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SERVICE *of* WORSHIP
Park Street Church | The Lord's Day, September 26, 2021

Instructions in this service booklet are indicated by the traditional symbol ¶, called a “pilcrow.” The postures for prayer include kneeling, reflecting the many biblical invitations to kneel before God and even to fall upon our faces in his presence. Where hymns are listed, the name of the tune appears right-flush in small caps. Scripture lessons are taken from the English Standard Version.

THE PRELUDE

¶ *Music is played upon the organ or by the musicians, preparing us in body and mind to enter into the Lord’s worship.*

Corrente, *from Sonata in D major*

G. P. Telemann (1681-1767)

INTROIT (11 am)

I Was Glad

I was glad when they said unto me,
let us go into the house of the Lord.
Alleluia.

Words: Psalm 122:1

Music: Roy W. Brunner, b. 1945 (organist, Park Street Church, 1993-2012)

¶ *At the conclusion of the Introit, the People stand.*

CALL TO WORSHIP

from Psalm 96

Leader O sing unto the LORD a new song;
sing unto the LORD, all the whole earth.

People Sing unto the LORD and praise his name;
tell of his salvation from day to day.

Leader Declare his glory to the nations, and his wonders to all peoples.

People O worship the LORD in the beauty of holiness;
tremble before him, all the earth.

HYMN

Nº 155 O Love, How Deep, How Broad, How High

DEO GRACIAS

INVOCATION, CONFESSION OF SIN, & THE LORD'S PRAYER

¶ *Led by the Elder*

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,
for ever. Amen.

THE PEACE

Leader The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People And with your spirit.

¶ *Greet one another in the peace of Christ, remaining mindful of those who prefer to refrain from handshaking or prefer to maintain physical distance. Following the Peace, the People sit.*

LIFE OF THE CHURCH & ANNOUNCEMENT

ANTHEM

(11 am)

Psalm Twenty-Three

The LORD is my shepherd, I'll not want.
He makes me to lie in green pastures;
he leads me beside still waters, he restores my soul.
He guides me in the paths of righteousness for his Name's sake.
Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death,
I will fear no evil, for you are with me,
your rod and your staff they comfort me.

You spread a table before me in the presence of my enemies;
and annointed my head with oil,
my cup runneth over, and my cup overflows.
Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all of my days,
and I will dwell in the house of the LORD for ever.

Amen.

Music: René Clausen (b. 1953)

THE FIRST LESSON

Isaiah 11:1-10

pew Bible p. 575

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

HYMN

¶ *The People stand. A Minister prays for the children, who are dismissed to Children's Church.*

N^o 297 All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name

DIADEM

¶ *The People sit.*

THE SECOND LESSON

Romans 1:1-7

pew Bible p. 939

Paul, a servant of Christ Jesus, called to be an apostle, set apart for the gospel of God, ² which he promised beforehand through his prophets in the holy Scriptures, ³ concerning his Son, who was descended from David according to the flesh ⁴ and was declared to be the Son of God in power according to the Spirit of holiness by his resurrection from the dead, Jesus Christ our Lord, ⁵ through whom we have received grace and apostleship to bring about the obedience of faith for the sake of his name among all the nations, ⁶ including you who are called to belong to Jesus Christ, ⁷ To all those in Rome who are loved by God and called to be saints: Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ.

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

THE GLORIA PATRI

¶ *The People stand. (Hymn N^o 734)*

**Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;
as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,
world without end. Amen, Amen.**

¶ *Following the prayer, the People sit.*

SERMON

The Content of the Gospel

Mark Booker

HYMN

¶ *The People stand.*

N^o 310 Rejoice, the Lord is King

DARWALL

THE PRAYERS

¶ *The People kneel or sit. A Minister leads the People in prayer for the world, the church, the sick, and the suffering.*

OFFERTORY

¶ *The People sit. The offering plates are passed. Music is offered to the Lord.*

Adagio, from Sonata in G Major

J. S. Bach (1685-1750)

PRESENTATION OF OFFERINGS

¶ *The People stand and sing as the offerings are brought forward by the ushers. A Minister then presents them to the Lord in prayer.*

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise him, all creatures here below;
Praise him above, ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

HYMN

Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee

HYMN TO JOY

1. Joy - ful, joy - ful, we a - dore thee, God of glo - ry, Lord of love;
 2. All thy works with joy sur-round thee, earth and heaven re - flect thy rays,
 3. Thou art giv - ing and for - giv - ing, ev - er bless - ing, ev - er blessed,
 4. Mor - tals, join the might - y cho - rus, which the morn - ing stars be - gan;[†]

hearts un - fold like flowers be - fore thee, open - ing to the sun a - bove.
 stars and an - gels sing a - round thee, cen - ter of un - bro - ken praise.
 well - spring[†] of the joy of liv - ing, o - cean depth of hap - py rest!
 Fa - ther love[†] is reign - ing o'er us, broth - er love[†] binds man to man.

Melt the clouds of sin and sad - ness; drive the dark of doubt a - way; giv -
 Field and for - est, vale[†] and mountain, flow - ery meadow, flash - ing sea, chant -
 Thou our Fa - ther, Christ our Broth - er: all who live in love are thine; teach
 Ev - er sing - ing, march we on - ward, vic - tors in the midst of strife, joy -

- er of im - mor - tal glad - ness, fill us with the light of day!
 - ing bird and flow - ing foun - tain call us to re - joice in thee.
 us how to love each oth - er, lift us to the Joy Di - vine.[†]
 - ful mu - sic leads us Sun - ward[†] in the tri - umph song of life!

† vale: valley | wellspring: original, bountiful source | Joy Divine: eternal life present with God |
 morning stars: see Job 38:7 | Father-love: reference to Greek *agape* | brother-love: reference
 to Greek *phileo* | Sunward: that is, music redirects us to Christ, who is our Sun.

BENEDICTION

THE POSTLUDE

☪ *The People sit or may leave quietly as a joyous work is played upon the organ. Please be respectful of those listening to the postlude in the sanctuary or via the livestream.*

Allegro maestoso e vivace, *from Sonata in B-flat major* F. Mendelssohn (1809-1847)

SERVICE LEADERS AND PARTICIPANTS

Mark Booker, *Senior Minister*

Nathan Skinner, *Director of Music*

ASSISTING MINISTER Tammy McLeod, *Director of College Student Ministries*

ELDERS 8:30 Linda Herman

11:00 Jason Abraham

LAY READERS 8:30 Margaret Diffenderfer

11:00 Jill VanderWoude

MUSICIANS Sanctuary Choir; Daniel Schmunk, *Director of Choral Music*

Clayton Hancock, *violin*

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