

TODAY

Coffee Hour

Parish Hall, immediately following the worship service

Let's gather downstairs for coffee, comestibles, and community! Proceeds from Sandwich Board sales support church program income. Let's build community over coffee, soup, sandwiches, and desserts.

Young Adult Group

The Young Adult Group (ages 18 – 35) meets after the Sunday service for lunch in the Stage Right Room. You can purchase food from the Sandwich Board during Coffee Hour, or bring your own food. The Stage Right Room is the first room on your left after going down the stairs at the back of the sanctuary.

Children's Religious Education

Today, join Erick DuPree, religious educator, as the Chalice Children continue with the series, Modeling our Unitarian Universalist Principles! This week we focus on the fifth principle that all people have a say. Ministerial Intern Seanan Holland will lead the Explorers with the curriculum, You The Creator.

Church School is sung out to class after the welcome with the Children's Blessing printed in your order of service, gathering downstairs in the Perkins Room and returning for the benediction! All are welcome.

Special Note: Due to severe allergies, this is a peanut free zone.

Please welcome and meet with Franklin Dalembert

12:30–1:00 PM, Sanctuary

Service is Our Gift

Rob Cuddi, *Assistant Treasurer*

Franklin Dalembert, *Executive Director, Haitian Coalition*

Nancy George, *Assistant Treasurer*

Lois Hartsough, *Lead Worship Coordinator*

Peter Lowber, *Lead Usher*

Art Nava, *Lead Greeter*

John Markham O'Connor, *Candles Coordinator*

Roger Clinton Vine, *Artist in Residence*

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!

OUR UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST FAITH

"We covenant to affirm and promote respect for the interdependent web of all existence of which we are a part."

This is the seventh of the seven principles and purposes of Unitarian Universalism that our congregations covenant to affirm and promote. To read all seven, as well as the six sources of our free faith, please turn a few pages into our hymnal, *Singing the Living Tradition*.

ALLELUIA!

At Arlington Street Church, we raise a hand and circle two fingers above our heads to signal joyous affirmation.

CHILDREN'S PROGRAMMING

Church School begins every Sunday in the sanctuary to the front right. Children are sung out of service gathering downstairs in the Perkins Room, with an adjacent toddler space for parents with children ages 1-5. Parents with infants are invited to the Religious Education Office, right off the sanctuary, where a rocker, changing table and supplies are available. For information about our Children's Religious Education program, please contact the church office or see the religious educator.

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.

PARKING AT ARLINGTON STREET CHURCH

Parking on Sundays is available at the Back Bay Garage for a discount. Discount coupons are available at the Welcome Table after worship. Additional parking may be available on Arlington Street past "The Castle."

CONGREGATIONAL LEADERSHIP

The Prudential Committee is the elected governing board of Arlington Street Church.

THE MEMBERS ARE:

Tori Bell / Marilyn Castriotta / Doug Fiero (vice chair) / Danny Fournier / Carmen Griggs Elizabeth Lindholm (chair) / Karl Paulnack Bob Sessions / Mickey Randazza.

OFFICERS OF THE CORPORATION ARE:

Herbert Gleason (moderator) / Rob Cotta (vice moderator) / Mark MacDonnell (treasurer) Mark Watanabe (council chair) Carol Smith (clerk).

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SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 28TH, 2010

WE COVENANT TO
AFFIRM AND PROMOTE:

*Respect for the
interdependent web
of all existence of
which we are a part.*

Arlington Street Church
Boston, Massachusetts
Founded in 1729

Gathered in love and service for justice and peace

Arlington Street Church, Unitarian Universalist

Boston, Massachusetts

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 28TH, 2010

Welcome, Franklin Dalembert!

PRELUDE

L'Organist in C major and C minor *Cesar Franck (1822-1890)*
Molly Wood, organ

CALL TO WORSHIP

Morning Has Come *Jason Shelton (1972-)*
Molly Wood, piano

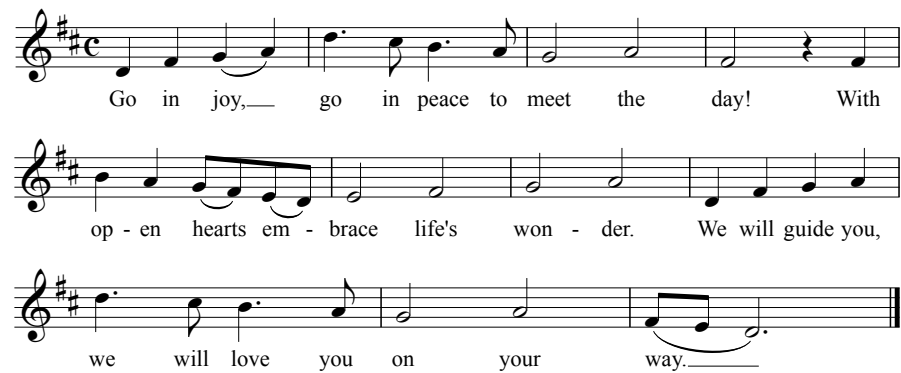
<i>Morning has come, arise and greet the day! Dance with joy and sing a song of gladness! The light of hope here shines upon each face. May it bring faith to guide our journey home.</i>	<i>Open our eyes to see that life abounds; open hearts to welcome it among us. The light of love here shines upon each face. May it bring faith to guide our journey home.</i>
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WELCOME

CHALICE LIGHTING Church School

CHURCH SCHOOL BLESSING

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



Go in joy, go in peace to meet the day! With
open hearts embrace life's wonder. We will guide you,
we will love you on your way.

The children are invited to leave for their classes with Erick DuPree.
All children are welcome!

PARISH HIGHLIGHTS AND GREETINGS

Franklin Dalembert

*HYMN 41

You That Have Spent the Silent Night

NEW MEMBERS JOINING CEREMONY

(Reading 468) We Need One Another
*New members are Darcy Roake, Keith Perron, Vivien Roman,
Edward Wright, and Charles Dimino. Please welcome them!*

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, and clicking on "Worship."

There Will Be a Light *Ben Harper (b. 1969), arr. Buckles*
Valerie Estle, soprano; Daniel Ross, tenor

(Please join us in singing)
There will be, there will be, there will be a light.

AFFIRMATION AND COVENANT

<i>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.</i>	<i>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.</i>
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*HYMN 83

Winds Be Still
Verse 1-2: Congregation
Verse 3: Soloists
Verse 3: Congregation

SERMON Rev. Kim K. Crawford Harvie
Don't Wait!

SILENT REFLECTION, MEDITATION, AND PRAYER



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ANTHEM

A Jubilant Song (1946) *music: Norman Dello Joio (1913-2008)*
text: Walt Whitman (1819-1892), adapt.
Valerie Estle, soprano; Molly Wood, piano

*O! Listen to a jubilant song! The joy of our spirit is uncaged.
My soul, it darts like lightning.
For we sing to the joys of life and youth,
and the joy of a glad light-beaming day.
Our spirit sings a jubilant song that is to life full of music,
life full of concord, of music, a life full of harmony.
We sing prophetic joys of lofty ideals.
We sing a universal love awaking in the hearts of men.
O! to have life a poem of new joys to shout!
To dance, to exult, to leap.
O! to realize space and flying clouds, the sun and moon.
O! to be rulers of life and destiny.*

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

Adagio (from Oboe Concerto) *Alessandro Marcello (1669-1747)*
Transcribed by Earl Wild (1915-2010) and played in his memory
Rodger Clinton Vine, piano

*HYMN

When the Spirit Says Do *African American Spiritual*
arr. Mark Freundt (b. 1966)

*BENEDICTION AND EXTINGUISHING THE CHALICE

*CHORAL BENEDICTION (*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

Final sur "Ave maris stella" *Jeanne Joulain (1920-2010)*
(Played in memory of Mademoiselle Joulain)

Rodger Clinton Vine, organ
**You are invited to stand as you are willing and able.*

PLEASE SILENCE YOUR CELL PHONE. THANK YOU!