



ARLINGTON STREET CHURCH

UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST

Boston, Massachusetts
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SUNDAY, JULY 12, 2026

PRELUDE

Rise, Shine, Give G-d the Glory *Milton Biggham*
Let Us Rejoice *Marty Haugen*

WELCOME & GREETINGS Cheryl Thieret (she/her), Guest Preacher
Patrick Cooleybeck (he/him), Worship Coordinator

AFFIRMATION & 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 our truths in love, and to help one another.

INTROIT

I Am *Sean Garrett* (b. 1979)
Sam LaGrego (he/him), vocals

OPENING WORDS & CHALICE LIGHTING

Matthew 11:1-6 *St. Matthew*

*HYMN 23

Bring Many Names *Brian Wren* (b. 1936)

Bring many names, beautiful and good;
celebrate in parable and story,
holiness in glory, living, loving G-d:
hail and hosanna, bring many names.

Strong mother G-d, working night and day,
planning all the wonders of creation,
setting each equation, genius at play:
hail and hosanna, strong mother G-d!

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

Warm father G-d, hugging ev'ry child,
feeling all the strains of human living,
caring and forgiving till we're reconciled:
hail and hosanna, warm father G-d!

Old, aching G-d, grey with endless care,
calmly piercing evil's new disguises,
glad of new surprises, wiser than despair:
hail and hosanna, old, aching G-d!

Young, growing G-d, eager still to know,
willing to be changed by what you've started,
quick to be delighted, singing as you go:
hail and hosanna, young, growing G-d!

Great, living G-d, never fully known,
joyful darkness far beyond our seeing,
closer yet than breathing, everlasting home:
hail and hosanna, great, living G-d!

READING

Blessing for a Broken Vessel *Jan Richardson*

***HYMN 198**

G-d of Many Names *Brian Wren (b. 1936)*
Sam LaGrego, vocals

G-d of many names, gathered into one,
in your glory come and meet us, moving, endlessly becoming:
G-d of hovering wings, womb and birth of time,
joyfully we sing your praises, breath of life in every people,

Chorus

Hush, hush, halleluia, halleluia!
Shout, shout, halleluia, halleluia!
Sing, sing, halleluia, halleluia!
Sing G-d is love, G-d is love!

G-d of Jewish faith, Exodus and Law,
in your glory come and meet us, joy of Miriam and Moses:
G-d of Jesus Christ, rabbi of the poor,
joyfully we sing your praises, crucified, alive forever,

Chorus

G-d of wounded hands, web and loom of love,
in your glory come and meet us, Carpenter of new creation:
G-d of many names gathered into one,
joyfully we sing your praises, moving, endlessly becoming,

Chorus

SERMON

Too Much Jesus Queen Cheryl

SILENT REFLECTION, MEDITATION & PRAYER

COMMUNITY CANDLES OF SORROW & JOY

There is a Love text: *Rev. Rebecca Parker* (b. 1953)
music: *Elizabeth Norton* (b. 1959)

There is a love holding us There is a love holding all
There is a love holding all that we love We rest in this love

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

OUR SHARED RESPONSIBILITY

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 transformative generosity.



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 would like to give regularly, you can set up automatic payments at tinyurl.com/GiveASC or by contacting Cheryl Sullivan Ops@ASCBoston.org. 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!

OFFERTORY

Pride (In the Name of Love) *Paul David Hewson (Bono)* (b. 1960)
Joe Della Penna, piano & vocals

*HYMN 118

This Little Light of Mine *African-American spiritual, c. 1750-1875*

This little light of mine, I'm gonna let it shine.
This little light of mine, I'm gonna let it shine.
This little light of mine, I'm gonna let it shine.
Let it shine, let it shine, let it shine.

Ev'rywhere I go, I'm gonna let it shine...

Building up a world, I'm gonna let it shine...

BENEDICTION & EXTINGUISHING THE CHALICE

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

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.*



Arlington Street Staff Directory

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Arlington Street Prudential Committee

The Prudential Committee is Arlington Street's elected, governing board.
"The Pru" is joined by Stephen Anable (Clerk) and Hala Hazar (Treasurer)
in conducting the business of the church.

Sandy Dixon, Chair
Misty Hathaway
David Erbe

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We welcome your questions
and suggestions at Pru_Chair@ASCBoston.org



This Week at Arlington Street ~ You Are Invited!

SUNDAY, JULY 12

11:00 am ~ Sunday Service (Sanctuary & Zoom)

MONDAY, JULY 13

12:00 pm ~ Monday Mettā (Zoom)

4:00 pm ~ Poems to Go On (Zoom)

TUESDAY, JULY 14

6:00 pm ~ Buddha's Belly (Zoom)

6:00 pm ~ Arlington Street Meditation Room (Zoom)

WEDNESDAY, JULY 15

5:00 pm ~ Tea with the Minister (Zoom)

6:00 pm ~ Kundalini Yoga (Zoom)

THURSDAY, JUNE 16

5:00 pm ~ Arlington Street Writes! (Zoom)

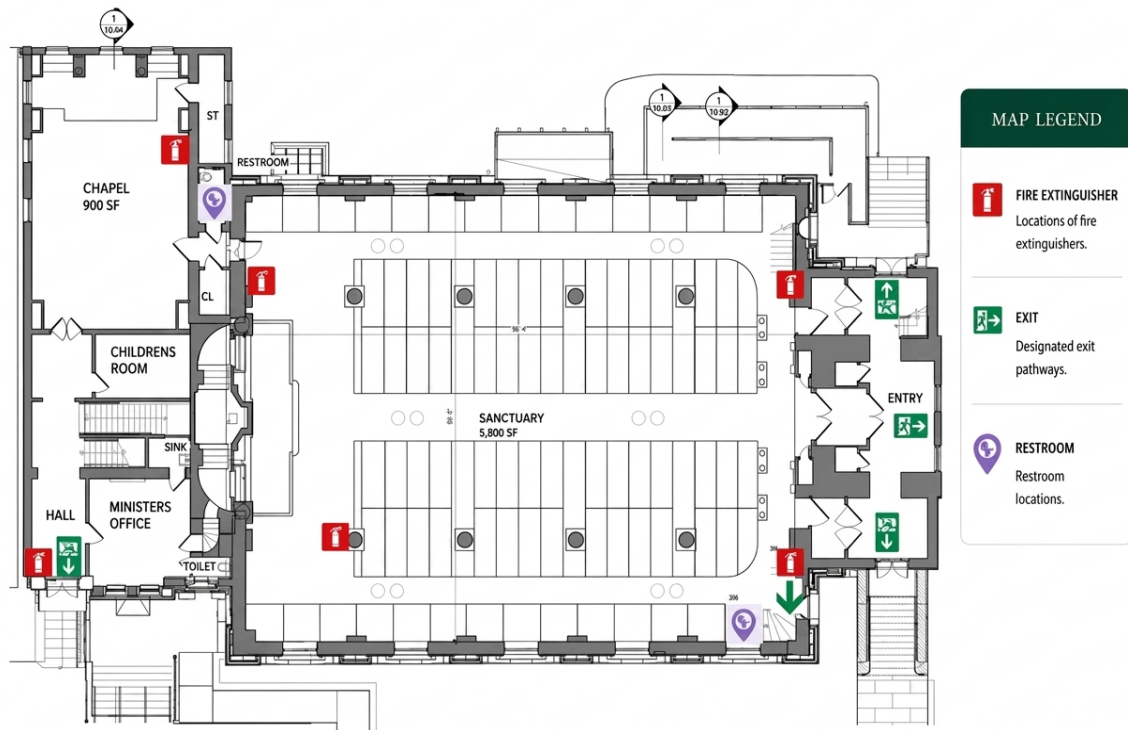
7:00 pm ~ Arlington Street Choir Rehearsal (Clarke Room)

SUNDAY, JULY 19

11:00 am ~ Sunday Service (Sanctuary & Zoom)

For details and Zoom links for these events and more,
please visit Arlingtonstreet.org.

SANCTUARY MAP



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