



ARLINGTON STREET CHURCH

UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST

Boston, Massachusetts

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SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 2026

PRELUDE

How Great is Your Love.....Kyeong-Wook Seol
Zeal of God.....Sa Gong Jeong

Young Woong Cho, piano

WELCOME & GREETINGSRev. Ali Jablonsky (she/her), Guest Preacher
Art Nava (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.

OPENING WORDS & CHALICE LIGHTING

"Give Them Not Hell"John Murray (1741–1815)
Rev. John O'Connor (he/him)

*ANTHEM

We Shall Be Known Karisha Longaker (b. 1976)
from *MaMuse*

We shall be known by the company we keep
By the ones who circle round to tend these fires
We shall be known by the ones who sow and reap
The seeds of change, alive from deep within the earth

It is time now, it is time now that we thrive
It is time we lead ourselves into the well
It is time now, and what a time to be alive
In this Great Turning, we shall learn to lead in love
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**You are invited to stand as you are willing and able.*

SERMON

No Hell Below Us*Rev. Ali Jablonsky*

SONG

I Won't Give Up*Jason Mraz (b. 1977)*

When I look into your eyes
It's like watching the night sky
Or a beautiful sunrise
Well, there's so much they hold
And just like them old stars
I see that you've come so far
To be right where you are
How old is your soul?

Well, I won't give up on us
Even if the skies get rough
I'm giving you all my love
I'm still looking up

And when you're needing your
space
To do some navigating
I'll be here patiently waiting
To see what you find

'Cause even the stars, they burn
Some even fall to the earth
We got a lot to learn
God knows we're worth it
No, I won't give up

I don't wanna be someone who
walks away so easily
I'm here to stay and make the
difference that I can make
Our differences, they do a lot to
teach us how to use
The tools and gifts we got, yeah,
we got a lot at stake

And in the end, you're still my
friend, at least we did intend
For us to work, we didn't break, we
didn't burn
We had to learn how to bend
without the world caving in
I had to learn what I got and what
I'm not
And who I am

I won't give up on us
Even if the skies get rough
I'm giving you all my love
I'm still looking up
I'm still looking up

Well, I won't give up on us
(no, I'm not giving up)
God knows I'm tough enough
(I am tough, I am loved)
We got a lot to learn
(we are alive, we are loved)
God knows we're worth it
(and we're worth it)

I won't give up on us
Even if the skies get rough
I'm giving you all my love
I'm still looking up

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. Text the word "GIVE" to (617) 300-0509
4. 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. Thank you for helping to ensure a robust future for our beloved spiritual community!

OFFERTORY

Shower the People *James Taylor* (b. 1948)

SONG

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

BENEDICTION & EXTINGUISHING THE CHALICE

RECESSIONAL

If I Could Turn Back Time *Diane Warren* (b. 1956)

POSTLUDE

Shout for Joy and Sing.....*David Fellingham* (born 1945)

Young Woong Cho, 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.*

This Week at Arlington Street ~ You Are Invited!

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 6

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

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 7

12:00 pm ~ Monday Mettā (Zoom)

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

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 8

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

7:00 pm ~ Arlington Street Meditation Room (Zoom)

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 9

5:00 pm ~ Tea with Pastor Jud Wolfskill (Zoom)

6:00 pm ~ Kundalini Yoga (Zoom)

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 10

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

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 13

INGATHERING SUNDAY

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

12:00 pm ~ Coffee Hour (Hunnewell Chapel & Zoom)

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



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 (Interim Treasurer)
in conducting the business of the church.

Sandy Dixon, Chair
Richard Marshall, Vice Chair
David Erbe

Bill Briggs
Misty Hathaway
Hala Hazar

Harry Kelso
Art Nava
Darrell Waters

We welcome your questions
and suggestions at pru_chair@ascboston.org

Sanctuary Map

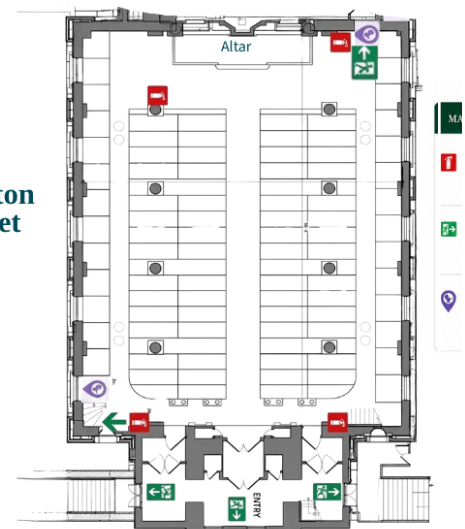
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