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**

Andante, K. 616

Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart (1756-1791)

**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**

Cry out and shout

Knut Nystedt (b. 1915)

Cry out and shout, ye people of God! The Lord is strength and song!

Cry out and shout, ye people of God! Cry out and shout, Alleluia!

Isaiah 12, adapted

**Hymn 110**

A mighty fortress is our God

EIN FESTE BURG

**Collect (in unison)**

Almighty and merciful God, it is only by your gift that your faithful people offer you true and laudable service: Grant that we may run without stumbling to obtain your heavenly promises; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.
Kyrie

from ‘Communion Service in B minor’

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

2 Thessalonians 1:1-4, 11-12

Lector: A lesson from the second Epistle to the Thessalonians, chapter 1, verses 1-4 and 11-12:

Paul, Silvanus, and Timothy, to the church of the Thessalonians in God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ: Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ. We must always give thanks to God for you, brothers and sisters, as is right, because your faith is growing abundantly, and the love of everyone of you for one another is increasing. Therefore we ourselves boast of you among the churches of God for your steadfastness and faith during all your persecutions and the afflictions that you are enduring. To this end we always pray for you, asking that our God will make you worthy of his call and will fulfill by his power every good resolve and work of faith, so that the name of our Lord Jesus may be glorified in you, and you in him, according to the grace of our God and the Lord Jesus Christ.

Lector: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

Anthem

Exultate Deo

Exultate Deo, adjutori nostro,  Sing aloud to God our strength;
Jubilate Deo Jacob. shout for joy to the God of Jacob.
Sumite psalmum, et date tympanum Raise a song, sound the tambourine,
Psalterium jucundum cum cythara. the sweet lyre with the harp.
Buccinate in neomenia tuba Blow the trumpet at the new moon,
Insigni die solemnitatis vestrae. at the full moon, on our festal day.

Psalm 81:1-3
Psalm 119:137-144

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

🎵 Antiphon (sung by all)

Cantor: You are righteous, O LORD,
and your judgments are right.

People: You have appointed your decrees in righteousness
and in all faithfulness.

Cantor: My zeal consumes me
because my foes forget your words.

People: Your promise is well tried,
and your servant loves it.

Cantor: I am small and despised,
yet I do not forget your precepts.

People: Your righteousness is an everlasting righteousness,
and your law is the truth.

Cantor: Trouble and anguish have come upon me,
but your commandments are my delight.

People: Your decrees are righteous forever;
give me understanding that I may live. 🎵

✠ 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.
Lector: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to St. Luke, chapter 19, verses 1-10:
People: Glory to you, O Lord.

He entered Jericho and was passing through it. A man was there named Zacchaeus; he was a chief tax collector and was rich. He was trying to see who Jesus was, but on account of the crowd he could not, because he was short in stature. So he ran ahead and climbed a sycamore tree to see him, because he was going to pass that way. When Jesus came to the place, he looked up and said to him, "Zacchaeus, hurry and come down; for I must stay at your house today." So he hurried down and was happy to welcome him. All who saw it began to grumble and said, "He has gone to be the guest of one who is a sinner." Zacchaeus stood there and said to the Lord, "Look, half of my possessions, Lord, I will give to the poor; and if I have defrauded anyone of anything, I will pay back four times as much." Then Jesus said to him, "Today salvation has come to this house, because he too is a son of Abraham. For the Son of Man came to seek out and to save the lost."

People: Praise to you, Lord Christ.

Hymn 385 Let us plead for faith alone

Sermon “Come Down Zaccheus!” Rev. Dr. Robert Allan Hill, Dean

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

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 (in unison)

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 after “Abendlied” adapted from Josef Rheinberger (1839-1901)

Stay with us in your mercy; May we live the song you teach us;
Stay with us Lord, O stay with us; Through Christ our Lord. Amen. Scott Allen Jarrett

Community Life and Offering

At the Offertory Lord, Thou hast been our refuge Ralph Vaughan Williams (1872-1958)

1Lord, Thou hast been our refuge from one generation to another.
2Before the mountains were brought forth, or ever the earth and the world were made,
   Thou art God from everlasting and world without end.
3Thou turnest man to destruction; again Thou sayest; Come again ye children of men
4For a thousand years in Thy sight are but as yesterday,
   seeing that is past as a watch in the night.

   O God our help in ages past,
   Our hope for years to come
   Our shelter from the stormy blast,
   And our eternal home. (Isaac Watts)

5As soon as Thou scatterest them,
   they are even as asleep and fade away suddenly like the grass.
6In the morning it is green and groweth up,
   but in the evening it is cut down, dried up and withered.
7For we consume away in Thy displeasure, and are afraid at Thy wrathful indignation.
9For when Thou art angry all our days are gone;
   we bring our years to an end as a tale that is told.
10The years of our age are three score years and ten,
   and though men be so strong that they come to fourscore years,
   yet is their strength but labour and sorrow.
   So passeth it away and we are gone.
13Turn Thee again O Lord at the last. Be gracious unto Thy servants.
14O satisfy us with Thy mercy and that soon.
   So shall we rejoice and be glad all the days of our life.
17And the glorious Majesty of the Lord be upon us.
   Prosper Thou, O prosper Thou the work of our hands,
   O prosper Thou our handy work. from Psalm 90
Presentation of the Gifts (sung by all)  adapted by Ralph Vaughan Williams (1872-1958)

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise God, all creatures here below;
Praise God above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Offertory Prayer

Those wishing to attend Children’s Education may exit the chapel during the singing of the next hymn.

Hymn 438  Forth in thy name, O Lord, I go  Duke Street

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

Postlude  Prelude in A minor, BWV 543  J. S. Bach (1685-1750)

The preacher is Rev. Dr. Robert Allan Hill, Dean of the Chapel.
The Marsh Chapel Choir is conducted by Dr. Scott Allen Jarrett, Director of Music.
The baritone soloist is Joseph Hubbard.

With Mr. Hubbard in the quartet are MaryRuth Lown, Douglas Dodson, and Sean Watland.
The trumpeter is Geoff Shamu.
The organist is Brian Jones.

Our children’s education is available every Sunday during the school semester excluding the first Sunday of the month. Those interested are invited to leave the service during the last hymn for a time of lessons, crafts, and fun.

Marsh Chapel is pleased to offer childcare 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).
## This Week at Marsh Chapel

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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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