION AND COVENANT

Love is the spirit	El amor es el espíritu
of this congregation,	de nuestra congregación
And service is our gift.	Y el servicio es nuestro regalo.
This is our great covenant:	Esto es a lo que nos comprometemos:
To dwell together in peace,	Convivir en paz,
To speak our truths in love,	Hablar nuestras verdades con amor,
And to help one another.	Y ayudarnos los unos a los otros.

***HYMN 199**

Precious Lord, Take My Hand *Thomas A. Dorsey (1899 – 1993)*
arrangement: *Mark David Buckles (b. 1980)*

Chorus

Precious Lord, take my hand, lead me on, let me stand,
I am tired, I am weak, I am worn;
Through the storm, through the night, lead me on to the light,
Take my hand, precious Lord, lead me home.

When my way grows drear, precious Lord, linger near,
When my life is almost gone,
Hear my cry, hear my call, hold my hand lest I fall;
Take my hand, precious Lord, lead me home.

Chorus

When the darkness appears and the night draws near,
And the day is past and gone,
At the river I stand, guide my feet, hold my hand;
Take my hand, precious Lord, lead me home.

Chorus

SERMON

Creative Maladjustment Rev. Kim K. Crawford Harvie

SILENT REFLECTION, MEDITATION, AND PRAYER

ANTHEM

How Long text and music: *Pepper Choplin*

How long, how long 'til this world is free from suffering?
How long, how long 'til blessed peace will reign?
How long, how long 'til the pow'r of love will come
And heaven's will be done? How long, how long?

How long, how long 'til every gun is silenced?
How long, how long 'til hate and war shall end;
'Til every battle's thunder will fade to blessed peace
And sounds of war will cease? How long, how long?

Press on, press on, let faith and hope sustain you.
Press on, press on, keep working for the day
When all of G*d's children will live in peace as one.
Until that new day comes, press on, press on.

Send me, send me to work for the kingdom.
Send me, send me to go and live for peace.
Until the love of heaven to earth shall descend
And peace will reign again, send me, send me.

Press on, we'll press on. We will sing a peaceful song!
But still we're praying on, how long, how long?

OUR SHARED RESPONSIBILITY

These are extraordinary times that call for extraordinary generosity. At the top of the pandemic, we shut down the sanctuary and committed to continue to pay our staff ... with no idea when we might reopen. Without missing a beat, our Tech Team pivoted to a virtual format — and so did we all. As the virus raged, we nourished a dream of the day when we might once again reopen the Great Doors and made wildly expensive upgrades to our sound system, purchased technology to support a hybrid service format, and readily agreed to make it available to the community partners who share our mission and this beautiful space. And all the while, Arlington Street members and friends have given with open, grateful hands.

Today, we invite you to be part of Arlington Street's pandemic story — a story of devotion, innovation, and transformational generosity. To make your gift,



please scan the QR code; visit www.tinyurl.com/GiveASC; search [@ArlingtonStreet](https://www.venmo.com/@ArlingtonStreet) on Venmo, or text the word GIVE to (617) 300-0509. If you're ready to give regularly, Liz Teixeira (treasurer@ascboston.org) would be delighted to assist you with setting up [automatic payments](#). We are so grateful! *Thank you!*

JANUARY'S SHARE THE PLATE: FRIDAY NIGHT SUPPER PROGRAM

Established here at Arlington Street in 1984, the Friday Night Supper Program (fridaynightsupper.org) provides nutritious, home-cooked meals to Boston's hungry and unhoused people. They also distribute warm clothing and outerwear throughout the winter. Our own Art Nava and Patrice Keegan serve on the board; Barbara Gindhart is a longtime volunteer.

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

OFFERTORY

Pride U2

Mark David Buckles, guitar and vocals
Julie Metcalf, violin and vocals
Sam LaGrego, percussion

One man come in the name of love
One man come and go
One man come he to justify
One man to overthrow

In the name of love
What more in the name of love
In the name of love
What more in the name of love

One man caught on a barbed wire fence
One man he resist
One man washed on an empty beach
One man betrayed with a kiss

In the name of love
What more in the name of love
In the name of love
What more in the name of love

Early evening, April four
Shot rings out in the Memphis sky
Free at last, they took your life
They could not take your pride

In the name of love
What more in the name of love
In the name of love
What more in the name of love

PARISH HIGHLIGHTS

*HYMN

Ain't Gonna Let Nobody Turn Me Around *African American Spiritual*, adapted

Ain't gonna let nobody turn me around
Turn me around, turn me around
Ain't gonna let nobody turn me around

I'm gonna keep on a-walkin', keep on a-talkin'
Marchin' up to freedom land.

Ain't gonna let no racism turn me around
Turn me around, turn me around
Ain't gonna let no racism turn me around
I'm gonna keep on a-walkin', keep on a-talkin'
Marchin' up to freedom land.

Ain't gonna let no injustice turn me around
Turn me around, turn me around
Ain't gonna let no injustice turn me around
I'm gonna keep on a-walkin', keep on a-talkin'
Marchin' up to freedom land.

Ain't gonna let no apathy turn me around
Turn me around, turn me around
Ain't gonna let no apathy turn me around
I'm gonna keep on a-walkin', keep on a-talkin'
Marchin' up to freedom land.

Ain't gonna let nobody turn me around
Turn me around, turn me around
Ain't gonna let nobody turn me around
I'm gonna keep on a-walkin', keep on a-talkin'
Marchin' up to freedom land.

BENEDICTION AND EXTINGUISHING THE CHALICE

For our benediction, you are invited to put your hands over your heart in Namaste

I bow to the Divine in You.

RECESSIONAL

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

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

POSTLUDE

Lift Every Voice and Sing *J. Rosamond Johnson (1873 – 1954)*
arrangement: *Nicholas Emanuel Wheeler*

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, bring your own (a minimum of two dozen flowers is perfect for our huge space), or a member of the staff will purchase them (~\$50). Please email our congregational administrator, Jess (JAcosta@ASCBoston.org), to claim your date! *Thank you!*

Staff Directory

Parish Ministers

Rev. Kim K. Crawford Harvie (*she/her*), *Senior Minister*
Rev. Beth Robbins (*she/her*), *Executive Minister*
Rev. George G. Whitehouse (*he/him*), *Minister at Large*

Community Ministers

Rev. John Gibbons (*he/him*)
Minister for Good Trouble
Rev. Dr. Kelly Murphy Mason (*she/her*)
Minister for Spiritual Direction
Rev. Fred Small (*he/him*)
Minister for Climate Justice
Rev. Ali Jablonsky (*she/her*)
Chaplain, Tufts Medical Center
Dr. Arthur Judge (*he/him*)
Hospital Chaplain, retired
Rev. Erica Rose Long (*she/her*)
Chaplain, Massachusetts General Hospital
Rev. Joanna Lubkin (*she/her*)
Interim Minister, Theodore Parker Church
Rev. Vera O'Brien (*she/her*)
Chaplain, HopeHealth Hospice

Music

Mark David Buckles (*he/him*), *Director of Music*
Hyunju Jung (*she/her*), *Collaborative Pianist*
Rodger Clinton Vine (*he/him*), *Artist in Residence*

Choir Section Leaders

Hannah Shanefield (*she/her*), *Soprano*
Bek Zehr (*they/them*), *Mezzo Soprano*
Samuel LaGrego (*he/him*), *Tenor*
Andrew Stack (*he/him*), *Baritone*

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