



MARSH CHAPEL AT BOSTON UNIVERSITY

University Interdenominational Protestant

Service of Worship

Sunday, July 15th, 2018 — 11:00 a.m.

The Eighth Sunday after Pentecost

The Reverend Doctor Robert Allan Hill, Dean

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

⊠ *Please rise, as you are able.*

ORDER OF SERVICE

Prelude Prelude and Fugue in A-flat major *Gerhard Strecke (1890–1968)*

Call to Worship and Greeting

Leader: The Lord be with you.

People: *And also with you.*

Leader: Lift up your hearts.

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

⊠ **Introit** Northfield *Jeremiah Ingalls (1764–1828)*

How long, dear Savior, O how long shall this bright hour delay,
Fly swifter 'round the wheel of time, and bring the welcome day.

⊠ **Hymn 185** When morning gilds the skies LAUDES DOMINI

⊠ **Collect** (*in unison*)

O Lord, mercifully receive the prayers of your people who call upon you, and grant that they may know and understand what things they ought to do, and also may have grace and power faithfully to accomplish them; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for 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

Leader: 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 Acts 5:1–11

Lector: A lesson from the Acts of the Apostles, chapter 5, verses 1–11:

But a man named Ananias, with the consent of his wife Sapphira, sold a piece of property; with his wife's knowledge, he kept back some of the proceeds, and brought only a part and laid it at the apostles' feet. 'Ananias,' Peter asked, 'why has Satan filled your heart to lie to the Holy Spirit and to keep back part of the proceeds of the land? While it remained unsold, did it not remain your own? And after it was sold, were not the proceeds at your disposal? How is it that you have contrived this deed in your heart? You did not lie to us but to God!' Now when Ananias heard these words, he fell down and died. And great fear seized all who heard of it. The young men came and wrapped up his body, then carried him out and buried him. After an interval of about three hours his wife came in, not knowing what had happened. Peter said to her, 'Tell me whether you and your husband sold the land for such and such a price.' And she said, 'Yes, that was the price.' Then Peter said to her, 'How is it that you have agreed together to put the Spirit of the Lord to the test? Look, the feet of those who have buried your husband are at the door, and they will carry you out.' Immediately she fell down at his feet and died. When the young men came in they found her dead, so they carried her out and buried her beside her husband. And great fear seized the whole church and all who heard of these things.

Lector: The Word of the Lord.

People: *Thanks be to God.*

Anthem The eyes of all wait upon thee Jean Berger (1909–2002)

The eyes of all wait upon thee; and thou givest them their meat in due season.
Thou openest thine hand, and satisfiest the desire of every living thing.

Psalms 145:15, 16

Psalm 92: 1-4, 12-15

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



Sing praise to God our rock, in whom we take our ref-uge.

- Cantor:* It is good to give thanks to the LORD,
to sing praises to your name, O Most High;
- People:* to declare your steadfast love in the morning,
and your faithfulness by night,
- Cantor:* to the music of the lute and the harp,
to the melody of the lyre.
- People:* For you, O LORD, have made me glad by your work;
at the works of your hands I sing for joy.
- Cantor:* The righteous flourish like the palm tree,
and grow like a cedar in Lebanon.
- People:* They are planted in the house of the LORD;
they flourish in the courts of our God.
- Cantor:* In old age they still produce fruit;
they are always green and full of sap,
- People:* showing that the LORD is upright;
he is my rock, and there is no unrighteousness in him. ♪

✦ 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** Luke 4:1-4

Lector: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to St. Luke, chapter 4, verses 1-4:

People: *Glory to you, O Lord.*

Jesus, full of the Holy Spirit, returned from the Jordan and was led by the Spirit in the wilderness, where for forty days he was tempted by the devil. He ate nothing at all during those days, and when they were over, he was famished. The devil said to him, 'If you are the Son of God, command this stone to become a loaf of bread.' Jesus answered him, 'It is written, "One does not live by bread alone."'

Lector: The Gospel of the Lord.

People: *Praise to you, Lord Christ.*

Sermon "The Foundation for a Common Hope" The Rev. Victoria Hart Gaskell
Chapel Associate for Methodist Students

✘ **Hymn 465** Holy Spirit, Truth divine CANTERBURY

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 "Peace I leave with you" *Walter L. Pelz (b. 1926)*

Peace I leave with you, my peace I give unto you:
not as the world giveth give I unto you.

John 14:27

Community Life and Offering

At the Offertory My Shepherd will supply my need

Virgil Thomson (1896–1989)

My Shepherd will supply my need: Jehovah is His Name;
In pastures fresh He makes me feed, Beside the living stream.
He brings my wandering spirit back When I forsake His ways,
He leads me, for His mercy's sake, In paths of truth and grace.

When I walk through the shades of death, Thy presence is my stay;
One word of Thy supporting breath Drives all my fears away.
Thy hand, in sight of all my foes, Doth still my table spread;
My cup with blessings overflows, Thine oil anoints my head.

The sure provisions of my God Attend me all my days;
O may Thy house be my abode, And all my work be praise!
There would I find a settled rest, While others go and come;
No more a stranger, nor a guest, But like a child at home.

Isaac Watts (1674–1748)

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

CWM RHONDDA



God of grace and God of glo-ry, on thy peo-ple pour thy pow'r;
crown thine an-cient church's sto-ry; bring her bud to glo-rious flow'r.
Grant us wis-dom, grant us cour-age, serv-ing thee whom we a -
dore, serv-ing thee whom we a - dore.

✘ **Offertory Prayer**

✘ **Hymn 178**

Hope of the world

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COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

Our **preachers in this year's Summer Preaching Series**, on the theme "Toward a Common Hope", include: Br. Larry Whitney (July 1), Dean Robert Hill (July 8, July 29, and August 19), the Rev. Victoria Hart Gaskell (July 15 and August 5), the Rev. Dr. Regina Walton (July 22), the Rev. Dr. Karen Coleman (August 12), and the Rev. Scott Donahue-Martens (August 26). For more details on the Summer Preaching Series, visit our website at bu.edu/chapel.

Dean Hill's summer speaking schedule this year includes: the Marsh Sundays listed above; the Syracuse Upper New York UMC Conference (May 30–June 2); the Manchester (NH) New England UMC Annual Conference (conference preacher and study leader) (June 14–16); Jamesville, NY, Federated Church (July 1); Lemoyne College Retreat (July 10); Union Chapel, North Hampton, NH (July 22); and Fayetteville, NY, United Methodist Church (August 12).

Marsh Chapel weekly activities are suspended while students are on summer break. Throughout the summer months, be sure to **check the Marsh Chapel schedule**, printed each week in this bulletin, for a listing of all Marsh Chapel events.

The 11:00 a.m. Interdenominational Protestant Worship Service **will continue to be held every Sunday throughout the summer**. An informal coffee hour in the Marsh Room follows every Sunday morning service.

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).

SUMMER WORSHIP

Each year, from late May to early September, many from our community of faith are away from Boston. Nevertheless, we continue to provide our regular worship service—with choir, sermon, and liturgy—every Sunday all summer (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 September 2, 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 "Toward a Common Hope") and first-Sunday covered dish luncheons. For personal or pastoral needs, please contact the Chapel office at 617.353.3560.

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.

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