



SERVICE *of* WORSHIP

Park Street Church | The Lord's Day, July 13, 2025

***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.*

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## THE PRELUDE

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

Allegro moderato, from Sonata 6 in G Minor

C. P. E. Bach (1714–1788)

## INTROIT

(II AM)

Come, Christians, Join to Sing

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*Alleluia, Amen!*

Loud praise to Christ our King,

Let all with heart and voice before his throne rejoice;

Praise is his gracious choice.

Words: Christian Bateman (1843) | Music: Traditional Spanish

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

## CALL TO WORSHIP

*from Psalm 105*

*Leader* Give thanks unto the LORD and call upon his Name;  
tell the peoples what things he has done.

*People* **Sing to him, and praise him.**

*Leader* Rejoice in his holy Name;  
let the hearts of those who seek the LORD rejoice.

*People* **Remember the marvelous works that he has done,  
his wonders, and the judgments of his mouth,**

*Leader* He brought forth his people with joy,  
and his chosen ones with gladness. Praise the Lord.

## HYMN

Nº 167 When Morning Gilds the Skies

LAUDES DOMINI

## 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

## ANTHEM

Brother James's Air (see hymn 86)

arr. Gordon Jacob (1895–1984)

## THE LESSON

*Luke 1:67–79*

*pew Bible p. 856*

*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.*

Nº 311 Hail to The Lord's Anointed

AURELIA

¶ *The People sit.*

## THE PSALM

### III

*pew Bible p. 509*

¶ *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.

*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

The Great Works of God

Mark Booker

## HYMN

¶ *The People stand.*

№ 119 I Sing the Almighty Power of God

FOREST GREEN

## 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.*

The King of Love My Shepherd Is (see hymn 184)

My Shepherd Will Supply My Need

My Shepherd will supply my need, Jehovah is his Name;  
in pastures fresh he makes me feed beside the living stream.  
He brings my wandering spirit back when I forsake his ways,  
and leads me, for his mercy's sake, in paths of truth and grace.

When I walk through the shades of death, thy presence is my stay;  
one word of thy supporting breath drives all my fears away.

Thy hand, in sight of all my foes, doth still my table spread;  
my cup with blessings overflows, thy oil anoints my head.

The sure provisions of my God attend me all my days;  
oh, may thy house be mine abode and all my work be praise.  
There would I find a settled rest, while others go and come;  
no more a stranger or a guest, but like a child at home.

#### 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 32 Great is Thy Faithfulness

FAITHFULNESS

#### 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.*

Allegro, from Sonata 6 in G Minor

C. P. E. Bach

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## SERVICE LEADERS & PARTICIPANTS

Mark Booker, *Senior Minister*

Nathan Skinner, *Director of Music*

ASSISTING MINISTER Polo Kim Herndon, *Minister to Internationals*

ELDERS 8:30 Kirstin Peltz

11:00 Joshua Wang

LAY READERS 8:30 Elizabeth Lohnes

11:00 Emma Verrengia

MUSICIANS Jennifer Velázquez, *guest organist*

Julianne Johnston, *flute*

Barry Johnston, *classical guitar*

*Staff directory: [parkstreet.org/about-us/staff](http://parkstreet.org/about-us/staff)*

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## COLLECTIVE PRAYERS

*“Continue steadfastly in prayer, being watchful in it with thanksgiving.” Colossians 4:2*

### Let us pray together...

- For Kidsweek, that through the lessons, songs, games, snacks, and time with teachers and volunteers, kids would grow in their knowledge and love of God.
- For the volunteers working at Kidsweek, that God would give them patience, courage, and wisdom to reflect Jesus to the kids.
- For our missionaries Alberto and Joanna, serving in youth and prison ministry in South Africa, that God would give them wisdom and strength as they work alongside him.
- For the Park Street International Fellowship, that the Holy Spirit would continue to build up the leadership team so that they can in turn build up the members.

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

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

More details at [parkstreet.org/everything](https://parkstreet.org/everything).

\* Indicates childcare is available. Preregistration may be required.

### *Today*

Sunday Worship\* | 8:30 am, 11 am, & 4 pm | *Sanctuary*

Hour of Prayer | 9:45 am | *Conference Room 301*

Park Street International Fellowship | 1:30 pm | *Various Rooms*

### *This Week*

Morning Prayer | Weekdays, 8:30 am | [parkstreet.org/morningprayer](https://parkstreet.org/morningprayer)

Kidsweek | Mon-Fri, 9 am–12:30 pm | *Various Rooms*

Café Young Adults | Tue & Wed, 7 pm | *Welcome Center*

Home Ministry Outreach Meals | Thu, 5:45 pm & Sat, 8:30 am | *Fellowship Hall*

College Summer Bible Study | Fri, 7:00 pm | *Wilson House*

Missions Summer Book Study | Thu, 7:30 pm | *Zoom*

All-Church Prayer | Sat, 8:30 am | *Zoom*

Haitian ESL Classes | Sat, 9:30 am | *Granary Room and Common Room*

### *General*

**College Summer Bible Study | Fri, Jul–Aug | *Wilson House***

All college students are invited to join our Summer College Ministry Bible at the Wilson House in Cambridge for scripture (the book of James), fellowship, dessert, and worship. Contact Alex Ichimura ([ayichimura@gmail.com](mailto:ayichimura@gmail.com)) for more information.

### **The Men's Bible Study Summer Break**

The Wednesday morning Men's Bible Study will be taking a break until Sep 3. Look for a further announcement about an evening gathering on Aug 18.

### **All-Church Prayer July Schedule**

Fri, Jul 18, 7:30 pm in person; Sat Jul 19 & 26, 8:30 am on Zoom.

### **City Engagement**

Serve and care for our unhoused neighbors at our Home ministry on Thu evenings and Sat mornings, or help us welcome refugees and other international neighbors through weekly soccer with Sanctus Sports Fellowship, our Sat Haitian ESL course, and our regular Afghan gatherings. Learn more via [cityengagement@parkstreet.org](mailto:cityengagement@parkstreet.org) or [parkstreet.org/cityengagement](https://parkstreet.org/cityengagement).

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*Jesus Above All*

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## 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](http://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**, 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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