Welcome to Arlington Street Church

TODAY – MAY 12, 2013

Please take a moment to complete this card so that we may welcome you more fully to our congregation. Simply drop it into the offering plate, or hand it to an usher after the service.

Name
Address
City, State, Zip
Phone numbers
E-mail
Spouse/Partner
Children's Name(s) & Age(s)

- \Box I/we are visiting for the first time.
- \Box I/we have been attending ASC for _
- □ I/we would like a permanent name tag(s) for Sunday worship. (Name tags are placed on a rack in the vestibule.)
- □ How did you hear about Arlington Street?

I prefer to be contacted by:

 \Box Mail \Box Phone \Box E-mail \Box No preference

I would like to know more about:

□ Membership Classes/Joining ASC □ Choir/Music

□ Social Action □ Children's Religious Education

□ Adult Religious Education & Connections (ASC's small group ministry)

 \Box Young Adult Group \Box Other _

PLEASE SILENCE YOUR CELL PHONE. THANK YOU!

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

Service is Our Gift

Candles Coordinator, Arthur Judge Lead Greeter, Dennis Haley Lead Usher, Greg Haig Worship Coordinator, Harlow Robinson Assistant Treasurers, Gail Jennes and Alma Antoniotti

Our Unitarian Universalist Faith

Arlington Street Church is an historic congregation (1729) with a progressive faith. Long on the cutting edge of movements for social justice, we affirm the inherent worth and dignity of every being. All are welcome!

CONGREGATIONAL LEADERSHIP

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

THE MEMBERS ARE:

Art Nava (chair) / Shane McBride (vice-chair) Christine Curtiss / Greg Haig / Richard Marshall Dan Moon / Deb Pontes / Ellen Payzant Harlow Robinson

OFFICERS OF THE CORPORATION ARE:

Samuel Gloyd & Karl Paulnack (co-moderators) David McClain (clerk) / Susie Nacco (treasurer)

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!

Rev. Kim K. Crawford Harvie, Sr. Minister

Rev. George G. Whitehouse, Minister at Large

Lisa Mobayed, Ministerial Field Education Student

Rev. Eugene B. Navias, Assoc. Min. Emeritus

Ann Clarke, post-doctoral Intern Minister

Mark David Buckles, Director of Music

Molly Wood, Collaborative Pianist

Glorivy Arroyo, mezzo soprano

Choir Section Leaders

Julie Gregorio, soprano

Jonathan Price, tenor

Zachary Ballard, baritone

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Please ask an usher for assistance.

Ministry

Music

CHILDREN'S PROGRAMMING

Children's Religious Education begins every Sunday in the sanctuary. Children are sung out near the beginning of the service and gather downstairs in the Perkins Room for CRE. Children rejoin their families in the sanctuary to end the service. Just off the Hunnewell Chapel is a nursery for fussy babies and their caregivers. The service is piped in, and a rocker, changing table and supplies are available.

For information about our CRE program, please contact the church office or see our religious educator.

ALLELUIA!

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

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."

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SUNDAY, MAY 12^{TH} , 2013

HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY!

UNITARIAN UNIVERSALISM DRAWS FROM MANY SOURCES

~ OUR THIRD SOURCE ~

Wisdom from the world's religions which inspires us in our ethical and spiritual life

Arlington Street Church Boston, Massachusetts Founded in 1729 Gathered in love and service for justice and peace

Arlington Street Church, Unitarian Universalist

Boston, Massachusetts

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PRELUDE

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Four Tales of the Grandmother, Op. 31 (1918)
                                  Sergei Prokofiev (1891-1953)
Molly Wood, piano
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***INTROIT**

The Second Principle Mark David Buckles (b. 1980) Julie Gregorio, soprano; Molly Wood, organ

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

WELCOME

CHALICE LIGHTING

Give Thanks to She Nick Page (b. 1952) The flaming chalice is the symbol of our free faith.

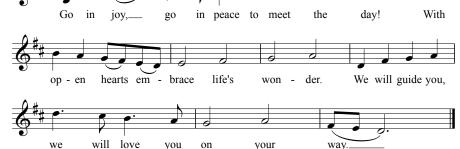
GREETINGS

*Hymn 208

Wake, Now, My Senses arr: Mark David Buckles (b. 1980)

CHILDREN'S BLESSING





At this time, all children are welcome to join the Children's Religious Education program!

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, by clicking on "Worship."

Some of us pray with words, some of us pray through action, and some of us use words other than prayer to describe our connection to the divine and to one another. As you feel called, please join us in singing the chorus of Healing Prayer.

Healing Prayer music: Nick Page (b. 1952) text: African American Spiritual "Balm in Gilead" and Nick Page Glorivy Arroyo, mezzo soprano; Julie Gregorio, soprano



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 271

Come Dawn, O Love Divine Julie Gregorio, soprano

SERMON

Now Rev. Kim K. Crawford Harvie

SILENT REFLECTION, MEDITATION, AND PRAYER

ANTHEM

Ave Regina Caelorum (Hail Queen of the Heavens)

text: 12th century Marian antiphon music: Guillaume Dufay (c.1397-1474)

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

Ave Maria (Hail Mary) text: Luke 1:24,1:42

music: Igor Stravinsky (1882-1971)

PARISH HIGHLIGHTS

*Hymn 118 This Little Light of Mine

***CHORAL BENEDICTION** (sung twice; please join in!) 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

Prelude I, Allegro ben ritmato e deciso George Gershwin (1898-1937) Molly Wood, piano

Today in Children's Religious Education (CRE)

Happy Mama's Day to all of the caretakers out there, and that is all of you! Have a beautiful day! And thanks to everyone who got up early this morning for the Peace Walk.

Today in CRE, we will be outside caring for our Mother Earth, the place we share with all living things (7th Principle of Unitarian Universalism): We believe in the interdependent web of all existence of which we are a part). We'll be digging and planting; playing and praying.

***Benediction and Extinguishing the Chalice**

William Hutchinson Murray (1913-1916) Johann Wolfgang von Goethe (1749-1832)

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

If you would like more information about CRE or would like to be added to the weekly CRE newsletter, please contact Laura Evonne (LES@ASCBoston.org).