



Welcome to Park Street Church!

SERVICE *of* WORSHIP

Park Street Church

The Lord's Day, September 10, 2023

Welcome to Park Street Church! We're glad you're worshiping with us today. If you're new, please take a look at the "NEW" section on the back cover for some ways to connect with us.

*This bulletin contains instructions (usually next to the pilcrow symbol ¶) and explanations meant to help us fully participate in our worship of God. The People read **bold text** with a loud voice. Scripture lessons are from the English Standard Version.*

THE PRELUDE

¶ *Music is played by the musicians to prepare us in body and mind to enter the presence of God.*

Prelude in G Major

J. S. Bach (1685-1750)

INTROIT

(11 am)

I Was Glad

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

Words: Psalm 122 | Music: Roy W. Brunner (Park Street Church organist, 1993-2012)

¶ *Immediately after the introit, the People stand.*

CALL TO WORSHIP

from Psalm 99

Leader The LORD is King; let the peoples tremble;
He sits between the cherubim; let the earth shake.

People **The Lord is great in Zion and high above all peoples.
They shall give thanks unto his Name, which is great and wonderful.**

Leader O magnify the LORD our God,
and fall down before his footstool, for he is holy.

People **O magnify the LORD our God, and worship him upon his holy hill,
for the Lord our God is holy.**

HYMN

N^o 100 Holy, Holy, Holy

NICÆA

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

As The Deer (8:30am)

arr. Emily Mitchell

O Trinity, Most Blessed Light (11 am)

O Trinity, most blessed light, O Unity of sovereign might,
as light the fiery sun imparts, shed thou thy beams within our hearts.

To thee our morning song of praise, to thee our evening prayer we raise;
then may our souls for evermore in lovely reverence adore.

All praise to God the Father be, all praise, eternal Son, to thee,
whom with the Spirit we adore, for ever and for evermore.

Words : St. Ambrose (4th cent.), alt. | Music: C. Kenneth Turner

THE LESSON

1 Corinthians 10:1-14

pew Bible p. 957

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, Jesus I Have Promised

WOLVERCOTE



1. O Je - sus, I have prom - ised to serve thee to the end;
2. O let me hear thee speak - ing in ac - cents clear and still,
3. O Je - sus, thou hast prom - ised to all who fol - low thee



be thou for ev - er near me, my Ma - ster and my Friend;
a - bove the storms of pas - sion, the mur - murs of self will.
that where thou art in glo - ry there shall thy ser - vant be.



I shall not fear the bat - tle if thou art by my side,
O speak to re - as - sure me, to has - ten or con - trol;
And Je - sus, I have prom - ised to serve thee to the end;



nor wan - der from the path - way if thou wilt be my Guide.
O speak, and make me lis - ten, thou Guard - ian of my soul.
O give me grace to fol - low, my Mas - ter and my Friend.

Words: J. E. Bode (1816-1874)

Music: *Wolvercote* | W. H. Ferguson (1874-1950)

¶ *The People sit.*

THE PSALM

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pew Bible p. 491

¶ *The People stand. (Hymn No 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.*

¶ *Following the prayer, the People sit.*

SERMON

Honey from the Rock

Julian L.

HYMN

¶ *The People stand.*

No 76 Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven

LAUDA ANIMA

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 while music is offered to the Lord.*

Oh, Had I Jubal's Lyre *from Joshua*

Oh, Had I Jubal's lyre
or Miriam's tuneful voice!
To sounds like his I would aspire,
in songs like hers rejoice.
My humble strains but faintly show
how much to heaven and thee I owe.

Words: see Genesis 4:21 & Exodus 15:20 | Music: G. F. Handel (1685-1759)

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 296 All Hail The Power Of Jesus' Name

CORONATION

BENEDICTION

THE POSTLUDE

Fugue in G Major

J. S. Bach (1685-1750)

¶ *The People may sit or leave quietly. Please be respectful of those listening to the music.*

SERVICE LEADERS AND PARTICIPANTS

Mark Booker, *Senior Minister*

Nathan Skinner, *Director of Music*

PREACHER Julian L., *Minister of Missions*

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

ELDER David Murgatroyd

LAY READERS 8:30 Marty Lindemann

11:00 Jill VanderWoude

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

Emily Mitchell, *voice & guitar*

Jessica Kelley, *soprano*

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

COLLECTIVE PRAYERS

“How much more will your Father who is in heaven give good things to those who ask him!” Matthew 7:11

Let us pray together for...

- The people of the world: that God would provide food and shelter for the hungry and the homeless.
- Those oppressing others: that God would show them their own need and frailty, and that they would turn to him for mercy and healing.
- The city of Boston: that Mayor Michelle Wu and other leaders would see the true needs of the city and act to bring health and wholeness to our neighbors.
- The elderly and homebound in our community: that they would be surrounded and supported by our church family.
- Park Street Church: that we would hear the Lord and walk in his ways. That we would see our idols diminish to nothing in the awesome light of Jesus Christ.

Send your prayer requests to pastoralcare@parkstreet.org or call 617-523-3383

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Join Us for Fall Kickoff | Today | After all services

Join us as we connect with our church family and welcome newcomers! Visit the Welcome Center (one level below the sanctuary) to learn how to engage with different ministries. Meals will be served in the Fellowship Hall (two levels below the Sanctuary). Head out to the Common with your food for picnic blankets and lawn games.

Are You a College Student? | Today | After all services | Sky Room

Meet near the piano in the sanctuary after the AM services, or at the organ after the PM service, and we will walk with you to the Sky Room to share a meal together.

Park Street International Fellowship Kickoff | Today | 1:30 pm | Fellowship Hall

Students, visiting scholars, and immigrants from more than 60 nations have made Park Street Church their spiritual home, many through PSIF. This Sunday, we will meet together after the Fall Kickoff meal. Contact: psif@parkstreet.org.

Update on Senior Minister Mark Booker

The Booker family would like to thank the congregation for their support and prayers for Mark's successful back surgery following his mountain bike accident on Sunday. Mark is making a strong recovery and is grateful for the Lord's mercy. To learn more about how to support the Bookers, please visit parkstreet.org/announcements.

Worship and Healing Prayer Night | Fri, Sep 15 | 7:30-9:00 pm | Harvard Medical School

Meet at Countway Plaza; under the tent. Contact: boston@healthcarefellowship.org.

University Sunday Meals | Sun, Sep 17 | 9:45 am, 12:15 pm & 5:15 pm

If you are a college student, graduate student or faculty member, we would love to connect with you! Join us for a meal after any of the services. Email: college@parkstreet.org.

Reception for Frenchie and Ana Gamero | Sun, Sep 17 | 12:30 pm | Park Street Church

Ana Parada Gamero (daughter of Park Street missionaries Alberto & Joanna Parada) and her husband Frenchie will be with us in Boston from Sep 9-23. Join us as we welcome them and hear about their ministry with YWAM.

Learn More About Pathways Mission Experience

Discern a clearer sense of missional calling while growing together in community during a 9-month program of listening, discerning, processing and traveling on mission. Led by Ministers Damian and Julian. Contact: dlong@parkstreet.org; parkstreet.org/pathways.

Artists' Fellowship | Sun, Oct 1 | after the 11:00 am service | Upper Sky Room

Visual artists, join us for a light lunch! This group will encourage visual artists in their work. Contact: loistandersen@gmail.com

DivorceCare | Thursdays | 6:30 pm | Online | Register: divorcecare@parkstreet.org

Are you separated or divorced? Find hope and healing with DivorceCare this fall.

All-Church Camp Photo Contest | Email: clubinski@parkstreet.org

More at: parkstreet.org/announcements Regular updates at: parkstreet.org/enews

NEW?

Welcome to Park Street Church! We're glad you're here, and we invite you to become a part of this community of Jesus' disciples. Wherever you're coming from and whatever questions you are asking, we welcome you to join us as we seek to become more like Jesus.

Here are some specific steps you can take to connect:

- Fill out a **Connect card** in the pews and hand it to an usher or drop it in the offering plate. You can also visit parkstreet.org or scan the **QR code** to the right. We'll be in touch.



- Meet an elder or minister at the **Info Desk** in the Welcome Center (one floor below the sanctuary) and pick up a **Welcome booklet**.
- RSVP to the invitation you receive for the **Newcomers' Lunch** on a third Sunday of the month, where you can meet other newcomers and church leaders, hear about our community and ask questions. We look forward to knowing you better!



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