



MARSH CHAPEL AT BOSTON UNIVERSITY

University Interdenominational Protestant
Service of Worship

Sunday, February 9th, 2014 - 11:00 a.m.

The Fifth Sunday after the Epiphany

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

Präludium in E major, BuxWV 141

Dietrich Buxtehude (c. 1637-1707)

Call to Worship and Greeting

The Dean: The Lord be with you.

People: *And also with you.*

The Dean: Lift up your hearts.

People: *We lift them up to the Lord!*

✦ Introit

Introit for the Season of Epiphany

Julian J. Wachner (b. 1969)

O Lord, open thou our lips, and our mouth shall show forth thy praise.

The Lord hath manifested forth his glory: O come let us adore him.

The earth is the Lord's and he made it: O come let us adore.

Text adapted by the composer

✦ Hymn 545

The church's one foundation

AURELIA

✦ Collect *(in unison)*

Set us free, O God, from the bondage of our sins, and give us the liberty of that abundant life which you have made known to us in your Son our Savior Jesus Christ; who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

Kyrie from Missa 'Alma Redemptoris'

Tomás Luis de Victoria (1548-1611)

Kyrie eleison, *Lord, have mercy,*
Christe eleison, *Christ, have mercy,*
Kyrie eleison. *Lord, have mercy.*

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 Ephesians 4:1-7

Lector: A lesson from St. Paul's epistle to the Ephesians, chapter 4, verses 1-7:

I therefore, the prisoner in the Lord, beg you to lead a life worthy of the calling to which you have been called, with all humility and gentleness, with patience, bearing with one another in love, making every effort to maintain the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace. There is one body and one Spirit, just as you were called to the one hope of your calling, one Lord, one faith, one baptism, one God and Father of all, who is above all and through all and in all. But each of us was given grace according to the measure of Christ's gift.

Lector: The Word of the Lord.

People: *Thanks be to God.*

Anthem You're the song that I sing

words and music by Freda R. Battle

Lord, You're the song that I sing,
You're my everything;
And I praise You.
Lord, You're the air that I breathe,
On Your name I believe;
And I praise You.

Lord, You get the glory, in my life.
Give You the glory, in my life.
You are worthy, in my life.
Lord, You're the song that I sing; You're my everything, in my life.

Psalm 112

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

♪ **Antiphon** (*sung by all*)



Light ris - es in dark-ness when jus-tice rules our lives.

- Cantor:* Praise the LORD!
Happy are those who fear the LORD,
who greatly delight in his commandments.
- People:* *Their descendants will be mighty in the land;
the generation of the upright will be blessed.*
- Cantor:* Wealth and riches are in their houses,
and their righteousness endures forever.
- People:* *They rise in the darkness as a light for the upright;
they are gracious, merciful, and righteous.*
- Cantor:* It is well with those who deal generously and lend,
who conduct their affairs with justice.
- People:* *For the righteous will never be moved;
they will be remembered forever.*
- Cantor:* They are not afraid of evil tidings;
their hearts are firm, secure in the LORD.
- People:* *Their hearts are steady, they will not be afraid;
in the end they will look in triumph on their foes.*
- Cantor:* They have distributed freely, they have given to the poor;
their righteousness endures forever; their horn is exalted in honor.
- People:* *The wicked see it and are angry;
they gnash their teeth and melt away;
the desire of the wicked comes to nothing.* ♪

✠ **Gloria Patri** from 'Magnificat in G major'

C. V. Stanford (1852-1924)

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.

✘ **Gospel Lesson** Matthew 5:13-20

Lector: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to St. Matthew, chapter 5, verses 13-20:

People: *Glory to you, O Lord.*

"You are the salt of the earth; but if salt has lost its taste, how can its saltiness be restored? It is no longer good for anything, but is thrown out and trampled under foot. You are the light of the world. A city built on a hill cannot be hid. No one after lighting a lamp puts it under the bushel basket, but on the lampstand, and it gives light to all in the house. In the same way, let your light shine before others, so that they may see your good works and give glory to your Father in heaven. Do not think that I have come to abolish the law or the prophets; I have come not to abolish but to fulfill. For truly I tell you, until heaven and earth pass away, not one letter, not one stroke of a letter, will pass from the law until all is accomplished. Therefore, whoever breaks one of the least of these commandments, and teaches others to do the same, will be called least in the kingdom of heaven; but whoever does them and teaches them will be called great in the kingdom of heaven. For I tell you, unless your righteousness exceeds that of the scribes and Pharisees, you will never enter the kingdom of heaven."

Lector: The Gospel of the Lord.

People: *Praise to you, Lord Christ.*

✘ **Hymn 551** Awake, O sleeper MARSH CHAPEL

Sermon "Aggiornamento" Rev. Dr. Robert Allan Hill, Dean

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.

Response

from "Give me Jesus"

arr. Larry L. Fleming (1936-2003)

O when I am alone, give me Jesus. You may have all the rest, give me Jesus.

*Traditional Spiritual***Community Life and Offertory Sentences****At the Offertory** Don't Give Up*words and music by Herbert S. Jones*

Don't give up when the road gets rough;
 No, don't give up; just keep holding on.
 For I'm convinced that He who began a good work in you
 Is able to keep you until the day of Christ.

Don't give up when you feel alone;
 No, don't give up; God takes care of His own.
 For I'm convinced that He who began a good work in you
 Is able to keep you until the day of Christ.

God's grace is sufficient to keep your soul in peace,
 According to His riches, He'll supply your need.
 And I declare that the Lord will make a way if you let Him;
 He's able to keep you until the day of Christ.

☒ Presentation of the Gifts *(sung by all)*

CWM RHONDDA

**☒ Offertory Prayer**

Those attending “Children’s Ministry” should exit at the back of the sanctuary with Rev. Jen Quigley and Ms. Jamie Dingus during the singing of the next hymn.

✘ **Hymn 400** Come, thou Fount of every blessing NETTLETON

✘ **Benediction**

✘ **Response** God be in my head *arr. John Rutter (b. 1945)*

God be in my head and in my understanding. God be in mine eyes and in my looking.

God be in my mouth and in my speaking. God be in my heart and in my thinking.

God be at mine end and at my departing. *Old English Prayer from Sarum Primer*

Please remain standing until the procession has left the nave.

Postlude Fanfare *William Mathias (1934-1992)*

The preacher is The Reverend Dr. Robert Allan Hill, Dean of the Chapel.

The Inner Strength Gospel Choir is conducted by Herbert S. Jones.

The Marsh Chapel Choir is conducted by Reed Spencer.

The organist is Justin Thomas Blackwell.

DEAN ROBERT WATTS THORNBURG (1927-2013)

On **Saturday, February 15, at 1:00 p.m.**, Marsh Chapel will hold a **memorial service for Dean Robert Watts Thornburg**, Dean of the Chapel from 1978-2001. Dean Thornburg was born on October 10, 1927 in Chicago, IL and passed away on December 29, 2013 in Estero, FL. He graduated from DePauw University with graduate study at Garrett Theological Seminary at Northwestern University and at Union Seminary at Columbia University. For twenty-three years, he was the voice of Boston University’s Marsh Chapel on WBUR 90.9 FM. The University honored him with induction into Phi Beta Kappa and the Scarlet Key Award. Throughout his life, he served as a trustee of numerous charitable, religious, and educational organizations, often in leadership roles. His greatest love was for his family, including gatherings in their Boston, Berkshires, and New Hampshire homes, along with great reunion trips with his children and grandchildren. He is survived by his second wife of thirty-five years, Ann; his twin brother Richard (Peabody, MA) and his sister Mary Cooper (Rochester, NY); his children, Beth (Ashland City, TN), Rob (Allentown, PA), Judy Zimmerman (Franklin, TN), Anne Mann (Eugene, OR); eight grandchildren and three great-grandchildren; his first wife, Carol (Nashville, TN); and his faithful canine companions, Queen and Princess Bean. A private service for the family was held in Florida. The family requests that in lieu of flowers, memorial contributions be made to the Animal Rescue League of Boston or a charity of the donors choice. Condolences may be expressed online at www.shikanyfuneralhome.com.

THIS WEEK AT MARSH CHAPEL

TODAY	9:30 a.m.	Global Scripture Study (Robinson Chapel)
	9:45 a.m.	Morning Study Group (Thurman Room)
	10:40 a.m.	Intercessory Silent Prayer Group (Nave)
	11:00 a.m.	Interdenominational Protestant Worship (Nave)
	11:50 a.m.	Children's Ministry (Lower Level)
	12:00 noon	Coffee Hour (Marsh Room)
	12:30 p.m.	Reading the Bible Together at Marsh Chapel (Thurman Room)
	12:30 p.m.	Bonhoeffer: <i>The Cost of Discipleship</i> (GSU, first floor)
	12:30 p.m.	Thurman Choir (Robinson Chapel)
	6:30 p.m.	Sunday Vespers (Robinson Chapel)
MONDAY	8:15 a.m.	Guided Meditation (Robinson Chapel)
	5:00 p.m.	Book Group: <i>Sex God</i> (CAS 226)
	6:00 p.m.	Community Dinner (Marsh Room)
TUESDAY	12:00 p.m.	Community Lunch (Marsh Room)
	6:00 p.m.	International Fellowship (Thurman Room)
WEDNESDAY	5:00 p.m.	Culture Caucus (Meet on Marsh Plaza)
	5:15 p.m.	Ecumenical Evening Prayer (Nave)
THURSDAY	12:00 p.m.	Silence Practice (Nave)
	12:20 p.m.	Common Ground Communion (Marsh Plaza)
FRIDAY	5:30 p.m.	Thurman Group (Thurman Room)
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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.

⏪ *Hearing Assist System available –please ask an usher. 79.200 MHz*

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