



# MARSH CHAPEL AT BOSTON UNIVERSITY

## University Interdenominational Protestant Service of Worship

Sunday, July 26<sup>th</sup>, 2015 –11:00 a.m.

The Ninth Sunday after Pentecost

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The Reverend Doctor Robert Allan Hill, Dean

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✦ *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 Chaplain:* The Lord be with you.

*People:* *And also with you.*

*The Chaplain:* Lift up your hearts.

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

✦ **Introit** Praise to the Lord, the Almighty *arr. Scott Allen Jarrett (b. 1975)*

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty, the King of creation!

O my soul, praise him, for he is thy health and salvation!

All ye who hear, now to his temple draw near, joining in glad adoration!

Let the amen sound from his people again. Gladly forever adore him! *Joachim Neander*

✦ **Hymn 62** All creatures of our God and King (stanzas 1, 2, 3, 5, 7) LASST UNS ERFREUEN

✦ **Collect** (*in unison*)

O God, the protector of all who trust in you, without whom nothing is strong, nothing is holy: Increase and multiply upon us your mercy; that, with you as our ruler and guide, we may so pass through things temporal, that we lose not the things eternal; 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 'O quam gloriosum' 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 Chaplain:* 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.

**Lessons** 2 Kings 2:19-25

*Lector:* A lesson from the Second Book of Kings, chapter 2, verses 19-25:

Now the people of the city said to Elisha, 'The location of this city is good, as my lord sees; but the water is bad, and the land is unfruitful.' He said, 'Bring me a new bowl, and put salt in it.' So they brought it to him. Then he went to the spring of water and threw the salt into it, and said, 'Thus says the LORD, I have made this water wholesome; from now on neither death nor miscarriage shall come from it.' So the water has been wholesome to this day, according to the word that Elisha spoke. He went up from there to Bethel; and while he was going up on the way, some small boys came out of the city and jeered at him, saying, 'Go away, baldhead! Go away, baldhead!' When he turned round and saw them, he cursed them in the name of the LORD. Then two she-bears came out of the woods and mauled forty-two of the boys. From there he went on to Mount Carmel, and then returned to Samaria.

*Lector:* The Word of the Lord.

*People:* Thanks be to God.

**Anthem** Exaltabo te Domine G. P. da Palestrina (1525-1594)

Exaltabo te Domine, quoniam suscepisti me  
nec delectasti inimicos meos super me. *I will magnify thee, O Lord, for thou hast set me up:  
and not made my foes to triumph over me.*  
Domine clamavi ad te et sanasti me. *O Lord my God, I cried to thee: and thou healed me.*

*Psalm 30:1-2*

## Psalm 46

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

♪ **Antiphon** (sung by all)



A musical score for the antiphon. It consists of two staves of music in a single system. The first staff begins with a treble clef and a key signature of one flat (B-flat). The melody is written on a five-line staff. Below the staff, the lyrics are: "A mighty fortress is our God,". The second staff continues the melody, ending with a double bar line. Below the staff, the lyrics are: "a bulwark never failing.".

- Cantor:* God is our refuge and strength,  
a very present help in trouble.
- People:* *Therefore we will not fear though the earth should change,  
though the mountains shake in the heart of the sea;*
- Cantor:* though its waters roar and foam,  
though the mountains tremble with its tumult.
- People:* *There is a river whose streams make glad the city of God,  
the holy habitation of the Most High.*
- Cantor:* God is in the midst of the city which shall not be moved;  
God will help it at the dawn of the day.
- People:* *The nations rage, the kingdoms totter;  
God's voice resounds, the earth melts.*
- Cantor:* The Lord of hosts is with us;  
the God of Jacob is our refuge.
- People:* *Come, behold the works of the LORD,  
who has wrought desolations in the earth;*
- Cantor:* who makes wars cease to the end of the earth,  
breaks the bow, shatters the spear,  
and burns the shields with fire!
- People:* *"Be still, and know that I am God!  
I am exalted among the nations,  
I am exalted in the earth."*
- Cantor:* The Lord of hosts is with us;  
the God of Jacob is our refuge. ♪

✘ **Gloria Patri** (*sung by all*)

WESTMINSTER ABBEY



Laud and hon - or to the Fa - ther, laud and hon - or to the Son,  
laud and hon - or to the Spir - it, ev - er three and ev - er one;  
one in might and one in glo - ry, while un - end - ing a - ges run.

✘ **Gospel Lesson** Matthew 12:15-21

*Lector:* The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to St. Matthew, chapter 12, verses 15-21:

*People:* *Glory to you, O Lord.*

When Jesus became aware of this, he departed. Many crowds followed him, and he cured all of them, and he ordered them not to make him known. This was to fulfill what had been spoken through the prophet Isaiah: 'Here is my servant, whom I have chosen, my beloved, with whom my soul is well pleased. I will put my Spirit upon him, and he will proclaim justice to the Gentiles. He will not wrangle or cry aloud, nor will anyone hear his voice in the streets. He will not break a bruised reed or quench a smoldering wick until he brings justice to victory. And in his name the Gentiles will hope.'

*Lector:* The Gospel of the Lord.

*People:* *Praise to you, Lord Christ.*

✘ **Hymn 430** O Master, let me walk with thee

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**Sermon** "The Beloved Community in a Wild and Crazy World!"

Rev. Dr. Stephen Chapin Garner  
Adjunct Instructor in Homiletics and Pastoral Ministry,  
Boston University School of Theology  
Senior Minister, Congregational Church of New Canaan, Connecticut

## Call to Prayer (sung by all)

Samuel Sebastian Wesley (1810-1876)

Lead me, Lord, lead me in thy right - eous-ness;  
make thy way plain be - fore my face. For it is thou, Lord,  
thou, Lord on - ly, that mak - est me dwell in safe - ty.

## 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** Amen, from *Geistliches Lied*, Op. 30

Johannes Brahms (1833-1897)

## Community Life and Offering

**At the Offertory** Oh come, everyone that thirsteth (from *Elijah*) Felix Mendelssohn (1809-1847)

Oh come, everyone that thirsteth, oh come to the waters, o come unto Him!  
Oh hear and your souls shall live forever.

Isaiah 55:1, 3

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

NUN DANKET; *arr. John Rutter* (b. 1945)

All praise and thanks to God The Fa-ther now be giv - en, The  
Son, and him who reigns With them in high - est hea - ven, The  
One e - ter - nal God, Whom heav'n and earth a - dore; For  
thus it was, is now, And shall be ev - er - more. A - men.

✘ **Offertory Prayer**

✘ **Hymn 436**      The voice of God is calling

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✘ **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**

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*The preacher is Rev. Dr. Stephen Chapin Garner.*

*The soprano soloist is Margot Rood.*

*The conductor and organist is Dr. Scott Allen Jarrett.*

Following the service today, we invite members of the Marsh Chapel congregation and guests, but especially families with children, to come down to Copley Square where the Handel & Haydn Society will be performing Beethoven's 9<sup>th</sup> Symphony. Please meet Br. Larry in the narthex following the service to travel together, or feel free to meet us there.

## SUMMER WORSHIP

Each year, from late May to early September, many from our community of faith are away from Boston. Nevertheless, over the last several years we have continued to provide our regular worship service—with choir, sermon, and liturgy—every Sunday all summer (and broadcast on WBUR, 90.9 FM). If you are visiting here this summer, we are delighted to have you with us, and hope you will come back soon. Our full fall worship schedule begins with Matriculation Sunday on August 30, and we also hope you will plan to join us that day. In addition, some special summer education and fellowship events are provided, including our Summer Preaching Series (this year on the theme “The Beloved Community”) and first-Sunday covered dish luncheons. For personal or pastoral needs, please contact the Chapel office at 617.353.3560.

## MARSH CHAPEL SUMMER PREACHING SERIES 2015

### “The Beloved Community”

- June 28**      **Rev. David F. Romanik**, Associate Rector, Episcopal Church of the Redeemer  
Bryn Mawr, Pennsylvania
- July 5**        **Br. Lawrence A. Whitney, LC+**, University Chaplain for Community Life
- July 12**      **Rev. Dr. Robert Allan Hill**, Dean of Marsh Chapel, Boston University
- July 19/26**   **Rev. Dr. Stephen Chapin Garner**, Instructor in Homiletics and Pastoral Ministry,  
BU School of Theology; Senior Minister, Congregational Church, New Canaan, CT
- August 2**    **Rev. Dr. Robert Allan Hill**, Dean of Marsh Chapel, Boston University
- August 9**    **Rev. Dr. Regina L. Walton**, Rector, Grace Episcopal Church  
Newton, Massachusetts
- August 16**   **Rev. Brittany Longsdorf**, University Chaplain for International Students

## DEAN HILL’S SPRING/SUMMER SPEAKING SCHEDULE, 2015

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|-------------------|---|------------------------------|
| <b>March 2</b>    | Boston University Metropolitan College      | Boston, Massachusetts        |
| <b>March 18</b>   | University of Massachusetts – Boston        | Boston, Massachusetts        |
| <b>April 14</b>   | United Methodist Foundation of New England  | Hampstead, New Hampshire     |
| <b>April 19</b>   | Asbury First United Methodist Church        | Rochester, New York          |
| <b>May 4</b>      | Epiphany School – Bible Institute           | Dorchester, Massachusetts    |
| <b>May 6</b>      | Boston University Academy                   | Boston, Massachusetts        |
| <b>May 9</b>      | Rhode Island/SE Massachusetts District, UMC | East Greenwich, Rhode Island |
| <b>May 20</b>     | Boston University Summer Session            | Boston, Massachusetts        |
| <b>May 28</b>     | Upper New York Annual Conference, UMC       | Syracuse, New York           |
| <b>June 27/28</b> | Asbury First United Methodist Church        | Rochester, New York          |
| <b>July 7</b>     | Lemoyne College                             | Syracuse, New York           |
| <b>July 19</b>    | Osterville United Methodist Church          | Osterville, Massachusetts    |
| <b>July 26</b>    | Union Chapel                                | North Hampton, New Hampshire |

## SUMMER SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

The events listed here take place weekly throughout the summer. Additional events for the week will be listed in the bulletin as it becomes necessary.

<b>SUNDAYS</b>	10:40 a.m.	Intercessory Silent Prayer Group (Nave)
	11:00 a.m.	Interdenominational Protestant Worship
	12:00 noon	Coffee Hour (First Sundays, Potluck Lunch)

## 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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*The Chapel Office is open 9 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. weekdays, and on Sunday mornings.*

*Marsh Chapel Sunday morning services are broadcast live on WBUR 90.9 FM.*

**The Reverend Dr. Robert Allan Hill, Dean and Chaplain to the University**

**Br. Lawrence A. Whitney, LCt, MDiv STH'09, University Chaplain for Community Life**

**Ray Bouchard, MTS STH'95, Director of Marsh Chapel**

**Scott Allen Jarrett, DMA CFA'08, Director of Music**

**Justin Thomas Blackwell, MM CFA'09, Associate Director of Music**

**Kaitlin Noe, MM CFA'12, Director of Hospitality**

**Herbert S. Jones, Director, Inner Strength Gospel Choir**

**Jessica Chicka, STM STH'11, Chapel Associate for Lutheran Ministry**

**The Reverend Victoria Hart Gaskell, Chapel Associate for Methodist Students**

**The Reverend Soren Hessler, MDiv STH'11, Chapel Associate for Leadership Development**

**The Reverend Jen Quigley, MDiv STH'11, Chapel Associate for Vocational Discernment**

**Jaimie Dingus, Courtney Jones, Marsh Associates**

**Ian Quillen, Kasey Shultz, Marsh Associates**

**David Ames, Sacristan**

**Meg Weckworth, Kevin Neel, Music Program Administrators**

**Cierra Brown, Ellis Brown, Kaelyn Brown, Dominique Cheung, Charles Cloy, Ushers**

**George Coulter, Mark Gray, Ratna Lusiaga, Beth Neville, Jay Reeg, Ushers**

**Heidi Freimanis-Cordts, Jeannette Lewis, Wedding Coordinators**

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