

# EVENING WORSHIP 4:00 pm

CALL TO WORSHIP  
from Psalm 18  
[omitted in web version]

*The Solid Rock  
Hosanna (In The Highest)  
God Of This City*

ADORATION, CONFESSION  
& LORD'S PRAYER

LIFE OF THE CHURCH  
STM Update  
Kenya  
Maine  
South Africa

SCRIPTURE READING  
Exodus 35:20-29; 36:2-7  
[omitted in web version]  
(Ages 3-12 dismissed for Sunday Night Choir)

"PLEASE STOP GIVING"  
Phil Thorne, Interim Senior Minister

*The Church's One Foundation*

CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER  
[omitted in web version]

OFFERTORY

*The Power Of Your Name*

BENEDICTION

*If you would like to find out more about becoming a Christian, or if you desire prayer for any reason, come to the front right of the sanctuary following the service and we'd be happy to pray for you.*

## FAMILIES & CHILDREN

Look for the Family Ministries tree in the Welcome Center!



### EVENING SERVICE

Children are always welcome in our regular services

Nursery 3:50-5:30 PM  
Ages 0-2 ..... Bldg 2, 1<sup>st</sup> Flr

Sunday Night Choir 4:20 PM  
(Children dismissed after the scripture reading.)  
3-12 years old ..... Sky Rm, Bldg 1, 5<sup>th</sup> Flr

Nursing Mothers' Room ..... Bldg 1, 2<sup>nd</sup> Flr  
The service is broadcast live in the nursing room.

Regular Children and Youth Classes start tonight!  
5:15-6:15PM

Lambs 3-PreK | Room 304  
Doves K-1<sup>st</sup> | Room 303  
Lions 2<sup>nd</sup>-3<sup>rd</sup> | Room 301  
Tweens 4<sup>th</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> | Sky Room  
Youth 7<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> | Youth Room



## HAPPENING TODAY

### ALL CHURCH DINNER

5:30-6:15 PM  
Ask your questions to our missionaries from overseas and here in Boston in the Fellowship Hall.

## PRAYER & PRAISE

### Our World

- Praise God that he invites us to be His co-workers to advance His kingdom here on earth!
- Pray for more laborers to work among the world's approximate 7,000 unreached people groups.
- Pray that world leaders would have less desire for power and control of their citizens, and more compassion for those who are suffering.

### Our Nation

- Pray that Christians working in government would work together in unity, love and faith.
- Pray for God to bring comfort and healing to those affected by the mass shooting at First Baptist Church in Sutherland Springs, Texas.
- Pray that women faced with unwanted pregnancies will turn to Jesus for comfort, hope and direction.

### Our City

- Pray for CRU and InterVarsity workers here in Boston to win, build and send out Christ-centered disciples.
- Pray that we would allow Christ's love to shine through us as we interact with our friends and coworkers.
- Pray that we would humbly accept God's reign and rule in our hearts, souls, and minds.

### Our Church

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[To request a PDF of the bulletin with all prayer requests included, please email ✉ [spire@parkstreet.org](mailto:spire@parkstreet.org).]

### REQUESTS/ UPDATES

Contact Chris Sherwood ☎ 617.523.3383 ext. 402 or ✉ [csherwood@parkstreet.org](mailto:csherwood@parkstreet.org). Send confidential prayer requests to ✉ [wingsprayer@parkstreet.org](mailto:wingsprayer@parkstreet.org).

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Interim Senior Minister



## FIRST TIME HERE?

We're so glad you came! Please introduce yourself to a minister, elder or church member wearing a nametag. Visit the ⓘ info wall in the Welcome Center for a welcome packet after the service and fill out a ✉ "contact me" card found in the pew and drop it in the offering plate. We will be in touch soon!

# MORNING WORSHIP 8:30 & 11:00 am

# LIFE of the CHURCH

**PRELUDE** *Jesus, Redeemer of All* C. H. H. Parry (1848-1918)  
Anna Ludwikowska, organ

**INTROIT** *All Praise to Thee* C. V. Stanford (1852-1924)  
Sanctuary Choir

\* **CALL TO WORSHIP** from Psalm 18 [omitted in web version] 8:30 AM  
[omitted in web version] 11:00 AM

Leader: I love you, O LORD, my strength.  
People: **The LORD is my rock, my fortress and my deliverer. He is my shield and the horn of my salvation.**  
Leader: I call to the LORD, who is worthy of praise, and I am saved from my enemies. You, O LORD, keep my lamp burning; my God turns my darkness into light.  
People: **Therefore I will praise you among the nations, O LORD; I will sing praises to your name.**

\* **HYMN** No. 21 *Sing Praise to the Lord* Laudate Dominum

\* **INVOCATION, CONFESSION & LORD'S PRAYER**  
Our Father who art in heaven; Hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done on earth, as it is in heaven. Give us this day our coming day's bread; And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; And lead us not into trial, but deliver us from the Evil One. For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

\* **PEACE**

**LIFE OF THE CHURCH**  
STM Testimonies Revere Beach, Middle East, Peru 8:30 AM  
East Asia, Haiti, Central Asia 11:00 AM

\* **HYMN** *Come, Labor On* Ora Labora

**NEW TESTAMENT READING** [omitted in web version] 8:30 AM  
2 Corinthians 8:1-5, 8-9 [omitted in web version] 11:00 AM

**ANTHEM** *Salvation Is Created* Pavel Tchesnokov (1877-1944)  
Sanctuary Choir

**OLD TESTAMENT READING**  
Exodus 35:20-29; 36:2-7

\* **GLORIA PATRI** (Hymn No. 734)  
*Children are dismissed to Children's Choir (8:50 AM) and Children's Church.*

**SERMON** "Please Stop Giving" Phil Thorne, Interim Senior Minister

\* **HYMN** No. 457 *Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing* Nettleton

**CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER** [omitted in web version]

**OFFERTORY** *What Shall I Render to the Lord* Craig Courtney (b. 1948)  
Lisa Bloom, mezzo soprano

\* **DOXOLOGY** (Hymn No. 731)

\* **HYMN** No. 580 *Lead On, O King Eternal* Lancashire

\* **BENEDICTION**

**POSTLUDE** *Lift High the Cross* Lindsay Lafford  
Nathan Skinner, organ

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\* *Congregation standing as able*

## INTROIT

*All Praise to Thee*  
Words: F. Bland Tucker (1895-1984)  
Music: C. V. Stanford (1852-1924)

All praise to thee, for thou, O King divine, didst yield the glory that of right was thine, that in our troubled hearts thy grace might shine: *Alleluia!*

Let this mind be in us which was in thee, who wast a servant that we might be free, humbling thyself to death on Calvary: *Alleluia!*

Let every tongue confess with one accord in heaven and earth that Jesus Christ is Lord; and God eternal be by all adored: *Alleluia! Amen!*

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## ANTHEM

*Salvation Is Created*  
Words: Russian communion hymn, from Psalm 74:12  
Music: 1912 | Pavel Tchesnokov (1877-1944)

Спасение соделал еси посреде земли, Боже. Аллилуия.

Spaséniye, sodélal yesí posredé ziemlí, Bózhe. Allilúiya.

*Salvation is made in the midst of the earth, O God. Alleluia.*

## OFFERTORY

*What Shall I Render to the Lord?*  
Words: from Psalm 116  
Music: 1999 | Craig Courtney (b. 1948)

What shall I render to the Lord for all his goodness unto me? I will lift up the cup of salvation, and call upon the name of the Lord.

Be at rest, once more, O my soul, for the Lord has been good to you. For you, O Lord, have delivered my soul from death, my eyes from tears, my feet from falling.

I will fulfill my vows to the Lord in the presence of his people, in the courts of the house of the Lord, in the midst of you, O Jerusalem.

## FAMILIES & CHILDREN

*Look for the Family Ministries tree in the Welcome Center!*

### MORNING SERVICES

*Children are always welcome in our regular services*

Nursery 8:20 AM-12:20 PM  
Ages 0-1..... Bldg 1, 2<sup>nd</sup> Flr  
Age 2..... Bldg 2, 1<sup>st</sup> Flr

Nursing Mothers' Room..... Bldg 1, 2<sup>nd</sup> Flr  
*The service is broadcast live in the nursing room.*

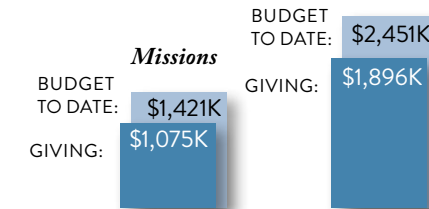
Sunday Morning Children's Church (3-6 year-olds)  
*(Children dismissed during the Gloria Patri.)*  
8:50 AM..... Common Rm, Bldg 2  
11:20 AM..... Bldg 1, 3<sup>rd</sup> Flr

Sunday Morning Children's Choir (8:30 AM)  
*(Children dismissed during the Gloria Patri.)*  
1<sup>st</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> grade..... Sky Rm, Bldg 1, 5<sup>th</sup> Flr

**CHRISTIAN EDUCATION** 9:45-10:45 AM  
Age 3-Kindergarten..... Bldg 1, 3<sup>rd</sup> Flr  
1<sup>st</sup>-4<sup>th</sup> grade..... Bldg 1, 4<sup>th</sup> Flr  
5<sup>th</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> grade..... Sky Rm, Bldg 1, 5<sup>th</sup> Flr  
7<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grade..... Youth Rm, Bldg 3, 4<sup>th</sup> Flr

## GIVING

through November 5



You can give online at [www.parkstreet.org/give](http://www.parkstreet.org/give), through the ACS Church Life app.

**Text to give!** Text 617.925.6604 with the amount you'd like to give (include "\$" sign, for example, "\$25"). After a one-time registration process you will be able to give by texting automatically.

### STEEPLE PROJECT

A long overdue project to repair and paint the steeple has begun. In its entirety the work is expected to cost up to \$600k. Please consider supporting this important project with your tax-deductible gift to "Park Street Church - Capital Campaign" in the offering or online at [www.parkstreet.org/give](http://www.parkstreet.org/give).

**BULLETIN REQUESTS** can be made by NOON on the TUESDAY before publication. ✉ [bulletin@parkstreet.org](mailto:bulletin@parkstreet.org).



## HAPPENING TODAY

### MISSIONS LUNCHEONS

12:30 PM  
**All-Church Luncheon** (Fellowship Hall)  
*Ask your questions to our missionaries from overseas and here in Boston.*

**Global Professionals Luncheon** (Granary Rm)  
*Hear from Alvaro and Adriana Henzler, Park Street Global Professionals and social entrepreneurs in Peru.*

**Healthcare Professionals Luncheon** (Terrace Rm)  
*Hear from experienced professionals who discuss medicine and missions, and respond to your questions.*

## CONNECT

Visit the [info wall](#) in the Welcome Center for a list of weekly events, or find all of our upcoming events at [www.parkstreet.org/events](http://www.parkstreet.org/events).

### PREMARITAL WORKSHOP

SAT DEC 2, 9:00 AM-4:00 PM. Couples contemplating marriage as well as engaged couples are invited to discuss inventory results and engage in workbook activities based on the PREPARE/ENRICH program. **Register by NOV 26.** Cost (\$65) includes assessment, refreshments, lunch, and materials. Visit [www.parkstreet.org/premarital](http://www.parkstreet.org/premarital). Email Melonie Letaw ✉ [premarital@parkstreet.org](mailto:premarital@parkstreet.org).

### AUDITIONS

Park Street Films' Auditions for PSC's Freedom Trail movie: males and females ages 10-80; NOV 18, 10:00 AM-1:00 PM; NOV 19, 1:00 PM- 4:00 PM for January shoot. Contact Chris at ✉ [csherwood@parkstreet.org](mailto:csherwood@parkstreet.org).

### COLLEGE STUDENTS

**CityWide:** FRI DEC 1, 7:30 PM. Join area college students for worship at our monthly fellowship. [www.cruboston.com](http://www.cruboston.com).

## ADVENT & CHRISTMAS

### DIVORCECARE HOLIDAY SEMINAR

SAT NOV 18, 9:30 AM-12:00 PM, A seminar for the divorced and separated. Adult and kids programs. RSVP for kids by NOV 14 at [www.parkstreet.org/divorcecare](http://www.parkstreet.org/divorcecare).

### TNO WISHLIST

Please donate items for Thursday Night Outreach's annual Christmas gift backpacks! Visit [www.parkstreet.org/TNOwishlist](http://www.parkstreet.org/TNOwishlist) for suggested items. Bring all donations to Park Street Church C/O TNO no later than SUN DEC 3.

### QUIET MORNING

SAT DEC 9, 9:00 AM-1:00 PM, \$5. A morning of encouragement for Park Street women and their friends, joining in community for reflective silence. A light lunch will be served. Please register at [www.parkstreet.org/quietmorning](http://www.parkstreet.org/quietmorning).

### LESSONS & CAROLS

SUN DEC 10, 7:00 PM. A liturgical service retelling the story of humanity's fall and redemption, and the birth of the Messiah. Music by the Park Street Orchestra and the Sanctuary Choir. Childcare and other information available at [www.parkstreet.org/lessonsandcarols](http://www.parkstreet.org/lessonsandcarols).

### JOURNEY TO BETHLEHEM

SUN DEC 15, 6:00 PM. A Christmas immersion experience in which families in groups of 15-20 are guided through a re-enactment of the biblical narrative of the birth of Jesus. The journey takes about 75 minutes, and registration is free, but required. Space is limited, so invite your friends and neighbors soon! [www.parkstreet.org/journeytobethlehem](http://www.parkstreet.org/journeytobethlehem).

### CHRISTMAS EVE

SUN DEC 24. Morning worship at 11:00 AM. Service of Carols & Lights at 3:00, 5:00, and 7:00 PM. Families with young children are especially invited to our 3:00 PM service.