The Reverend Doctor Robert Allan Hill, Dean

* Please rise, as you are able.

ORDER OF WORSHIP

The congregation is invited into silent prayer prior to the service.

Prelude

Call to Worship and Greeting

The Dean: The Lord be with you.
People: And also with you.
The Dean: Bless the Lord who forgives all our sins.
People: God's mercy endures for ever.

* Hymn 660 God is here! Abbot's Leigh

* Collect (in unison)

Almighty God, you know that we have no power in ourselves to help ourselves: Keep us both outwardly in our bodies and inwardly in our souls, that we may be defended from all adversities which may happen to the body, and from all evil thoughts which may assault and hurt the soul; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

Kyrie from Missa de Sancta Maria Magdalena Healey Willan (1880-1968)

Lord, have mercy upon us. Christ, have mercy upon us. Lord, have mercy upon us.

Assurance of Pardon

The Dean: If we confess our sins, God who is faithful and just will forgive our sins, and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.
All: Thanks be to God.
Lesson  

Genesis 20:1-17

Lector: A lesson from the Book of Genesis, chapter 20, verses 1-17:

Then God spoke all these words: I am the LORD your God, who brought you out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of slavery; you shall have no other gods before me. You shall not make for yourself an idol, whether in the form of anything that is in heaven above, or that is on the earth beneath, or that is in the water under the earth. You shall not bow down to them or worship them; for I the LORD your God am a jealous God, punishing children for the iniquity of parents, to the third and the fourth generation of those who reject me, but showing steadfast love to the thousandth generation of those who love me and keep my commandments. You shall not make wrongful use of the name of the LORD your God, for the LORD will not acquit anyone who misuses his name. Remember the sabbath day, and keep it holy. Six days you shall labor and do all your work. But the seventh day is a sabbath to the LORD your God; you shall not do any work—your own, your son or your daughter, your male or female slave, your livestock, or the alien resident in your towns. For in six days the LORD made heaven and earth, the sea, and all that is in them, but rested the seventh day; therefore the LORD blessed the sabbath day and consecrated it. Honor your father and your mother, so that your days may be long in the land that the LORD your God is giving you. You shall not murder. You shall not commit adultery. You shall not steal. You shall not bear false witness against your neighbor. You shall not covet your neighbor’s house; you shall not covet your neighbor’s wife, or male or female slave, or ox, or donkey, or anything that belongs to your neighbor.

Lector: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

Anthem  

Steal away  

Steal away, steal away, steal away to Jesus!
Steal away, steal away home, I ain’t got long to stay here.

My Lord calls me,
He calls me by the thunder;
The trumpet sounds within-a my soul,
I ain’t got long to stay here.

Green trees are bending,
Poor sinner stand a-trembling;
The trumpet sounds within-a my soul,
I ain’t got long to stay here.

My Lord calls me,
He calls me by the lightening;
The trumpet sounds within a my soul,
I ain’t got long to stay here.  


Traditional Spiritual
Psalm 19

The antiphon is sung twice, first by choir alone, and then by choir and congregation.

🎵 Antiphon (sung by all)

The law of God is just, reviving the soul.

Cantor: The heavens are telling the glory of God; and the firmament proclaims his handiwork.

People: Day to day pours forth speech, and night to night declares knowledge.

Cantor: There is no speech, nor are there words; their voice is not heard;

People: yet their voice goes out through all the earth, and their words to the end of the world.

Cantor: In the heavens he has set a tent for the sun, which comes out like a bridegroom from his wedding canopy, and like a strong man runs its course with joy.

People: Its rising is from the end of the heavens, and its circuit to the end of them; and nothing is hid from its heat.

Cantor: The law of the LORD is perfect, reviving the soul; the decrees of the LORD are sure, making wise the simple;

People: the precepts of the LORD are right, rejoicing the heart; the commandment of the LORD is clear, enlightening the eyes;

Cantor: the fear of the LORD is pure, enduring forever; the ordinances of the LORD are true and righteous altogether.

People: More to be desired are they than gold, even much fine gold; sweeter also than honey, and drippings of the honeycomb.

Cantor: Moreover by them is your servant warned; in keeping them there is great reward.

People: But who can detect their errors? Clear me from hidden faults.

Cantor: Keep back your servant also from the insolent; do not let them have dominion over me. Then I shall be blameless, and innocent of great transgression.

People: Let the words of my mouth and the meditation of my heart be acceptable to you, O LORD, my rock and my redeemer. 🎵
**Gloria Patri**  
The Agincourt Hymn (*sung by all*)

The music to this hymn is found on page 267 of the United Methodist Hymnal, verse 6.

All glory to our Lord and God  
For love so deep, so high, so broad:  
The Trinity whom we adore,  
Forever and evermore.

**Gospel Lesson**  
John 2:13-22

*Lector:* The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to St. John,  
chapter 2, verses 13-22:  

*People:* Glory to you, O Lord.

The Passover of the Jews was near, and Jesus went up to Jerusalem. In the temple he found people selling cattle, sheep, and doves, and the money changers seated at their tables. Making a whip of cords, he drove all of them out of the temple, both the sheep and the cattle. He also poured out the coins of the money changers and overturned their tables. He told those who were selling the doves, "Take these things out of here! Stop making my Father's house a marketplace!" His disciples remembered that it was written, "Zeal for your house will consume me." The Jews then said to him, "What sign can you show us for doing this?" Jesus answered them, "Destroy this temple, and in three days I will raise it up." The Jews then said, "This temple has been under construction for forty-six years, and will you raise it up in three days?" But he was speaking of the temple of his body. After he was raised from the dead, his disciples remembered that he had said this; and they believed the scripture and the word that Jesus had spoken.

*People:* Praise to you, Lord Christ.

**Hymn 540**  
I love thy kingdom, Lord  

*ST. THOMAS*

**Sermon**  
‘Christ and the Presence of the Kingdom’  
Dean Robert Allan Hill

**Call to Prayer**  
Lead me, Lord (*sung by all*)  

*LEAD ME, LORD*

The music to this hymn is found on page 473 of the United Methodist Hymnal.

Lead me, Lord, lead me in thy righteousness;  
Make thy way plain before my face.  
For it is thou, Lord, thou, Lord only,  
That makest me dwell in safety.

**Prayers of the People**
The Lord’s Prayer

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 daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.

Community Life and Offertory

At the Offertory       Cantate Domino       Vytautas Miškinis (b. 1954)

Cantate Domino canticum novum:       Sing unto the Lord a new song,
Et benedicite nomini ejus:        And bless his name:
Quia mirabilia fecit.            For He has worked wonders.

Cantate Domino canticum novum:
Cantate et exsultate,
Et psalite in cithara et voce psalmi,
Cantate Domino, canticum novum.

Sing unto the Lord a new song:
Sing, and exult,
And strike the harp and let voices sing,
Sing unto the Lord a new song.

🌟 Presentation of the Gifts (sung by all)       MOSCOW

To the great One in Three eternal praises be
hence evermore!
Thy sovereign majesty may we in glory see,
and to eternity love and adore.

🌟 Offertory Prayer

🌟 Hymn 269        Lord, who throughout these forty days        LAND OF REST

🌟 Benediction

Please remain standing until the procession has left the nave.

Postlude

The preacher is Rev. Dr. Robert Allan Hill, Dean of the Chapel.
The choir is In Choro Novo, conducted by Dr. Thérèse Provenzano.
The organist is Justin Thomas Blackwell
**IN CHORO NOVO**  
Dr. Thérèse Provenzano, Conductor  
Jenny Chou, Accompanist

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**DR. THÉRÈSE PROVENZANO**

Thérèse Provenzano, Doctor of Musical Arts, earned undergraduate honors degrees in her majors of Music, English, Biology and Education from Brandeis University; Master of Music degrees with high honors in both music education/conducting and piano performance and a Masters in Biology from the University of Michigan; and the Doctor of Musical Arts degree in Music Education from Boston University. She studied piano with pianist Paul Badera-Skoda in Vienna, received the Phyllis Lee Coffey Award in Music at Brandeis, was a Dean's scholar at Boston University, and, in 1999, was awarded the Distinguished Arts Educator in Music for the state of Massachusetts by the Alliance for Arts Education. In Winter 2001, Dr. Provenzano had the honor of studying with world-renowned musician/conductor, Sir Neville Marriner.

Dr. Provenzano is currently employed as Choral Director for the Weston Public Schools and The Community Chorus. She also adjudicates and conducts at state and national choral festivals and competitions.

In addition to her music, Dr. Provenzano also participates in whale research on Cape Cod and works with the rehabilitation of injured wild animals at Wild Care in Brewster.
**THIS WEEK AT MARSH CHAPEL**

**TODAY**
- 11:00 a.m. Interdenominational Protestant Worship (Main Chapel)
- 12:00 noon Coffee Hour (Marsh Room)

Weekday Chapel activities have been suspended this week while students are on Spring Break. These activities will resume on Monday, March 19.

**NEXT SUNDAY**
- 11:00 a.m. Interdenominational Protestant Worship (Main Chapel)
- 12:00 noon Coffee Hour (Marsh Room)

**DEAN’S CHOICE**

**STUDENT’S CHOICE**

We here at Marsh Chapel wish students a happy and safe Spring Break! While you’re away, stay connected. Follow us on Twitter: @MarshChapel.

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Rev. Jen Quigley, Marsh Chapel Associate for Vocational Discernment will be running a **baptism class this Lent**. If you are interested in receiving the sacrament of baptism, please e-mail [jenquig@bu.edu](mailto:jenquig@bu.edu).

Marsh Chapel is pleased to offer **child care** during our Sunday morning services. Inquiries can be made at the main office on the lower level of the building.

We are happy to provide **free parking for the Sunday morning service** (11:00 a.m.) in the lot behind the College of Arts and Sciences (accessible via Bay State Road).
WELCOME TO MARSH CHAPEL

We thank you for joining us this morning for worship, and hope that you have found the Spirit of God in our midst. If you are interested in becoming a member of Marsh Chapel, or have other questions, please feel free to contact any of the Chaplains or Associates listed below.

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