

Maundy Thursday

Old South Church *in* Boston
April 17, 2024 | 6:00 p.m.

Prelude	A Place Called Earth	<i>Jon Foreman, Tim Foreman, & Lauren Daigle</i>
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Opening Words	John Edgerton
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*Opening Worship	Way Maker	<i>Sinach</i>
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You are here, moving in our midst
I worship You, I worship You
You are here, working in this place
I worship You, I worship You

Refrain

Way maker, miracle worker
Promise keeper, light in the darkness
My God, that is who You are
Way maker, miracle worker
Promise keeper, light in the darkness
My God, that is who You are

You are here, turning lives around
I worship You, I worship You
You are here, healing every heart
I worship You, I worship You

Refrain

That is who You are, that is who you are
That is who You are, that is who you are

Even when I don't see it, You're working
Even when I don't feel it, You're working
You never stop, You never stop working
You never stop, You never stop working

Refrain

Scripture	John 15:12-17	Ashton Gregor
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Reflection	The Gift	Rachel Barton
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*Music

By Our Love

Peter Scholtes

We are one in the Spirit, we are one in the Lord
We are one in the Spirit, we are one in the Lord
And we pray that all unity will one day be restored

Refrain

And they'll know we are Christians by our love, by our love,
Yes, they'll know we are Christians by our love.

We will walk with each other, we will walk hand in hand
We will walk with each other, we will walk hand in hand
And together we'll spread the news that God is in our land ***Refrain***

We will work with each other, we will work side by side
We will work with each other, we will work side by side
And we'll guard each one's dignity and save each person's pride ***Refrain***

Scripture	Matthew 25:34-40	Jenny Keenan
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Reflection	The Hungry	Kat Woodard
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Music	He is Among Us (The Least of These)	<i>Palmer/Wardell/Zach/ Swinton/Piercy</i>
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Please remain seated

Hallelujah, hallelujah
He is among us, He is among us

Scripture	John 14:15-31, <i>selected verses</i>	Larry Bowers
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Reflection	Abide	Ashley Popperson
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*Music

You'll Never Walk Alone

Rodgers/Hammerstein

When you walk through the storm
hold your head up high
And don't be afraid of the dark
At the end of the storm
Is a golden sky
And the sweet, silver song of a lark

Refrain
Walk on through the wind,
Walk on through the rain,
Though your dreams be tossed and blown
Walk on, walk on, with hope in your heart
And you'll never walk alone
You'll never walk alone

Communion

John Edgerton

Communion Music

Blessed Assurance

Fanny Crosby, arr. Shane & Shane

Blessed assurance, Jesus is mine;
Oh, what a foretaste of glory divine!
Heir of salvation, purchase of God,
Born of the Spirit, washed in Christ's blood.

Perfect submission, all is at rest,
I in my Savior am happy and blessed;
Watching and waiting, looking above,
Filled with God's goodness, lost in Christ's love.

Refrain

This is my story, this is my song,
Praising my Savior all the day long.
This is my story, this is my song,
Praising my Savior all the day long.

Oh, what a Savior, wonderful Jesus
Oh, what a Savior, wonderful Jesus
Oh, what a Savior, wonderful Jesus
Oh, what a Savior, wonderful Jesus

Benediction

Rachel Barton

OFFERING

*As you depart, please consider making a financial offering
In the plate by the door.*



To give via ApplePay, GooglePay,
or Credit Card, scan the QR code.
You can also Text 44-321
and enter OSC to make a gift.

If you're new to Old South,
scan the QR code with your
smartphone camera
to tell us more about yourself.



Join us in the coming days to hear the rest of the story

GOOD FRIDAY | April 18 | 7PM

This Good Friday, the Old South Chamber Chorus and soloists will present a performance of Sir John Stainer's passion oratorio *The Crucifixion*, a musical retelling of our redeemer's final hours. Modeled on the great passion settings of Bach, Stainer's oratorio is among the most popular English-language works depicting the events surrounding Christ's death. Premiered in 1887 — roughly contemporaneous with the New Old South Church edifice — the work combines recitatives, solos and masterful choruses that range from graphic shouts of "Crucify!" to the work's beloved centerpiece, "God So Loved the World."

EASTER & MARATHON SUNDAY | April 20, 2025

7AM

Join us for a brief, informal outdoor service to celebrate the resurrection of Jesus Christ and to bless the athletes of the Boston Marathon. With bagpipe and public art, celebrate the joy of the resurrection under the portico.

9AM, 11AM, & 1PM

The triumph of the Christian story of resurrection informs a service of worship that is characterized by joyous celebration. Our celebration continues with hundreds of marathoners joining us for worship, where we will pause to acknowledge the runners, their families, and volunteers in a special "Blessing of the Athletes." For children: childcare will be available on the 3rd floor from 8:20 - 12:30, and we will have Children's Worship for older children for a portion of the 9am and 11am services. For details please reach out to Director of Children and Families Kate Nintcheu at children@oldsouth.org.

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