

# MARSH CHAPEL AT BOSTON UNIVERSITY

University Interdenominational Protestant  
Service of Worship

Sunday, June 12<sup>th</sup>, 2022 — 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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✠ *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

*Leader:* The Lord be with you.

*People:* *And also with you.*

*Leader:* Holy, holy, holy is the Lord of Hosts.

*People:* *The whole earth is full of God's glory.*

✠ **Hymn 64** Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty


NICAEA

✠ **Collect** (*in unison*)

Almighty and everlasting God, you have given to us your servants grace, by the confession of a true faith, to acknowledge the glory of the eternal Trinity, and in the power of your divine Majesty to worship the Unity: Keep us steadfast in this faith and worship, and bring us at last to see you in your one and eternal glory, O Father; who with the Son and the Holy Spirit live and reign, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

**Kyrie** (*sung by all*)from *Missa de Sancta Maria Magdalena*

Healey Willan (1880-1968)



Lord, have mer - cy up - on us. Lord, have mer - cy up -  
on us. Lord, have mer - cy up - on us. Christ, have mer - cy up -  
on us. Christ, have mer - cy up - on us. Christ, have mer - cy up -  
on us. Lord, have mer - cy up - on us.  
Lord, have mer - cy up - on us. Lord, have mer - cy up - on us.

**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 11:1–18

*Lector:* A lesson from the Acts of the Apostles, chapter 11, verses 1–18:

Now the apostles and the brothers and sisters who were in Judea heard that the gentiles had also accepted the word of God. So when Peter went up to Jerusalem, the circumcised believers criticized him, saying, "Why did you go to uncircumcised men and eat with them?" Then Peter began to explain it to them, step by step, saying, "I was in the city of Joppa praying, and in a trance I saw a vision. There was something like a large sheet coming down from heaven, being lowered by its four corners, and it came close to me. As I looked at it closely I saw four-footed animals, beasts of prey, reptiles, and birds of the air. I also heard a voice saying to me, 'Get up, Peter; kill and eat.' But I replied, 'By no means, Lord, for nothing profane or unclean has ever entered my mouth.' But a second time the voice answered from heaven, 'What God has made clean, you must not call

profane.' This happened three times; then everything was pulled up again to heaven. At that very moment three men, sent to me from Caesarea, arrived at the house where we were. The Spirit told me to go with them and not to make a distinction between them and us. These six brothers also accompanied me, and we entered the man's house. He told us how he had seen the angel standing in his house and saying, 'Send to Joppa and bring Simon, who is called Peter; he will give you a message by which you and your entire household will be saved.' And as I began to speak, the Holy Spirit fell upon them just as it had upon us at the beginning. And I remembered the word of the Lord, how he had said, 'John baptized with water, but you will be baptized with the Holy Spirit.' If then God gave them the same gift that he gave us when we believed in the Lord Jesus Christ, who was I that I could hinder God?" When they heard this, they were silenced. And they praised God, saying, "Then God has given even to the gentiles the repentance that leads to life."

*Lector:* The Word of the Lord.

*People:* *Thanks be to God.*

**Anthem** I know that my Redeemer liveth (from *Messiah*) G. F. Handel (1685-1759)

I know that my Redeemer liveth, and that He shall stand at the latter day upon the earth. And though worms destroy this body, yet in my flesh shall I see God. For now is Christ risen from the dead, the first fruits of them that sleep

**Lesson** Romans 5:1-5

*Lector:* A lesson from St. Paul's epistle to the Romans, chapter 1, verses 1-5:

Therefore, since we are justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom we have obtained access to this grace in which we stand; and we boast in our hope of sharing the glory of God. And not only that, but we also boast in our sufferings, knowing that suffering produces endurance, and endurance produces character, and character produces hope, and hope does not disappoint us, because God's love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit that has been given to us.


*Lector:* The Word of the Lord.

*People:* *Thanks be to God.*

## Psalm 8

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

♪ **Antiphon** (*sung by all*)



Sing praise to God who reigns a - bove, the  
God of all cre - a - tion.

*Cantor:* O LORD, our Sovereign, how majestic is your name in all the earth!  
You have set your glory above the heavens.

*People:* *Out of the mouths of babes and infants  
you have founded a bulwark because of your foes,  
to silence the enemy and the avenger.*

*Cantor:* When I look at your heavens, the work of your fingers,  
the moon and the stars that you have established;

*People:* *what are human beings that you are mindful of them,  
mortals that you care for them?*

*Cantor:* Yet you have made them a little lower than God,  
and crowned them with glory and honor.

*People:* *You have given them dominion over the works of your hands;  
you have put all things under their feet,*

*Cantor:* 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.

*People:* O LORD, our Sovereign,  
*how majestic is your name in all the earth!* ♪

✦ **Gloria Patri** (*sung by all*)

REGENT SQUARE

Laud and honor to the Father, laud and honor to the Son,  
Laud and honor to the Spirit, ever three and ever one;  
One in might and one in glory, while unending ages run.

✠ **Gospel Lesson**    John 16:12–15

*Lector:*                    The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to St. John,  
chapter 16, verses 12–15:

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

"I still have many things to say to you, but you cannot bear them now. When the Spirit of truth comes, he will guide you into all the truth; for he will not speak on his own, but will speak whatever he hears, and he will declare to you the things that are to come. He will glorify me, because he will take what is mine and declare it to you. All that the Father has is mine. For this reason I said that he will take what is mine and declare it to you."

*Lector:*                    The Gospel of the Lord.

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

**Sermon**                    "Trinity Affinity"

The Rev. Dr. Victoria Hart Gaskell  
Minister for Visitation

✠ **Hymn 88**                    Maker, in whom we live

DIADEMATA

**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** 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

### Offertory Sentences

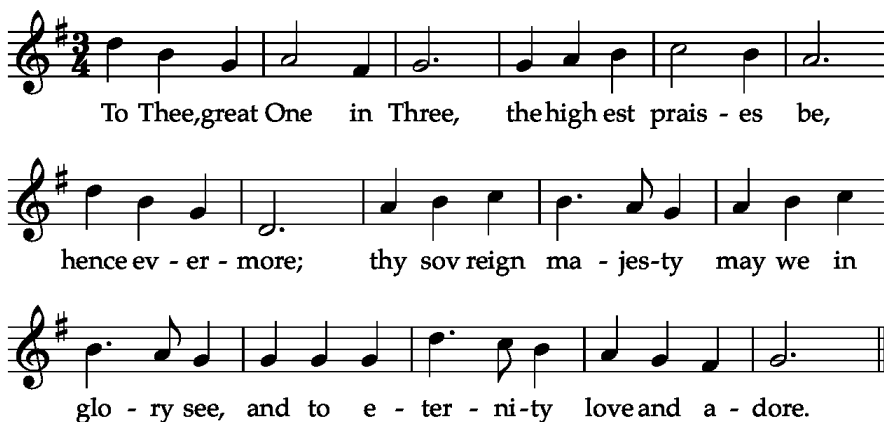
**At the Offertory** Then shall the righteous shine forth (from *Elijah*)

Felix Mendelssohn (1809–1847)

Then shall the righteous shine forth as the sun in their heavenly Father's realm. Joy on their head shall be for everlasting, and all sorrow and mourning shall flee away forever.

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

MOSCOW



To Thee, great One in Three, the high est prais - es be,  
hence ev - er - more; thy sov reign ma - jes - ty may we in  
glo - ry see, and to e - ter - ni - ty love and a - dore.

✦ **Offertory Prayer**

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

MARYTON



## 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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