Morning Worship

The beginning of the prelude is a call to silent, personal preparation for the worship of God.

Prelude

Adagio in G Minor
Tommaso Albinoni
arr. S. Drummond Wolff

Vocalise
Sergei Rachmaninoff
arr. Paul Carr

Introit

“Now That the Daylight Fills the Sky” Plainsong

Now that the daylight fills the sky, we lift our hearts to God on high, that he, in all we do or say, would keep us free from harm this day. To God the Father, heavenly light; to Christ, revealed in earthly night; to God the Holy Ghost, we raise our equal and unceasing praise.

*Doxology and Invocation (The Hymnal, 592)

*Hymn 469 “Morning Has Broken” Tune: Bunessan

Prayer of Confession (unison)

Most holy and merciful Lord, we confess to you and to one another that we have sinned against you by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart and mind and strength. We have not fully loved our neighbors as ourselves. Forgive us, O God, and free us from our sin so that we can be freed for service to your people. Renew in us the grace and strength of your Holy Spirit, for the sake of Jesus Christ, your Son, our Savior. Amen.

Declaration of Pardon

Minister: Friends, believe the good news.

People: In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.

Concerns of the Church

Psalter Psalm 9:9–20 (responsively) (page 466, O.T.)

*Stand as you are able.
**Anthem**  
“Non Nobis, Domine”  
Roger Quilter  
Non nobis, Domine! Not unto me, O Lord, the praise and glory be of any deed or word. For in thy judgment lies to crown or bring to naught all knowledge and device that man has reached or wrought. And we confess our blame, how all too high we hold that noise which men call fame, that dross which men call gold. For these we undergo our hot and godless days, but in our souls we know, O Lord, not unto us the praise. O power, by whom we live, creator, judge, and friend, upholdingly forgive, nor leave us at the end, but grant us yet to see, in all our piteous ways, non nobis, Domine, O Lord, not unto us the praise.

**First Lesson**  
Job 38:1−11  
(page 458, O.T.)

Minister: The Word of the Lord.

People:  **Thanks be to God.**

*Gloria Patri*  
(The Hymnal, 579)

**Second Lesson**  
Mark 4:35−41  
(page 36, N.T.)

**Sermon**  
Just as He Was  
Judith L. Watt

**Hymn 399**  
“We Walk by Faith and Not by Sight”  
*Tune: Dunlap’s Creek*

**Apostles’ Creed**  
(unison)

I believe in God the Father Almighty,  
Maker of heaven and earth,  
and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord;  
who was conceived by the Holy Ghost,  
born of the Virgin Mary,  
suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
was crucified, dead, and buried;  
he descended into hell;  
the third day he rose again from the dead;  
he ascended into heaven,  
and sitteth on the right hand  
of God the Father Almighty;  
from thence he shall come to judge  
the quick and the dead.  
I believe in the Holy Ghost;  
the holy catholic church;  
the communion of saints;  
the forgiveness of sins;  
the resurrection of the body;  
and the life everlasting. Amen.
PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

THE LORD’S PRAYER (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 debts, as we forgive our debtors;
and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom and the power
and the glory forever. Amen.

PRAYER RESPONSE “Amen” Morgan Simmons

OFFERING

OFFERTORY ANTHEM “Sovereign Lord, Creator, Righteous One” Gustav Holst
arr. Mary McDonald

Sovereign Lord, Creator, Righteous One, most high and holy King,
my redeemer, Father, dearest friend, my praise to you I bring. I will
praise your name forever, knowing that you loved me first; for you
feed my every hunger and quench my every thirst. With my heart I’ll
ever worship you, my voice will sing your praise, for your everlasting
mercy and grace, for every day. All creation bows in humbleness
before your heavenly throne, and I shall forever thank you for making
me your own. You are higher than the highest and the God of all who
live. You are worthy of all honor and praise that I can give. All my
life shall be a witness of your majesty and grace, and in heaven I’ll
bow before you and see you face to face. Amen.

*PRESENTATION OF THE OFFERING AND RESPONSE

*Prayer of Thanksgiving and Dedication*

Minister: Lift up your hearts.

People: **We lift them to the Lord.**

Minister: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

All: **We thank you, God,**

for the gift of the good news of Jesus Christ

and the promise of his risen presence among us.

We thank you for the great privilege of freedom to worship

and for the gift of this community of faith.

We offer our gifts to you in thankfulness

for all you have given to us,

and we ask that you make us ever more mindful

of your saving grace day by day. In Christ we pray. Amen.

*Hymn 467  “How Great Thou Art”

*Tune: O Store Gud*

**Benediction and Response**

**Postlude**

Trumpet Voluntary

*John Stanley*

arr. *Henry Coleman*
These kneeling angels—beginning with the Alpha and the Omega—
grace the roof supports on the colorful arches far above the pews;
the eight motifs pictured here are repeated four times each.
Like all of the painting in the Sanctuary, they were executed under the
direction of famed Chicago muralist Frederick Clay Bartlett.
Worship Leaders

9:30 a.m. Hardy H. Kim, Donna Gray, Judith L. Watt
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The Music Today

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John W. W. Sherer, Organist and Director of Music
Thomas E. Gouwens, Associate Organist

Worship Notes

Fourth Church offers a variety of worship opportunities each week. In addition to Sunday morning services, an afternoon jazz service with Communion is also held on Sundays at 4:00 p.m. On weekday mornings, Morning Prayer is held in the Sanctuary (9:00 a.m. on Tuesday; 9:30 a.m. on Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday), and a Taizé service is held at 7:30 p.m. on the fourth Friday of each month.

The textile banners and pulpit parament, “Unweavings,” created by Laurie Wohl, were commissioned by Fourth Church for use during the liturgical season of Ordinary Time, the longest season of the church year (the season between Epiphany and Lent and between Pentecost and Advent). Through their combination of scripture texts and images, these banners celebrate and elevate the perception of the sacred in the “ordinary” as we make our faith journey day to day.

The bulletin cover photo shows two birds visiting the Garth on a summer day to drink from the courtyard fountain.

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