



Park Street Church Boston Mass.

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SERVICE *of* WORSHIP

Park Street Church | The Lord's Day, June 23, 2024

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 to prepare us in body and mind to enter the presence of God. Immediately at the conclusion of the Prelude, the People stand.*

CALL TO WORSHIP

from Psalm 92

Leader It is a good thing to give thanks unto the LORD,
and to sing praises unto your Name, O Most High.

People **To tell of your loving-kindness early in the morning,
and of your faithfulness in the night season,**

Leader Upon an instrument of ten strings and upon the lute,
with the sound of melody upon the harp.

People **For you, LORD, have made me glad by your deeds,
and I will shout for joy because of your handiwork.**

HYMN

N^o 457 Come Thou Fount

NETTLETON

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

THE LESSON

Mark 4:35-41

per Bible p. 839

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 120 All Things Bright and Beautiful

ROYAL OAK

¶ *The People sit.*

THE PSALM

65

pew Bible p. 480

¶ *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.

¶ *Following the prayer, the People sit.*

SERMON

Hope of the Earth

Randall Wetzig

HYMN

¶ *The People stand, sitting after the hymn.*

№ 714 We Plow the Fields and Scatter

WIR PFLÜGEN

TESTIMONY

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.*

Glorious Things of Thee are Spoken

arr. Fritz Kreisler (1875–1962)

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 345 Glorious Things of Thee are Spoken

AUSTRIA

BENEDICTION

THE POSTLUDE

¶ *The People may sit or leave quietly during the postlude. Please be respectful of those listening to the music in the sanctuary or via the livestream.*

Concerto in A minor: III. Allegro assai

J.S. Bach (1685–1750)

SERVICE LEADERS & PARTICIPANTS

Mark Booker, *Senior Minister*

Nathan Skinner, *Director of Music*

PREACHER Randall Wetzig, *Assistant Minister*

ELDERS 8:30 Kirstin Peltz

11:00 Jason Abraham

LAY READERS 8:30 Sophie Wetzig

11:00 Josephine Ziegler

TESTIMONY Andrew and Sophia S., *servicing in Asia*

MUSICIAN Daniel Faris, *violin*

COLLECTIVE PRAYERS

“Praise is due to you, O God, in Zion, and to you shall vows be performed. O you who hear prayer, to you shall all flesh come.” Psalm 65:1-2

Let us pray together...

- For the world, that those who dwell at the ends of the earth will be in awe at the signs of the one who makes the going out of the morning and the evening to shout for joy. (Psalm 65:8)
- For Boston, that the one who stills the roaring of the seas, the roaring of their waves, the tumult of the peoples, would bring his peace to this city. (Psalm 65:7)
- For Park Street Church, that God would bring us near, to dwell in his courts, that we shall be satisfied with the goodness of his house, the holiness of his temple. (Psalm 65:4)

Submit prayer requests to: parkstreet.org/requestprayer (or call 617-523-3383).

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Processing Sessions with Elders

The Board of Elders invite you, the congregation, to join them for times of processing and to share with them as we walk through these challenging months. If you have already attended one or more sessions, we ask that you not attend additional sessions so that more voices can participate in a smaller setting. If you would like to speak with an elder outside of these sessions, please email info@parkstreet.org and an elder will contact you.

Sun, Jun 23 | 9:45 AM | Fellowship Hall

Thu, Jun 20 | 7 PM | Granary Room

Tue, Jun 25 | 7 PM | Granary Room

Sun, Jun 23 | 9:45 AM | Fellowship Hall

Memorial Service for Ernestine Cuellar

Sun, Jun 23 | 1:00 PM | Sanctuary

Ernestine was a member of Park Street Church for many years, all invited to attend her memorial service today in the Sanctuary.

Upcoming Wedding | Sat, Jun 29 | 2:00 pm

We are pleased to announce that Joel Been and Anji Zhang will be married at the church this Saturday. All are welcome at the marriage service. We also invite your prayers on their behalf as they enter the covenant of marriage.

Summer College Ministry

Our Summer College Ministry will be meeting on Friday nights 7:00-8:45 PM from June 21st to August 2nd, at the Wilson House in Harvard Square. College students, graduate students, and recent graduates are warmly invited to attend this time of fellowship, dessert, prayer, and study of the book of Ecclesiastes. For more information, contact Saara at saara_luna@fas.harvard.edu.

College Ministry House Room Openings

The church's college ministry house ("Wilson House"), located in Harvard Square, has residential openings for two males and two females for the summer and also the school year. Twenty-somethings with a heart for undergrad ministry are encouraged to apply. Six volunteer hours per week are required with college ministry. Contact Catrice.Conover@cru.org for an application.

Sound and Video Help Needed

If you have experience running sound and video or you would like to learn, we would love to have you on the Radio Room Team. We are looking for people to run sound, video, or slides for any of the three services (8:30 am, 11:00 am, and 4:00 pm). Youth are welcome! Training will be provided as needed. Contact Mike Ahearn, *Church Administrator*, at mahearn@parkstreet.org to learn more.

eNews Summer Schedule

Beginning in July, the eNews will be sent out monthly for the summer with editions the first week in July and the first week in August. Weekly announcements, Sunday sermon titles and scripture passages can be viewed on Church Center or in the Sunday bulletin. To submit your ministry's announcement, use www.parkstreet.org/announcements-requests.

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** at 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!

