

# MARSH CHAPEL AT BOSTON UNIVERSITY

University Interdenominational Protestant  
Service of Word and Sacrament  
Sunday, June 7<sup>th</sup>, 2020 – 11:00 a.m.  
Trinity Sunday – The First Sunday after Pentecost

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The Reverend Doctor Robert Allan Hill, Dean

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This Sunday, the Dean of the Chapel brings us a new sermon titled  
“Ground of Being,” which was recorded on Wednesday, June 3.

The remainder of the service is being re-broadcast from previous services.

## THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

☒ *Please rise in body or in heart*

### Prelude

### Call to Worship and Greeting

*The Dean:* The Lord be with you  
*People:* *And also with you.*  
*The Dean:* Holy, holy, holy is the Lord of Hosts.  
*People:* *The whole earth is full of God's glory.*

### ☒ **Introit** Northfield

*Jeremiah Ingalls (1764–1828)*

How long, dear Saviour, O how long  
Shall this bright hour delay,  
Fly swifter 'round the wheel of time,  
And bring the welcome day.

from *The Christian Harmony* (1805)

1. Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! Lord God Al - might - y!  
 2. Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! All the saints a - dore thee,  
 3. Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! Though the dark-ness hide thee,  
 4. Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! Lord God Al - might - y!

Ear - ly in the morn - ing our song shall rise to thee.  
 cast - ing down their gold - en crowns a - round the glass - y sea;  
 though the eye of sin - ful man thy glo - ry may not see,  
 All thy works shall praise thy name, in earth and sky and sea.

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! Mer - ci - ful and might - y,  
 cher - u - bim and ser - a - phim fall - ing down be - fore thee,  
 on - ly thou art ho - ly; there is none be - side thee,  
 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! Mer - ci - ful and might - y,

God in three per - sons, bless - ed Trin - i - ty!  
 which wert, and art, and ev - er - more shalt be.  
 per - fect in power, in love and pur - i - ty.  
 God in three per - sons, bless - ed Trin - i - ty.

WORDS: Reginald Heber, 1826 (Rev. 4:8-11)  
 MUSIC: John B. Dykes, 1861

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✠ Collect (*in unison*)

Holy God, faithful and unchanging: enlarge our minds with the knowledge of your truth, and draw us more deeply into the mystery of your love, that we may truly worship you, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

## ✘ Invitation to the Lord's Table

*Celebrant:* Christ our Lord invites to his table all who love him,  
who earnestly repent of their sin  
and seek to live in peace with one another.  
Therefore, let us confess our sin before God and one another.

## ✘ Confession of Sin

*All:* *Merciful God*  
*we confess that we have not loved you with our whole heart.*  
*We have failed to be an obedient church.*  
*We have not done your will,*  
*we have broken your law,*  
*we have rebelled against your love,*  
*we have not loved our neighbors,*  
*and we have not heard the cry of the needy.*  
*Forgive us, we pray.*  
*Free us for joyful obedience,*  
*through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.*

*Celebrant:* Hear the good news: Christ died for us while we were yet sinners;  
that proves God's love towards us.

In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven!

*People:*

*In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven!*

*All:*

*Glory to God. Amen.*

## ✘ Exchange of Peace

*Celebrant:* The peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you always!

*People:* *And also with you.*

*All may exchange signs and words of God's peace.*

1. Draw us in the Spir-it's te - ther, for when hum - bly  
 2. As dis - ci - ples used to gath - er in the name of  
 3. All our meals and all our liv - ing make as sac - ra -

in thy name, two or three are met to - geth - er,  
 Christ to sup, then with thanks to God the Fa - ther  
 ments of thee, that by car - ing, help-ing, giv - ing,

thou art in the midst of them. Al - le - lu - ia!  
 break the bread and bless the cup: Al - le - lu - ia!  
 we may true dis - ci - ples be. Al - le - lu - ia!

Al - le - lu - ia! Touch we now thy gar - ment's hem.  
 Al - le - lu - ia! So now bind our friend - ship up.  
 Al - le - lu - ia! We will serve thee faith - ful - ly.

WORDS: Percy Dearmer, 1931 (Mt. 18:20)  
 MUSIC: Harold Friedell, 1957

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**Lesson** 2 Corinthians 13:11-13

*Lector:* A lesson from Paul's second epistle to the Corinthians, chapter 13, verses 11-13:

Finally, brothers and sisters, farewell. Put things in order, listen to my appeal, agree with one another, live in peace; and the God of love and peace will be with you. Greet one another with a holy kiss. All the saints greet you. The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with all of you.

*Lector:* The Word of the Lord.

*People:* Thanks be to God.

**Anthem**

Heilig

Felix Mendelssohn (1809–1847)

Heilig, heilig, heilig ist Gott der Herr Zebaoth!	<i>Holy, Holy, Holy is the Lord of Hosts!</i>
Alle Lande sind seiner Ehre voll.	<i>All the earth is full of thy glory.</i>
Hosianna in der Höh'!	<i>Hosanna in the highest!</i>
Gelobt sei der da kommt in Namen des Herrn	<i>Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord</i>
Hosianna in der Höh'!	<i>Hosanna in the highest!</i>

**Psalm 8**

<i>Cantor:</i>	O LORD, our Sovereign, how majestic is your name in all the earth! You have set your glory above the heavens.
<i>People:</i>	<i>Out of the mouths of babes and infants you have founded a bulwark because of your foes, to silence the enemy and the avenger.</i>
<i>Cantor:</i>	When I look at your heavens, the work of your fingers, the moon and the stars that you have established;
<i>People:</i>	<i>what are human beings that you are mindful of them, mortals that you care for them?</i>
<i>Cantor:</i>	Yet you have made them a little lower than God, and crowned them with glory and honor.
<i>People:</i>	<i>You have given them dominion over the works of your hands; you have put all things under their feet,</i>
<i>Cantor:</i>	all sheep and oxen, and also the beasts of the field, the birds of the air, and the fish of the sea, whatever passes along the paths of the seas.
<i>People:</i>	<i>O LORD, our Sovereign, how majestic is your name in all the earth!</i> 🎵

**✘ 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 28:16–20

<i>Lector:</i>	The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to St. Matthew, chapter 28, verses 16–20:
<i>People:</i>	<i>Glory to you, O Lord.</i>

Now the eleven disciples went to Galilee, to the mountain to which Jesus had directed them. When they saw him, they worshiped him; but some doubted. And Jesus came and said to them, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything that I have commanded you. And remember, I am with you always, to the end of the age."

<i>Lector:</i>	The Gospel of the Lord.
<i>People:</i>	<i>Praise to you, Lord Christ.</i>

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Sermon

“Ground of Being”

The Rev. Dr. Robert Allan Hill, Dean

✦ Hymn

I bind unto myself today

ST. PATRICK'S BREASTPLATE

1. I bind un - to my - self to - day the strong Name  
 of the Trin - i - ty, by in - vo - ca - tion  
 of the same, the Three in One, and One in Three.

Only stanzas 4 and 5 of the following:

2. I bind this day to me for ev - er, by power of  
 \* 3. I bind un - to my - self the power of the great  
 \* 4. I bind un - to my - self to - day the vir - tues  
 \* 5. I bind un - to my - self to - day the power of  
 faith, Christ's In - car - na - tion; his bap - tism in the  
 love of cher - u - bim; the sweet "Well done" in  
 of the star - lit heaven the glo - rious sun's life -  
 God to hold and lead, his eye to watch, his  
 Jor - dan riv - er; his death on cross for my sal - va - tion;  
 judg - ment hour; the ser - vice of the ser - a - phim;  
 giv - ing ray, the white - ness of the moon at even,  
 might to stay, his ear to heark - en, to my need;  
 his burst - ing from the spic - èd tomb; his rid - ing  
 con - fess - ors' faith, a - pos - tles' word, the pa - triarchs'  
 the flash - ing of the light - ning free, the whirl - ing  
 the wis - dom of my God to teach, his hand to

up the heaven - ly way; his com - ing at the  
 prayers, the pro - phet's scrolls; all good deeds done un -  
 wind's tem - pes - tuous shocks, the sta - ble earth, the  
 guide, his shield to ward; the word of God to

day of doom: I bind un - to my - self to - day.  
 to the Lord, and pu - ri - ty of vir - gin souls.  
 deep salt sea, a - round the old e - ter - nal rocks.  
 give me speech, his heaven - ly host to be my guard

*Stanza 6, in harmony:*

\*6. Christ be with me, Christ with - in me, Christ be - hind me, Christ be - fore me,  
 Christ be - neath me, Christ a - bove me, Christ in qui - et, Christ in dan - ger,

Christ be - side me, Christ to win me, Christ to com - fort and re - store me,  
 Christ in hearts of all that love me, Christ in mouth of friend and stran - ger.

*The final stanza, in unison:*

7. I bind un - to my - self the Name, the strong Name  
 of the Trin - i - ty, by in - vo - ca - tion  
 of the same, the Three in One, and One in Three.

Of whom all na - ture hath cre - a - tion, e - ter - nal  
 Fa - ther, Spi - rit, Word: praise to the Lord of  
 my sal - va - tion, sal - va - tion is of Christ the Lord.

Words: Att. Patrick (372-466); tr. Cecil Frances Alexander (1818-1895)  
 Music: *St. Patrick's Breastplate*, Irish melody; adapt. Charles Villiers Stanford (1852-1924).

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### At the Offertory

Cherubic Hymn in F major

*Pyotr Ilyich Tchaikovsky* (1840–1893)

Иже херувимы тайно образующе,  
 и Животворящей Троицѣ трисвятую пѣснь припѣвающе,  
 Всякое нынѣ житейское отложимъ попеченіе. Аминь.  
 Яко да Царя всѣхъ подыместъ,  
 ангельскими невидимо дориносима чинми.  
 Аллилуіа.

Izhe kheruvimy tayno obrazuyushche,  
 i zivotvoryashche Troitse trisvyatuyu pesn pripevayushche,  
 vsyakoe nyne zhiteskoe otlozhim popechenie. Amin.  
 Yako da tsarya vsekh podimem,  
 angelskimi nevidimo dorinosima chinmi.  
 Allilulia.

*Let us, who mystically represent the cherubim  
 and sing the thrice-holy hymn to the life-giving Trinity,  
 now lay aside all earthly cares. Amen.  
 That we may receive the king of all,  
 who comes invisibly escorted by the angelic hosts.  
 Alleluia.*

*Greek, 6<sup>th</sup> century*





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

THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

✦ The Great Thanksgiving

*Celebrant:* The Lord be with you.  
*People:* And also with you.  
*Celebrant:* Lift up your hearts.  
*People:* We lift them up to the Lord.  
*Celebrant:* Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.  
*People:* It is right to give our thanks and praise.

*Celebrant:* It is right, and a good and joyful thing,  
 always and everywhere to give thanks to you,  
 Almighty God, creator of heaven and earth.  
 Before the mountains were brought forth, or you had formed the earth,  
 from everlasting to everlasting, you alone are God.  
 You created light out of darkness and brought forth life on the earth.  
 You formed us in your image and breathed into us the breath of life.  
 When we turned away, and our love failed, your love remained steadfast.  
 You delivered us from captivity, made covenant to be our sovereign God,  
 and spoke to us through your prophets.

And so, with your people on earth and all the company of heaven  
 we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

Ho - ly, Ho - ly, Ho - ly! Lord God of pow'r and might  
 4 Heav'n and earth are full of your Glo - ry. Ho -  
 6 sa - na in the high - est, Ho - sa - na in the high - est, Ho - sa - na!  
 9 Bless - ed is He who\_ comes in the name of the Lord. Ho -  
 12 sa - na in the high - est, Ho - sa - na in the high - est, Ho - sa - na!

✦ Words of Institution

*Celebrant:*

Holy are you, and blessed is your Son Jesus Christ,  
 in whom you have revealed yourself, our light and our salvation.

And now we give you thanks because by appearing in the Temple  
 he brings his peace to the world.

The Word made flesh searches the hearts of all your people,  
 to bring to light the brightness of your splendor.

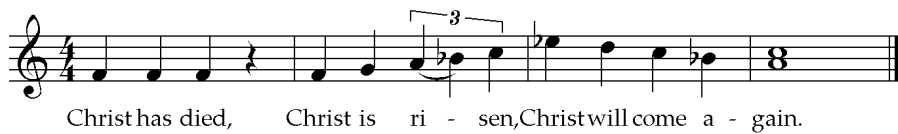
By the baptism of his suffering, death, and resurrection  
 you gave birth to your Church, delivered us from slavery to sin and death,  
 and made with us a new covenant by water and the Spirit.

On the night in which he gave himself up for us, he took bread,  
 gave thanks to you, broke the bread, gave it to his disciples, and said:  
 "Take, eat; this is my body which is given for you.  
 Do this in remembrance of me."

When the supper was over he took the cup,  
 gave thanks to you, gave it to his disciples, and said:  
 "Drink from this, all of you; this is my blood of the new covenant,  
 poured out for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins.  
 Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me."

And so, in remembrance of these your mighty acts in Jesus Christ,  
 we offer ourselves in praise and thanksgiving  
 as a holy and living sacrifice, in union with Christ's offering for us,  
 as we proclaim the mystery of faith.

(Sung by all):



*Celebrant:*

Pour out your Holy Spirit on us gathered here,  
and on these gifts of bread and wine.  
Make them be for us the body and blood of Christ,  
that we may be for the world the body of Christ, redeemed by his blood.

By your Spirit make us one with Christ,  
one with each other, and one in ministry to all the world,  
until Christ comes in final victory, and we feast at his heavenly banquet.

Through your Son Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit in your holy Church,  
all honor and glory is yours, Almighty God, now and for ever.

*All:*

*Amen.*

### ✠ The Lord's Prayer

*Celebrant:*

And now, with the confidence of children of God, let us pray:

*All:*

*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.*

### ✠ Agnus Dei (sung by the choir)

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us.  
Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us.  
Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, grant us your peace.

### Distribution of the Elements

#### Motet

Agnus Dei, from 'Mass for Four Voices'

William Byrd (c. 1540–1623)

Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi,  
miserere nobis.

*Lamb of God, who takes away the sins of the world,  
have mercy on us.*

Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi,  
miserere nobis.

*Lamb of God, who takes away the sins of the world,  
have mercy on us.*

Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi,  
dona nobis pacem.

*Lamb of God, who takes away the sins of the world,  
grant us peace.*

### Prayer of Thanksgiving (in unison)

Eternal God, we give you thanks for this holy mystery in which you have given yourself to us. Grant that we may go into the world in the strength of your Spirit, to give ourselves for others, in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

1. "Go, make of all dis - ci - ples." We hear the call, O Lord,  
 2. "Go, make of all dis - ci - ples," bap - tiz - ing in the name  
 3. "Go, make of all dis - ci - ples." We at thy feet would stay  
 4. "Go, make of all dis - ci - ples." We wel - come thy com - mand.

that comes from thee, our Fa - ther, in thy e - ter - nal Word.  
 of Fa - ther, Son, and Spir - it, from age to age the same.  
 un - til each life's vo - ca - tion ac - cents thy ho - ly way.  
 "Lo, I am with you al - ways." We take thy guid - ing hand.

In - spire our ways of learn - ing through ear - nest, fer - vent prayer,  
 We call each new dis - ci - ple to fol - low thee, O Lord,  
 We cul - ti - vate the na - ture God plants in ev - ery heart,  
 The task looms large be - fore us; we fol - low with - out fear;

and let our dai - ly liv - ing re - veal thee ev - ery - where.  
 re - deem - ing soul and bod - y by wa - ter and the Word.  
 re - veal - ing in our wit - ness the mas - ter teach - er's art.  
 in heaven and earth thy pow - er shall bring God's king - dom here.

WORDS: Leon M. Adkins, 1955, alt. (Mt. 28:19-20)

MUSIC: Henry T. Smart, 1835

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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*

☒ **Postlude**

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

*The Marsh Chapel Choir is conducted by Dr. Scott Allen Jarrett, Director of Music.*

*The organist is Justin Thomas Blackwell, Associate Director of Music.*

*Today's broadcast was recorded by Eddie Muizulis, compiled by Justin Blackwell, and edited by Heidi Freimanis-Cordts.*

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**Boston University is currently closed due to the COVID-19 pandemic.**

**All Marsh Chapel activities—including in-person Sunday morning services—are suspended until further notice.**

**The entirety of today's service was recorded prior to broadcast.**

**We look forward to resuming live broadcasts as soon as conditions permit.**

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## WELCOME TO MARSH CHAPEL

We thank you for joining us virtually 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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