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 bold text with a loud voice. Scripture lessons are from the English Standard Version.

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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.

Andante-Presto, *from Sonata in C major* ❄ J.S. Bach (1685–1750)

INTROIT

(11 am)

These Are They

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)

¶ Immediately at the conclusion of the Introit, the People stand.

CALL TO WORSHIP

(from Psalm 28)

Leader  Praise be to the Lord,
for he has heard my cry for mercy.

People  The Lord is my strength and my shield;
my heart has trusted in him, and I am helped;
therefore my heart dances for joy,
and in my song will I praise him.

Leader  The Lord is the strength of his people,
and he is the sure defense of his Anointed.

People  O save your people and bless your heritage;
be their shepherd and carry them for ever.”
Christ Is Made the Sure Foundation

1. Christ is made the sure foundation, Christ the head and corner stone,

2. All that dedicated city, dearly loved of God on high,

3. To this temple, where we call thee, come, O Lord of hosts, to day;

4. Here vouch-safe to all thy servants what they ask of thee to gain;

5. Laud and honor to the Father, laud and honor to the Son, laud and honor to the Spirit ever Three and ever One; One in might and One in glory, while unending ages run!

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.

ANNOUNCEMENTS & LIFE OF THE CHURCH

ANTHEM
(11 am)

Jesu, the Very Thought of Thee

Jesu, the very thought of thee with sweetness fills my breast;
But sweeter far thy face to see, and in thy presence rest.

Words: Edward Caswell (1814–1878)
Music: Edward Bairstow (1874–1946)

THE FIRST LESSON

Isaiah 29:9–14 pew Bible p.590

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.

O That I Had a Thousand Voices König
1. Oh that I had a thousand voices to praise my
2. O all ye powers that he implanted, arise, and
3. Ye forest leaves so green and tender, That dance for
4. All creatures that have breath and motion, that throng the
5. O Father, deign now, I beseech thee to hear the

1. God with thousand tongues! My heart, which in the Lord re-
2. si-lence keep no more; put forth the strength that he hath
3. joy in sum-mer air; ye mead-ow grass-es, bright and
4. earth, the sea, the sky, come, share with me my heart’s de-
5. song on earth I raise; a no-bler strain in heav’n shall

1. joic-es, would then pro-claim in grate-ful songs to all, wher-
2. grant-ed, your no-blest work is to a-dore. O soul and
3. slen-der; ye flowers so fra-grant and so fair: ye live to
4. vo-tion, help me to sing his prais-es high, my ut-most
5. reach thee, when I, with an-gels, hymn thy praise, and learn a-

1. ev-er I might be, what great things God hath done for me.
2. bod-y, join to raise with heart-felt joy our Mak-er’s praise!
3. show his praise a-lone. Join me to make his glo-ry known.
4. pow’rs can ne’er a-right de-clare the won-ders of his might.
5. mid their choirs to sing loud al-le-lu-ias to my King!

Words: 1704 | Johann Mentzer (1658-1734); trans. Catherine Winkworth et al.
Music: O Dass Ich Tausend, 1738 | Johann Balthasar König (1691-1758)

The People sit.

THE SECOND LESSON

Colossians 2:8–23

pew Bible p. 984

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.
THE GLORIA PATRI

The People stand. (Hymn № 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.

After the prayer, the People sit.

SERMON

Avoid Captivity

Mark Booker

HYMN

The People stand.

In Christ Alone

Words: 2001, Stuart Townend (b. 1963) alt. Stuart Townend and Keith Getty
Music: In Christ Alone, 2000 | Keith Getty (b. 1974) LMD
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The People sit.

OFFERTORY

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

Allegro, from Sonata in C 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

№ 81 O Love of God, How Strong and True

Jerusalem

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.

O That I Had a Thousand Voices

Paul Manz (1919–2009)
SERVICE LEADERS AND PARTICIPANTS

Mark Booker, *Senior Minister*
Nathan Skinner, *Director of Music*

**Assisting Minister**  Michael Balboni, *Associate Minister*

**Elders**
- 8:30  Charles Peltz
- 11:00  David Murgatroyd

**Lay Readers**
- 8:30  Stuart DeLorme
- 11:00  Jason Peter

**Musician**  The Chamber Choir; Daniel Schmunk, *Director of Choral Music*
Julianne Johnston, *flute*

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

“Praying at all times in the Spirit, with all prayer and supplication. To that end, keep alert with all perseverance, making supplication for all the saints” Ephesians 6:18

Let us pray together for...

Those who are married or preparing for marriage. That marriages would be whole and strong, growing in beauty and kindness, and that those preparing for marriage this year would be deepened in love and holiness toward one another.

Mothers to experience the joy of the Lord in raising little ones, for spiritual vision for teens and young adults, and energy to mother with the tenderness and strength from the Lord God.

Fathers to be full of spiritual leadership toward their children, offering guidance and gentleness in the fear of the Lord.

God’s protection and spiritual power over summer Christian camps including Park Street’s Kidsweek, Camp Brookwoods and Deer Run (NH), Moose River Outpost (ME), and our church’s All-Church Camp in August.

Submit prayer requests to: www.parkstreet.org/requestprayer (or call 617-523-3383).
Coffee on the Common | Today after 8:30 & 11:00 am services
Join us for refreshments on the Common across from Ockenga Lobby (weather-permitting). We need help with coffee hour setup! Email: rwetzig@parkstreet.org

PSC Prayer Course | Mondays, Jul 11–Aug 29 | 8:00–9:15 pm | via Zoom
An 8-week course on prayer, covering various prayer practices to develop a more holistic and impactful prayer life and create deeper intimacy with God. Register at: parkstreet.org/events

Missionary Care Teams
A.K.A. “Barnabas Groups” pray and encourage our missionaries, becoming liaisons between them and our congregation. To join contact: missions@parkstreet.org

Freedom Trail Guides | Part-Time Summer Jobs Available | parkstreet.org/jobs

All-Church Camp | Aug 24–28 | Camp Laurel South in Casco, Maine
Join us for 2, 3, or 4 nights as we gather as a church family and enjoy God’s beautiful creation! This is a wonderful way to get to know your church family. Includes meals and full use of all the camp has to offer. Registration closes Aug 1. Register: parkstreet.org/events. Questions? Email: aherndon@parkstreet.org

Summer College Ministry | Jun 17–Aug 5 | 7:00–8:30 pm
Join our College Ministry this summer for dessert, discussion, worship and fellowship at the Wilson House (PSC’s college ministry house in Harvard Square). We will discuss Tim Keller’s book Prayer.
Contact Saara: saara_luna@fas.harvard.edu

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