



SERVICE *of* HOLY COMMUNION

Park Street Church | The Lord's Day, July 7, 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 pилcrow 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.*

ENTRANCE HYMN

¶ *Following the spoken introduction, the People stand.*

My Country 'Tis of Thee

AMERICA

The image shows a musical score for the hymn 'My Country 'Tis of Thee'. It is written in G major and 3/4 time. The score consists of three systems of music, each with a treble and bass staff. The melody is primarily in the treble staff, while the bass staff provides a harmonic accompaniment. The music is simple and suitable for congregational singing.

1. My country! 'tis of thee,
sweet land of liberty,
of thee I sing;
land where my fathers died,
land of the pilgrims' pride,
from ev'ry mountainside
let freedom ring!
2. My native country! thee,
land of the noble free,
thy name I love;
I love thy rocks and rills,
thy woods and templed hills;
my heart with rapture thrills,
like that above.
3. Let music swell the breeze,
and ring from all the trees
sweet freedom's song;
let mortal tongues awake;
let all that breathe partake;
let rocks their silence break,
the sound prolong.
4. Our fathers' God! to thee,
Author of liberty,
to thee we sing.
Long may our land be bright,
with freedom's holy light.
Protect us by Thy might,
Great God our King.

Words: 1831 | Samuel Francis Smith (1808-1895)

Music: *America*, first published 1744 | *Thesaurus Musicus*; composer unknown 664. 6664

INTROIT
(II AM)

Day by Day

Day by day, dear Lord, of thee three things I pray:
To see thee more clearly, love thee more dearly,
Follow thee more nearly, day by day.

Words: Prayer of St. Richard of Chichester (1197-1253) | Music: Martin How (1931-2023)

CALL TO WORSHIP

from Psalm 22

Leader My praise is of you in the great congregation;
my vows will I perform in the sight of those who fear him.

People **The poor shall eat and be satisfied;
those who seek after the LORD shall praise him;
may your hearts live for ever.**

Leader All the ends of the world shall remember,
and be turned unto the LORD,
and all the families of the nations shall worship before him.

People **For the kingdom is the LORD's
and he is the Governor among the peoples.**

HYMN

Nº III This My Father's World

TERRA BEATA

INVOCATION & 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

2 Corinthians 6:1-10

pew Bible p. 966

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.*

How Shall I Sing That Majesty

WYE VALLEY



1. How shall I sing that Ma - jes - ty which an - gels
2. Thy bright-ness un - to them ap - pears, whilst I thy
3. En - light - en with faith's light my heart, in - flame it
4. How great a be - ing, Lord, is Thine, which doth all



do ad - mire? Let dust in dust and si - lence lie; sing,
foot - steps trace; a sound of God comes to my ears, but
with love's fire; then shall I sing and bear a part with
be - ings keep! thy knowledge is the on - ly line to



sing, ye heav'n - ly choir. Thousands of thou - sands stand a -
they be - hold thy face. I shall, I fear, be dark and
that ce - les - tial choir. They sing be - cause Thou art their
sound so vast a deep. Thou art a sea with - out a



round thy throne, O God most high; _____ ten thou - sand
 cold, with all my fire and light; _____ yet when thou
 Sun; Lord, send a beam on me; _____ for where heav'n
 shore, a sun with-out a sphere; _____ thy time is



times ten thou - sand sound thy praise; but who am I?
 dost ac - cept their gold, Lord, trea - sure up my mite.
 is but once be - gun, there al - le - lu - ias be.
 now and ev - er - more, thy place is eve - ry - where.

Words: John Mason (1646-1694)

Music: *Coe Fen*, 1984 | Ken Naylor (1931-1991)

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¶ *The People sit.*

THE PSALM

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perw Bible p. 463

¶ *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.

¶ *Following the prayer, the People sit.*

SERMON

Shout for Joy

Mark Booker

HYMN

¶ *The People stand. (Children return from Children's Church during the hymn.)*

N^o 281 I Know That My Redeemer Lives

SHOUT ON

APOSTLES' CREED

¶ *Standing, the People say together*

I believe in God the Father, Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
and born of the virgin Mary.
He suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried;
he descended into hell.

The third day he rose again from the dead.
He ascended into heaven
and is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty.
From there he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic Church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.

THE PRAYERS

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

CONFESSION OF SIN

from Psalm 51

Have mercy on me, O God,
according to your steadfast love;
according to your abundant mercy
blot out my transgressions.

Wash me thoroughly from my iniquity,
and cleanse me from my sin.

For I know my transgressions,
and my sin is ever before me.

Against you, you only, have I sinned
and done what is evil in your sight,

so that you may be justified in your words
and blameless in your judgment.
Behold, I was brought forth in iniquity,
and in sin did my mother conceive me.
Behold, you delight in truth in the inward being,
and you teach me wisdom in the secret heart.
Purge me with hyssop, and I shall be clean;
wash me, and I shall be whiter than snow.
Let me hear joy and gladness;
let the bones that you have broken rejoice.
Hide your face from my sins,
and blot out all my iniquities.
Create in me a clean heart, O God,
and renew a right spirit within me.
Cast me not away from your presence,
and take not your Holy Spirit from me.
Restore to me the joy of your salvation,
and uphold me with a willing spirit.

OFFERTORY

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

Gracious Spirit, Dwell with Me (II am)

Gracious Spirit, dwell with me, I would gracious be;
help me now thy grace to see, I would be like thee;
and, with words that help and heal, thy life would mine reveal;
and, with actions bold and meek, for Christ, my Savior, speak.

Truthful Spirit, dwell with me, I would truthful be;
help me now thy truth to see, I would be like thee;
and, with wisdom kind and clear, thy life in mine appear;
and, with actions brotherly, speak Christ's sincerity.

Holy Spirit, dwell with me, I would holy be;
show thy mercy tenderly, make me more like Thee;
separate from sin, I would and cherish all things good,
and whatever I can be, give him who gave me thee.

Mighty Spirit, dwell with me, I would mighty be;
help me now thy pow'r to see, I would be like thee;
'gainst all weapons hell can wield, be thou my strength and shield;
let thy word my weapon be, Lord, thine the victory.

Gracious Spirit, dwell with me, I would be like Thee!

Words: sts. 1-3 Thomas T Lynch (1818-1871), alt. | st. 4 K.L.S. | Music: K. Lee Scott (b. 1950)

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.

THE LORD'S SUPPER

¶ *All baptized believers and their baptized children are invited to partake of the Sacrament by proceeding up to the front to receive the elements. Gluten-free wafers are available.*

During the distribution of the elements, the People sing the following hymns:

And Now, O Father, Mindful of the Love

1. And now, O Fa - ther, mind - ful of the love that
2. Look, Fa - ther, look on his a - noint - ed face, and
3. And then for those, our dear - est and our best, by
4. And so we come: O draw us to thy feet, most

bought us, once for all, on Cal-vary's hill, and hav - ing with us
on - ly look on us as found in him; look not on our mis -
this pre - vail - ing pres - ence we ap - peal: O fold them clos - er
pa - tient Sa - vior, who canst love us still; and by this food, so

him that pleads a - bove, we here pro - claim, we here re -
 us - ings of thy grace, our prayer so lan - guid, and our
 to thy mer - cy's breast, O do thine ut - most for their
 awe - some and so sweet, de - liv - er us from ev - ery

mem - ber still that on - ly of - fering per - fect in thine
 faith so dim: for lo! be - tween our sins and their re -
 souls' true weal; from taint - ing mis - chief keep them pure and
 touch of ill: in thine own ser - vice make us glad and

eyes, the one true, pure, im - mor - tal sac - ri - fice.
 ward we set the Pas - sion of thy Son our Lord.
 clear, and crown thy gifts with strength to per - se - vere.
 free, and grant us nev - er - more to part from thee.

Words: William Bright (1824-1901), alt.
 Music: *Unde et memores* | William H. Monk (1823-1889)

+ weal: *well-being*

Nº 170 Fairest Lord Jesus

ST ELIZABETH

Nº 87 The Lord's My Shepherd, I'll Not Want

CRIMOND

HYMN

¶ *The People stand.*

Nº 710 God Of Our Fathers

NATIONAL HYMN

BENEDICTION

THE POSTLUDE

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

Amazing Grace

arr. Raymond H. Haan (b. 1938)

SERVICE LEADERS AND PARTICIPANTS

Mark Booker, *Senior Minister*

Nathan Skinner, *Director of Music*

ASSISTING MINISTERS Leonard Mosiah, *Minister to Youth*

Chris May, *Minister to Women*

ELDERS 8:30 Kirstin Peltz

11:00 Joshua Wang

LAY READERS 8:30 Marty Lindemann

11:00 Linda Hemphill

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

Jennifer Velázquez, *guest organist*

COLLECTIVE PRAYERS

"I lift my eyes up to the hills. From where does my help come? My help comes from the Lord who made heaven and earth." (Psalm 121:1-2)

Let us pray together...

- With thankfulness to God for placing us in this time and in this place, in this country with its blessings and trials.
- That we would heed the command of God to love our neighbors and our enemies.
- That there would be an understanding in the United States of the true freedom found in Jesus Christ.
- That the Holy Spirit would continue to work in members of the body of Christ around the globe, individually and corporately, to make us into his image.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

All Church Prayer

Sat, Jul 13 & 20 | 8:30 am | *Zoom (online)*

Sat, Aug 2 | 7:30 pm | *Welcome Center (in-person)*

Please register at parkstreet.org/events to receive Zoom details.

Job Posting: Minister to Internationals

As Pastor Mark's letter mentioned last Wednesday, we have begun to search for a Minister to Internationals. Applications are currently being accepted through Friday, July 19. The job description can be found at parkstreet.org/jobs. All interested persons are encouraged to send their resume and cover letter to Debbie Gallagher at clerk@parkstreet.org. Please be in prayer for this process.

Help Decorate for Kidsweek | Sat, Jul 13 | 8:30 am – 2:00 pm

Many rooms of the church will be transformed to prepare for Kidsweek 2024! If you are willing to serve our kids by giving some of your time that day, please email Stephanie Verrengia sverrengia@parkstreet.org.

No Parking on Park Street | Sundays, Jul 14, 21, 28

Due to MBTA shuttling, parking will not be allowed on Park Street on weekends (all day), nor after 7:00 pm on weekdays, Jul 13 – 28.

Missionary Receptions

Sun, Jul 14 | 9:45 am & 12:30 pm | *Room TBD*

Sun, Jul 21 | 5:15 pm | *Terrace Room*

Join us to hear updates from the Paradas, PSC missionaries serving South Africa through prison ministry. Questions? Contact missions@parkstreet.org.

Summer College Ministry | Fridays, Jun 21 – Aug 2 | 7:00-8:45 pm | *Wilson House*

College students, grads, and recent grads are invited to fellowship and study of Ecclesiastes. Contact Saara at saara_luna@fas.harvard.edu.

Bylaws Committee

The Board of Elders voted in May to form a Bylaws Committee to review the bylaws of the church. The Committee began meeting in June. Members of the congregation may submit revision suggestions to the Bylaws Committee by emailing bylawscommittee@parkstreet.org

Summer Coffee Hour Volunteers

Our coffee hour teams have been given a well-deserved break during the summer, but it turns out we all still want to drink coffee. If you're willing to set up, host, and clean up coffee hour in-between morning services this summer, email Randall at rwetzig@parkstreet.org.

Taste of Perspectives | Jul 23 & Aug 13 | 6:00 – 8:00 pm | 88 Tremont Street
A bite-sized free sample of the Perspectives on the World Christian Movement course. In two hours get a taste of what you'll find in the 15-week course. Email bmperspectives@gmail.com to register, and for more info about the course.

Boston Fellows Program | Sep 2024 – May 2025 | application deadline Aug 1
Boston Fellows is recruiting for the class of 2025. This is a 9-month program which helps early to mid-career professionals cultivate insights and spiritual habits for meaningful vocation in a cohort of peers, spiritual leaders, and professional mentors. Visit bostonfellows.com or contact Kelly Madden at kelly.madden@bostonfellows.com for more info, including alumni reviews.

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!



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