



SERVICE of WORSHIP

Park Street Church | The Lord's Day, March 27, 2022

The Fourth Sunday in Lent

*This service booklet contains instructions (usually under the traditional symbol ¶, called a pilcrow) and explanations to aid the full participation of God's people in his worship. The People read or sing all **bold text** with a loud voice. Where hymns are listed, the name of the tune appears right-flush in small caps. Scripture lessons are taken from the English Standard Version.*

Purple is the traditional color of preparation and penitence, and is used during Advent and Lent. Purple was historically the color of kings (the dye was extremely costly) so the color also emphasizes the royalty of Jesus (cf. John 19).

THE PRELUDE

¶ *Music is played upon the organ or by the musicians, preparing us in body and mind to enter together into the presence of God.*

O World, I Must Now Leave

Johannes Brahms (1833-1897)

INTROIT

(11 am)

These Are They Which Follow The Lamb

These are they which follow the Lamb whithersoever he goeth.

These were redeemed from among men,

being the first-fruits unto God and to the Lamb.

And in their mouth was found no guile,

for they are without fault before the throne of God.

Words: Revelation 14:4,5 | Music: John Goss (1800-1880)

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

CALL TO WORSHIP

from Psalm 86

Leader Hear me, LORD, and answer me, for I am poor and needy.
Guard my life, for I am faithful to you;
save your servant who trusts in you.

People **You, Lord, are forgiving and good,
abounding in love to all who call to you.**

Leader I will praise you, O Lord my God, with all my heart;
I will glorify your Name for evermore.

People **For great is your mercy toward me;
you have delivered my life from the nethermost Pit.**

HYMN

N^o 172 Let Us Love and Sing and Wonder

ALL SAINTS OLD

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. Following the Peace, the People sit.*

LIFE OF THE CHURCH & ANNOUNCEMENTS

ANTHEM

(11 am)

Like As The Hart

Like as the hart desireth the water brooks,
so longeth my soul after thee, O God.
My soul thirsts for the living God,
yea even he that shall keep my soul.

My tears have been my meat day and night,
while they daily say unto me, where is now thy God?

Words: Psalm 42:1-3 | Music: Noel Rawsthorne (1929-2019)

THE LESSON

Romans 15:1-7

pew Bible p.949

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

HYMN

¶ *A Minister prays for the Children. The People stand; Children are dismissed to Children's Church during the hymn.*

N^o 535 O the Deep, Deep Love of Jesus

EBENEZER

¶ *The People sit.*

THE PSALM

69:6-18

pew Bible p. 483

¶ *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.**

*The Gloria Patri, or "lesser Doxology," is traditionally sung or recited at the end of psalms,
in order to place them in an explicitly Trinitarian frame.*

¶ *After the prayer, the People sit.*

SERMON

A Healthy Community of Love
Pleasing Our Neighbors, Not Ourselves

Mark Booker

HYMN

¶ *The People stand.*

Nº 644 May the Mind of Christ My Savior

ST. LEONARDS

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.*

Agnus Dei

Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi, miserere nobis.

Lamb of God, who takes away the sins of the world, have mercy upon us.

Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi, miserere nobis.

Lamb of God, who takes away the sins of the world, have mercy upon us.

Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi, dona nobis pacem

Lamb of God, who takes away the sins of the world, grant us peace.

Words: traditional, based on John 1:29

Music: Jean Langlais (1907-1991)

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

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

DEO GRACIAS

BENEDICTION

THE POSTLUDE

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

Sonata on Psalm 94 (final portion)

J. Reubke (1834–1858)

“But the Lord is my refuge: and my God is the strength of my confidence.

*He shall recompense [the ungodly] their wickedness,
and destroy them in their own malice.”*

SERVICE LEADERS AND PARTICIPANTS

Mark Booker, *Senior Minister*

Nathan Skinner, *Director of Music*

ASSISTING MINISTER Damian Long, *Minister of Small Groups & Young Adults*

ELDER 8:30 Charles Peltz

11:00 Jason Abraham

LAY READERS 8:30 Eleanor Peltz

11:00 Jason Peter

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

Lizabeth Malanga, *soprano*

A complete staff directory can be found at www.parkstreet.org/about-us/staff/

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HOLY WEEK & EASTER SCHEDULE

PALM SUNDAY Services of Worship *with the Procession of Palms*
April 10 8:30 am, 11:00 am & 4:00 pm

MONDAY Music for the Passion of Christ (Organ Concert)
April 11 7:30 pm | Dr. Nathan Davy, *organ*

WEDNESDAY Midweek Lenten Service
April 13 12:15 pm

MAUNDY THURSDAY Service of Holy Communion
April 14 7:30 pm

GOOD FRIDAY Services of Tenebrae
April 15 Noon & 7:30 pm

EASTER DAY Services of Worship and Holy Baptism
April 17 8:00 am | Simple service (40 minutes)
Masks required. No childcare.

9:30 am & 11:00 am | Music by choir & orchestra
No masking requirements. Childcare available.

4:00 pm | Music by Sunday Night Band and strings
Masks optional (required in balcony). Childcare available.

COLLECTIVE PRAYERS

And whatever you ask in prayer, you will receive, if you have faith. (Matthew 21:22)

Let us Pray together ...

Tom B. to receives a medical approval from his doctors to return to Central Asia next month.

Praise that Zane and Elisse Kang have their visas and tickets to leave for Japan on March 31.

Wisdom and strength for John and Penny Carroll who face multiple health concerns.

Peoples facing significant harm from armed conflict including those in Ukraine, Afghanistan, Ethiopia, Mexico, and Yemen.

For truth and free speech to be welcome across Boston's college and university campuses, and for the gospel to grow in students' hearts.

Submit prayer requests to www.parkstreet.org/requestprayer

(or call 617-523-3383)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Missionary Reception | Sun, Mar 27 | 12:30 pm | Granary Room

Hear from one of Park Street's missionaries, Benjamin, who is serving through equine ministry in the Middle East. Registration not required.

Special Church Meeting | Sun, Apr 3 | 12:30 pm

The Special Meeting scheduled for Tue, Mar 22 has been adjourned until Sun, Apr. 3 because it lacked the necessary quorum. Active members are encouraged to attend this short meeting to ensure we have the quorum required to vote on a recommendation from the Board of Elders about an elder service term for Nick Dedeke.

Questions: info@parkstreet.org

ESL Teachers Needed | May 24–Aug 19

Share the gospel and model the love of Jesus by investing only a few hours a week this summer. Classes are daily, Tue–Fri. Training is provided.

Contact: kpatschke@parkstreet.org

Easter Sunday Memorial Flowers

To donate sanctuary flowers in memory of a loved one, visit: parkstreet.org/easterflowers

Second Annual Easter Egg Hunt | Sat, Apr 16 | 10:00 am

Join Family Ministries at the Walter Street Gate at Arnold Arboretum. Register your kids on Realm by Sun, Apr 3. Bring your Easter baskets!

Holy Week Nursery Volunteers Needed

We need your help for extra services. Email Stephanie: sverrengia@parkstreet.org

Application Deadline Extended for Short-Term Missions

Apply at parkstreet.org/missions by Apr 15. Questions: missions@parkstreet.org

Sign up for regular updates at: parkstreet.org/enews

For more in-depth announcements, or for registration links, please visit
www.parkstreet.org/announcements



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