

Sunday, March 17, 2024

Welcome to All Souls! We're so glad you're here.

Are you new to All Souls and interested in learning more?

Please reach out to Membership & Engagement Coordinator, Gretchen at gretchen@allsoulsnyc.org, to learn more about the values of All Souls, volunteering opportunities, or our thriving groups. All are welcome here!

Every *first Sunday of the month*, join us for All Souls in 20 Minutes, a brief introduction to congregational life, groups, and events at All Souls NYC. We want to know who you are and what brings you to All Souls!

You are welcome to introduce yourself to the Sunday Worship leaders and/or head down to Reidy Friendship Hall where we gather in community for coffee hour every Sunday afternoon.

For more information: all souls nyc.org

Accessibility Information

We want our services to be inclusive and welcoming. All Souls provides listening assistance through Bluetooth enabled hearing aids or through earbuds from your smart phone. Detailed instructions are available in the vestibule. We will alert you if unusual sounds or lights will be a part of the service.

Spiritual Care

When you or someone you love is in need of a helping hand or a listening ear, the All Souls Spiritual Care ministry provides emotional and spiritual care from our ministers and Caring Connections Team. To request support, please email Pamela@AllSoulsNYC.org



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Order of Service

March 17, 2024

11:15 a.m.

"I am a living member of the great family of all souls." ~ William Ellery Channing

Rev. Galen Guengerich, Senior Minister
Pamela Patton, Director of Congregational Ministries
Alejandro Hernandez-Valdez, Director of Music
Trent Johnson, Asst. Director of Music
All Souls Choir

SOUNDING OF THE BELL

PRELUDE

Andante, K. 67

Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart (1756-1791)

WELCOME

CALL TO WORSHIP

Mass in C Major, K. 317: Kyrie W. A. Mozart Anna Aistova, soprano Juan Hernandez, tenor

Have mercy on us, O God.

OPENING WORDS

Anna Steegmann

BOND OF UNION

In the freedom of the truth And in the spirit of love, We unite for the worship of God And the service of all.

DOXOLOGY

From all that dwell below the skies, Let faith and hope with love arise; Let beauty, truth and good be sung, Through every land, by every tongue. Amen. The music of the spheres.

A harmonious universe - like a harp.

Its rhythms are the equal, repeated seasons. The beating of the heart.

Day/night. The going and returning of migratory birds.

The cycles of stars and corn.

The mimosa that unfolds by day and folds up again by night.

Rhythms of the moon and tide. One single rhythm in planets, atoms, sea,

And apples that ripen and fall, and in the mind of Newton.

Melody, accord, arpeggios The harp of the universe. Unity behind apparent multiplicity.

That is the music.

CELEBRATION OF VOLUNTEERS

When there was a need, you came forward.

And so we thank you.

In the nighttime or daytime, on weekends and even in the coldest, darkest part of the year, you helped.

And so we thank you.

Elected and duly appointed or quietly, anonymously and unbidden, you did what needed doing.

And so we thank you.

Sometimes with the help of many hands, other times alone, you worked.

And so we thank you.

You gave your time, talent and even your treasure for the life of the congregation.

And so we thank you.

Your loved ones supported you in your efforts, worried for you when things piled up and perhaps grumbled at you for the extent of your commitment.

And so we thank your loved ones.

For all things great and small you have given this congregation, we take time today to recognize,

To thank you and to honor you.

ANTHEM

Mass in C Major, K. 317: Gloria W. A. Mozart Katie McCreary, soprano Rudy Girón, countertenor Nathan Siler, tenor Nick Hay, bass

Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people of good will. We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you, we give you thanks for your great glory.

O God, who eases the pain of the world, have mercy on us; receive our prayer: have mercy on us.

PRAYER

HYMN 36

When in Our Music

OFFERTORY

Mass in C Major, K. 317: Agnus Dei W. A. Mozart Erinn Sensenig, soprano Rudy Girón, countertenor Shawn Bartels, tenor Matt Mueller, bass

God, who eases the pain of the world, have mercy on us.

SERMON

The Music of Life

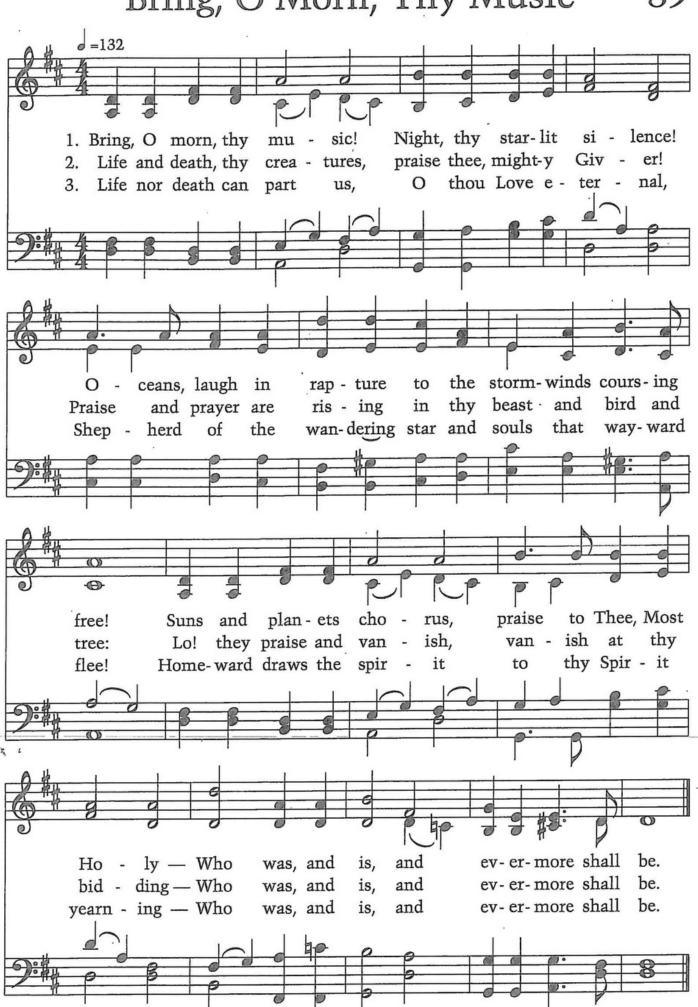
HYMN 326

Let All the Beauty We Have Known

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

March, from the Marriage of Figaro W. A. Mozart



When in Our Music





Let All the Beauty We Have Known



Today at All Souls

Adult Education: Flourishing!

with Shelley Tupper 10 am | The Ware Room

Children's Choir

10:30 am | Classroom 3A

Religious Education

11:15 – 12:15 pm

Mindful Moments (Ages 6 - 9) | Classroom 3B Game Changers (Ages 10 - 12) | Classroom 2A

High School Youth Group

11:15 am - 12:30 pm | Classroom 2B

Youth Community Service Activity

12:15 - 1 pm | The Kitchen & Minot Simons

Volunteer Fair & Celebration

12:15 pm | Reidy Friendship Hall

Board Meeting

1 pm | Forrest Church Gallery

Active Hope for the Climate Crisis

with Laura Cohen 2 pm | The Ware Room

Next Sunday at All Souls

Sunday, March 24

Adult Education: Flourishing!

with Shelley Tupper 10 am | The Ware Room

Children's Choir

10:30 am | Classroom 3A

Sunday Worship

11:15 am | The Sanctuary with Rev. Jonipher Kwong

Religious Education

 $11:15-12:15~\mathrm{pm}$ Mindful Moments (Ages 6 - 9) | Classroom 3B Game Changers (Ages 10 - 12) | Classroom 2A

Coming of Age

11:15 am - 12:30 pm | Classroom 2B

Youth Art Activity

(Ages 6 -12) 12:15 - 1 pm | The Ware Room

Article II Discussion

1 pm | Reidy Friendship Hall

Active Hope for the Climate Crisis

with Laura Cohen 2 pm | The Ware Room

Caregiver Support Circle

3 pm | on Zoom

Please email Susan Cooper at <u>sjhcoop@gmail.com</u> to discuss whether this group will be a good fit for you. You will receive access to the Zoom meeting through your email.

All Souls Volunteers

Thank you to our current team of dedicated and generous volunteers! Your time, skill, and effort are so precious and are crucial to keeping our community alive. If you do not see your name listed below, please let us know by sending an email to info@allsoulsnyc.org. We want to make sure you are recognized!

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Volunteer Opportunities

Our volunteers serve our community through the groups, projects and committees below. If you want to volunteer and are not sure where to start, we invite you to stick around after the service for a volunteer fair and special coffee hour in Reidy Friendship Hall! Ask questions, learn more, and sign-up!

Adult Education

All Souls Board of Trustees

All Souls Choir

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Building Advisory Task Force

Caring Connections Team Coffee Hour Organizers Coffee Hour Greeters

Community Choir

Community Meditation Leaders

Congregational Life Committee

Facilities Design Team Finance Committee

Future Leadership Task Force

Garden Team

Growth Committee

Heart and Soul Charitable Fund

The League

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Navigators

Nominating Committee Nuclear Disarmament

Ordination Study Committee

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Star Island Usher Team

Website Development

Women's Alliance

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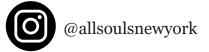
Jennifer Vermont Davis

Here are ways you can send us your comments, concerns, questions (and praise!) about All Souls.

Email the Board of Trustees at **Board@AllSoulsNYC.org**Send suggestions to staff at **info@AllSoulsNYC.org**

The lines are always open. We want to hear from you!







All Souls is a religious community:

In the experience of worship, we gather to contemplate the mystery of God, interpret the wisdom of religion, and explore the insights of science. Our purpose is to awaken our sense of the sacred and renew our resolve to transform ourselves and our world.

As human beings, we all emerge from the same Source and share the same Destiny. As a community of faith, we make shared commitments and offer mutual support. As individuals, we each bear responsibility for our own beliefs and actions.

We practice a discipline of gratitude, by which we acknowledge that we rely completely on the people and world around us, and we practice an ethic of gratitude, by which we accept our obligation to nurture others and the world in return.

We

The member congregations of the Unitarian Universalist Association covenant to affirm and promote:

- The inherent worth and dignity of every person;
- Justice, equity, and compassion in human relations;
- Acceptance of one another and encouragement to spiritual growth in our congregations;
- A free and responsible search for truth and meaning;
- The right of conscience and the use of the democratic process within our congregations and in society at large;
- The goal of world community with peace, liberty, and justice for all;
- Respect for the interdependent web of all existence, of which we are a part.