

Psalm 119:33-40

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

♪ **Antiphon** (sung by all)



Cantor: Teach me, O LORD, the way of your statutes,
and I will observe it to the end.

People: Give me understanding,
that I may keep your law and observe it with my whole heart.

Cantor: Lead me in the path of your commandments,
for I delight in it.

People: Turn my heart to your decrees,
and not to selfish gain.

Cantor: Turn my eyes from looking at vanities;
give me life in your ways.

People: Confirm to your servant your promise,
which is for those who fear you.

Cantor: Turn away the disgrace that I dread,
for your ordinances are good.

People: See, I have longed for your precepts;
in your righteousness give me life. ♪

✠ **Gloria Patri** from 'Magnificat in B-flat major, Op. 10' 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 5:38-48

Lector: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to St. Matthew,
chapter 5, verses 38-48:

People: Glory to you, O Lord.

"You have heard that it was said, 'An eye for an eye and a tooth for a tooth.' But I say to you, Do not resist an evildoer. But if anyone strikes you on the right cheek, turn the other also; and if anyone wants to sue you and take your coat, give your cloak as well; and if anyone forces you to go one mile, go also the second mile. Give to everyone who begs from you, and do not refuse anyone who wants to borrow from you. You have heard that it was said, 'You shall love your neighbor and hate your enemy.' But I say to you, Love your enemies and pray for those who persecute you, so that you may be children of your Father in heaven; for he makes his sun rise on the evil and on the good, and sends rain on the righteous and on the unrighteous. For if you love those who love you, what reward do you have? Do not even the tax collectors do the same? And if you greet only your brothers and sisters, what more are you doing than others? Do not even the Gentiles do the same? Be perfect, therefore, as your heavenly Father is perfect. "

Lector: The Gospel of the Lord.

People: Praise to you, Lord Christ.

Anthem Go Down, Moses Traditional Spiritual

1. When Israel was in Egypt's land, *Let my people go;*
Oppressed so hard they could not stand, *Let my people go.*

*Go down, Moses, way down in Egypt's land;
Tell old Pharaoh to let my people go!*

2. No more shall they in bondage toil,
let them come out with Egypt's spoil.

Sermon 'With Malice Toward None' Rev. Dr. Robert Allan Hill, Dean

✠ **Hymn 548** In Christ there is no east or west MCKEE

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

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 Lord, for thy tender mercy's sake *Richard Farrant* (c. 1530-1580)

Lord, for thy tender mercy's sake, lay not our sins to our charge, but forgive that is past, and give us grace to amend our sinful lives. To decline from sin and incline to virtue, that we may walk in a perfect heart before thee, now and evermore. Amen.

Community Life and Offertory

At the Offertory Festival Te Deum *Benjamin Britten* (1913-1976)

We praise thee, O God: we acknowledge thee to be the Lord.
All the earth doth worship thee: the Father everlasting.
To thee all Angels cry aloud: the Heavens, and all the Powers therein.
To thee Cherubin and Seraphin continually do cry,
 Holy, Holy, Holy: Lord God of Sabaoth;
 Heaven and earth are full of the Majesty of thy glory.
The glorious company of the Apostles praise thee.
The goodly fellowship of the Prophets praise thee.
The noble army of Martyrs praise thee.
The holy Church throughout all the world doth acknowledge thee:
 the Father of an infinite Majesty;
 thine honourable, true, and only Son;
 also the Holy Ghost, the Comforter.

Thou art the King of Glory, O Christ.
Thou art the everlasting Son of the Father.
When thou tookest upon Thee to deliver man:
Thou didst not abhor the Virgin's womb.
When thou hadst overcome the sharpness of death,
Thou didst open the kingdom of heaven to all believers.
Thou sittest at the right hand of God: in the glory of the Father.
We believe that thou shalt come to be our Judge.
 We therefore pray thee, help thy servants,
 whom thou hast redeemed with thy precious blood.
 Make them numbered with thy Saints in glory everlasting.

O Lord, save thy people, and bless thine heritage.

Govern them and lift them up forever.

Day by day we magnify thee;

And we worship thy name ever world without end.

 Vouchsafe, O Lord, to keep us this day without sin.

 O Lord, have mercy upon us, have mercy upon us

 O Lord, let thy mercy lighten upon us, as our trust is in thee.

 O Lord, in thee have I trusted: let me never be confounded.

unknown, early 5th century; Hymn at Sunday Matins

✠ **Presentation of the Gifts** (*sung by all*) CWM RHONDDA

The music to this hymn is found on page 577 of the United Methodist Hymnal.

God of grace and God of glory, on thy people pour thy power;
crown thine ancient church's story; bring her bud to glorious flower.
Grant us wisdom, grant us courage,
serving thee whom we adore, serving thee whom we adore.

✠ **Offertory Prayer**

✠ **Hymn 519** Lift every voice and sing (verse 1 only) LIFT EVERY VOICE

✠ **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 Toccata *John Weaver*

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

The Marsh Chapel Choir is conducted by Dr. Scott Allen Jarrett.

The soprano soloist is Margot Rood.

The organist is Justin Thomas Blackwell.

THIS WEEK AT MARSH CHAPEL

TODAY	9:45 a.m.	Morning Study Group: <i>Lilith</i> (Thurman Room)
	11:00 a.m.	Interdenominational Protestant Worship (Main Chapel)
	12:00 noon	Coffee Hour (Marsh Room)
	12:30 p.m.	Bible Study: The Sermon on the Mount (Thurman Room)
	4:00 p.m.	Servant Team Meeting and Dinner (Marsh Room)
MONDAY	6:00 p.m.	Community Dinner (Marsh Room)
TUESDAY	12:00 noon	Community Lunch (Marsh Room)
	5:00 p.m.	Chaplain's Study: Howard Thurman's Life and Legacy (Thurman Room)
WEDNESDAY	5:00 p.m.	Evening Prayer with Holy Communion (Main Chapel)
THURSDAY	6:30 p.m.	Marsh Chapel Choir Rehearsal (Main Chapel)
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DEAN'S CHOICE

Three Sisters, a play by Anton Chekhov
Thursday, February 24 – Saturday, February 26; 8:00 p.m.
Wimberly Theatre at The Huntington
264 Huntington Avenue, Boston

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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