



## Preparation for Worship

*Jesus said, "Come to me, all you that are weary and are carrying heavy burdens, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you and learn from me; for I am gentle and humble in heart, and you will find rest for your souls."*

— Matthew 11:28-29

## Voluntary

*Prelude in C major*  
BWV 545/1

Johann Sebastian Bach  
(1685–1750)

## Greeting

The Lord be with you. **And also with you.**

## ✠ Opening Sentences

### ✠ Hymn 628 [\(see page 9\)](#)

*Praise, I Will Praise You, Lord*

JE LOUERA L'ÉTERNEL

### ✠ Prayer of Confession

Merciful Savior,  
you stand beside us,  
yet we prefer to stand on our own.  
You choose us,  
yet we choose worry.  
You attend to us,  
yet we attend to our work.  
Forgive us, gentle Teacher.  
Call us by name and visit us once more  
that we might find at your feet  
our joy, our purpose, and our hope.

*silent prayer*

Holy One, in your mercy. **Hear our prayer.**

### ✠ Declaration of Forgiveness

Believe the Good News. **In Jesus Christ we are forgiven.**

# ✠ Response

Henry W. Greatorex

Glo - ry be to the Fa - ther, and to the

Son, and to the Ho - ly Ghost; as it was in the be -

gin - ning, is now, and ev - er shall be,

world with - out end. A - men, a - men.

## ✠ The Peace

Peace be with you. **Peace be with all.**

**Conversation with Children**

**Prayer for Illumination**

**Gospel Reading**

Luke 10:38-42

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The Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God!**

**Anthem***Think on These Things*

Mark Patterson  
(b. 1969)

Whatever is pure, whatever is true, whatever is noble and just and good;  
think on these things, live by these things, rejoice together in these things,  
and the God of peace will be with you.

All that's pure, all that's true, all that's noble and just and good;  
think on these things, live by these things, rejoice together in these things,  
and the God of peace will be with you.

When the cares of life confound you, when the storms of doubt sweep in,  
turn to God with all things in prayer, to God with all things in prayer,  
and a peace beyond all knowing will guard you and guide you.

— based on Philippians 4:4-9

**Sermon***Slow Down, Settle Down, Sit Down*

John W. Wurster

*silence and stillness*

✠ **Hymn 324** ([see page 10](#))

*For All the Faithful Women*

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✠ **Affirmation of Faith**

Philippians 2:5-11

Christ Jesus,  
though he was in the form of God, did not regard equality with God  
as something to be exploited, but emptied himself,  
taking the form of a slave, being born in human likeness.  
And being found in human form, he humbled himself  
and became obedient to the point of death –  
even death on a cross.  
Therefore God also highly exalted him  
and gave him the name that is above every name,  
so that at the name of Jesus every knee should bend,  
in heaven and on earth and under the earth,  
and every tongue confess to the glory of God:  
Jesus Christ is Lord! Amen.

**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 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.

## Offering

### Offertory Anthem

*Now Thank We All Our God*  
(from Cantata 79)

J. S. Bach

Now thank we all our God, with heart and hands and voices,  
Who wondrous things hath done, in whom his world rejoices;  
Who from our mother's arms hath blessed us on our way  
With countless gifts of love, and still is ours today.

### ✦ Prayer of Thanksgiving

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.  
**It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

Generous God,  
you are rich in mercy and boundless in love.  
**We offer our thanks for all of your gifts.**  
**Help us to use well all that we have received,**  
**as we seek to follow in way of Jesus Christ. Amen.**

### ✦ Hymn 546 [\(see page 11\)](#)

*Lord, Dismiss Us with Your Blessing*

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### ✦ Charge and Blessing

*Please be seated in silence for the closing voluntary, or kindly depart quietly.*

### Voluntary

*Fugue in C major*  
BWV 545/2

J.S. Bach

## SERVING TODAY

### Liturgists

Keatan King, Omar Rouchon and Cohen Carlin.

### Musicians

St. Philip Choir | Matthew Dirst — organist | Randall Swanson — director of music

## FLOWERS

The flowers today are given by Janet Eskridge to the glory of God and in memory of her parents John and Rita Hannah. July 19 would have been their 75th wedding anniversary.

## WORSHIP NOTES

### Today's Lectionary readings:

- Amos 8:1–12 — *The end has come; the Lord condemns those who prey on the needy.*
- Psalm 52 — *Why do you boast of your evil? God will uproot and destroy you.*
- Colossians 1:15–28 — *Christ is the image of the invisible God; now the mystery is revealed.*
- Luke 10:38–42 — *Mary sits and listens to Jesus, while Martha is busy with many tasks.*

## IN OUR PRAYERS

*St. Philippians and their families* – Don Davis; Janet Martin; Richard Johnson; Sid Wells; Lane Fletcher; Amye Webster; Tom Sands; Mary Sinderson; Susan Huffman; Jan Ostendorf; Lee Larkin; Bill Slick; Don Padgett; Steve Adger; Judith Crane; Shirley Coffman; Ellen MacDonald; Arlette Keene; CJ Miller; Mezgebe Gebray; Ryan Willis – son of Robin and Gary Willis; Alma Fonseca- mother of Angelina Fonseca; Darryl Cazes – brother of Pam Taylor; Ann Perkins Cloud – cousin of Stephen Paine; Carol Paine Kendrick – sister of Stephen Paine; John Anderson – brother of Tom Anderson; Mac & Beverly Wilson – parents of Butch Wilson; Vera Moore – mother of Chuck Johnson; Sarah – cousin of Sam Fisher; Shirley Boggus – grandmother of Omi Ford; Dona & Alan Rowe – parents of William Rowe; Elizabeth Carlton Lithio – granddaughter of Jeanie Flowers and Warner Fassnidge - Brian Webster's stepfather.

*Homebound* – John Bobbitt; Paulie Carlson; Kitty Curry; George Helland; Jean Nelson; Joyce Randolph; George and Lorraine Scott; Marion Takehara; and Jody Tomforde.

*Friends of St. Philippians* – Bill Dixon – friend of Tina Bryan; Shirley Stubblefield – friend of Barbara Runge; Clayton Amacker – friend of Peg Palisin and Gary Gardner.

If you have a pastoral care need or a prayer request you would like to share, please email: [deacons@saintphilip.net](mailto:deacons@saintphilip.net).

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**MISSION COMMITTEE** – There are multiple ways you can help our mission partners this summer. Please visit the website and view mission activities. <http://saintphilip.net/Mission.html>

**WOMEN'S MONTHLY BOOK CLUB** – This self-led, interactive group produces lively discussions and wonderful fellowship. The next meeting is **August 11** and we will meet at a restaurant. Watch your email for details of the next meeting. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Nina Lambright at: [nnl@lambrightlaw.com](mailto:nnl@lambrightlaw.com).

## THE FOLLOWING LEARNING/ DISCUSSION OPPORTUNITIES ARE ON A BREAK FOR THE SUMMER:

- Midweek Bible Study with John Wurster
- Presbyterian Men's Weekly Fellowship
- Presbyterian Women's Circle
- Social Justice Study Group
- Adult Bible Study Class
- Children's Sunday School Classes

**CHURCH & SOCIETY SUMMER FOURTH TUESDAYS** - **July 26**, and **Aug. 23** - by Zoom - 7:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. Church & Society "Fourth Tuesdays" *Early Childhood Education - The Brain's Architecture is Built During a Child's First 1000 Days* presented by Maika Thomas, associate director of early childhood education at Children at Risk. Email Mickey Meyers if you would like to join any of the classes:

[churchsociety\\_sphilip@comcast.net](mailto:churchsociety_sphilip@comcast.net).

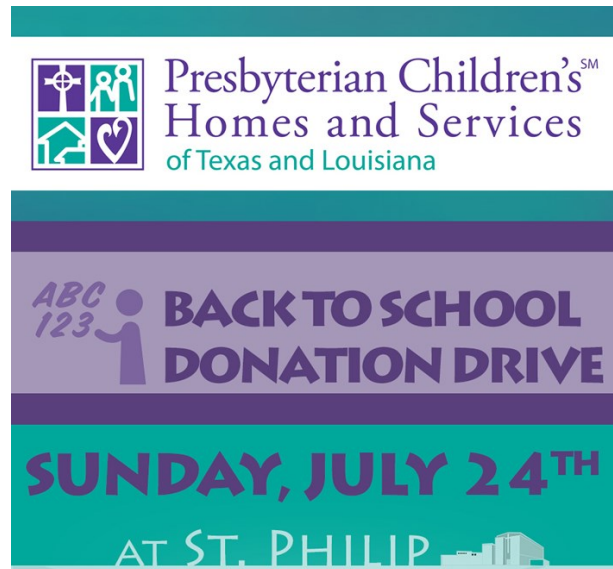


Since 1986, CCSC has delivered grade-appropriate school supplies and a clothing voucher to low income students through its Back-To-School program. Your volunteer efforts and donations are an important part of this program. On July 30, CCSC will host a community event where volunteers assemble supply packages. On August 5-6, volunteers will assist clients with picking up school supplies and clothing vouchers in a drive-through.

It only costs \$50 to supply a child with a comprehensive school supply packet and a clothing voucher; however, donations in any amount are appreciated.

For more information on how to register for these Back To School events, contact the Youth Services Manager at 713-961-3993 ext. 326 or email:

[seasonal@ccschouston.org](mailto:seasonal@ccschouston.org).



**PCHAS** provides Christ-centered care and support to children and families in need. Each year, we hold an annual Back-To-School drive for our kids heading to school in the fall. Please consider sponsoring a portion of school supplies, child's clothes or shoes. **In addition to our Back-To-School Drive, PCHAS will benefit from the July communion offering.** Contributions can be made online at [saintphilip.net](http://saintphilip.net) under contributions, select Hunger/Communion fund.

**Clothing Needs for Foster Care:** a complete list of specific items are listed on [saintphilip.net](http://saintphilip.net), but the Mission Committee recommends new gift cards from Target or Walmart as an alternative. Please place gift cards in an envelope with "PCHAS clothing gift card" written on the outside of the envelope.

**JULY 24**

**Locations & Times:**

- **Option 1:** Before & After Sunday Worship until 12:30. The **Collection Box** will be in the **Gathering Area**
- **Option 2:** 10:30 - 11:00 (before Sunday Worship) **Drive through & drop off** at the porte cochere (just off San Felipe) outside the sanctuary.

**Thank You!**

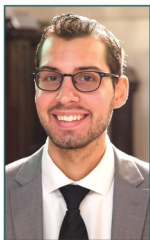


# MUSIC AT ST. PHILIP

## 2022 SUMMER ORGAN CONCERTS

Presenting recent winners of the highly prestigious Canadian International Organ Competition

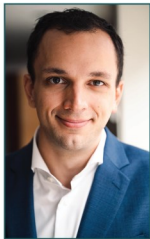
**3:00 p.m.** on the **3rd Sundays** of **July, August and September**  
**FREE** (contributions welcome) — with free ice cream afterwards!



**Nicholas Capozzoli** • Montréal, Québec

SUNDAY | **JULY 17, 2022** | 3:00 p.m.

With prizes in both the **Canadian International Organ Competition (CIOC)** and the **American Guild of Organists National Young Artists Competition in Organ Performance (NYACOP)**, Nicholas Capozzoli has established himself as an artist of great distinction and versatility. He is Director of Music at **Christ Church Cathedral, Montréal**, where he oversees one of Canada's busiest liturgical music programs.



**Bryan Anderson** • Houston, Texas

SUNDAY | **AUGUST 21, 2022** | 3:00 p.m.

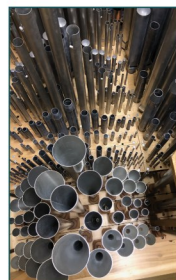
Director of Music at **St. Thomas' Episcopal Church and School** in Houston, Bryan Anderson maintains an active solo performance and competition career, in 2021 taking Third Prize and Robilliard Prize at the **Canadian International Organ Competition (CIOC)**, and in 2019 winning Second Prize at the **Longwood Gardens Organ Competition**. He holds degrees in organ from **Rice University** and the **Curtis Institute of Music**.



**Aaron Tan** • Rochester, New York

SUNDAY | **SEPTEMBER 18, 2022** | 3:00 p.m.

"Despite many faultless performances from other finalists, winner Aaron Tan seemed to place himself in another league." (*Choir & Organ* magazine) Winner of the **2021 Canadian International Organ Competition (CIOC)** and the **2018 AGO National Young Artists Competition in Organ Performance (NYACOP)**, Aaron is truly in a league of his own. One of the world's leading young artists — not to be missed!



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#### Welcome to Worship at St. Philip

Please register your attendance by scanning the QR code or by visiting the Guest Book tab at [saintphilip.net](http://saintphilip.net).

**AS FOLLOWERS OF JESUS CHRIST,**  
**we seek to be an inclusive,**  
**grace-filled community,**  
**engaging the world with open minds,**  
**willing hands and generous hearts.**

**WE LONG**  
**for deeper faith,**  
**vibrant hope**  
**and boundless love**  
**for everyone, every day, everywhere.**

**Thank you for joining us today!** We hope that you find our worship together to be joyous, meaningful, and thought-provoking. **Children of all ages** are welcome to worship with their families. Activity bags containing worship aids for children are available in the narthex on the way into the sanctuary.

**Nursery care** is available throughout the morning from 8:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. Infants to age 4 are invited to our Nursery which is staffed by professional childcare providers. Please find our Nursery in Room 106 of the Education Building along the Sunday School Classroom hallway on the first floor. An usher or a greeter will be happy to direct you there.

**A Hearing Loop** is installed within the sanctuary. If you have a hearing aid equipped with a telecoil, please activate your "T switch" to hear the worship service most clearly. If you need assistance with hearing the service clearly and do not have a t-coil equipped hearing aid, please ask an usher for wireless headphones. **LARGE PRINT COPIES OF TODAY'S HYMNS ARE IN THE NARTHEX.**

**Connect with St. Philip** through [saintphilip.net](http://saintphilip.net) and our social media. To join our e-mail list for regular news updates, send a note to [lorrie@saintphilip.net](mailto:lorrie@saintphilip.net).

**If you are interested in joining St. Philip Presbyterian Church** by profession of faith, by reaffirming your faith, or by transferring your membership, please speak with one of the ministers today or call the church office during the week. **The Session meets the third Sunday of each month after the 11:00 worship service in Room 100 for the purpose of receiving new members.**

**Worship with us, whenever, wherever.** Our 11:00 a.m. Sunday service is live-streamed at [saintphilip.net](http://saintphilip.net). We also live-stream a midweek prayer on Wednesdays at 11:00 a.m. Services can be viewed live or later in our video archives.

**Contributions**, pledge payments, communion gifts and other donations to support the Church can be made anytime through our website, text "SPPC" to 73256 and follow the prompts, or sent to the Church Office at 4807 San Felipe, Houston, TX 77056.



## Hymn 628

Praise, I Will Praise You, Lord

JE LOUERA L'ÉTERNEL

1 Praise, I will praise you, Lord, with all my heart. O  
 2 Love, I will love you, Lord, with all my heart. O  
 3 Serve, I will serve you, Lord, with all my heart. O

God, I will tell the won-ders of your ways, and glo-ri-fy your name.

Praise, I will praise you, Lord, with all my heart. In  
 Love, I will love you, Lord, with all my heart. In  
 Serve, I will serve you, Lord, with all my heart. In

you I will find the source of all my joy. Al-le-lu-ia!

## FRENCH

*Je louerai l'Éternel de tout mon coeur,  
 je raconterai toutes tes merveilles,  
 je chanterai ton nom.  
 Je louerai l'Éternel de tout mon coeur,  
 je ferai de toi le sujet de ma joie.  
 Alleluia!*

This simple song based on Psalm 9:1-2 was created in the mid-1970s for a morning devotional of a group touring in the picturesque high Alps. Later it was incorporated into their programs and soon spread throughout Europe and the world, being translated into many languages.

TEXT: Claude Frayssé, 1975; English trans. Kenneth I. Morse, 1988  
 MUSIC: Claude Frayssé, 1975; harm. Alain Bergèse, 1976  
 Text and Music © 1975 Claude Frayssé  
 English Trans. © 1989 The Hymnal Project (admin. Brethren Press)

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## Hymn 324

## For All the Faithful Women

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1 For all the faith - ful wom - en who served in  
 2 We praise your name for Mir - iam, who sang tri -  
 3 We sing of bus - y Mar - tha, who toiled with  
 4 Lord, hear our praise of Dor - cas, who served the



days of old, to you shall thanks be giv - en; to  
 um - phant - ly while Pha - raoh's vaunt - ed ar - my lay  
 pot and pan while Mar - y sat in si - lence to  
 sick and poor. Her hands were cups of kind - ness, her



all, their sto - ry told. They served with strength and  
 drowned be - neath the sea; for Ruth, who left her  
 hear the word a - gain. We praise the oth - er  
 heart an o - pen door. O God, for saints and



glad - ness in tasks your wis - dom gave. To you their  
 home - land and ven - tured forth in faith, who pledged to  
 Mar - y, who has - tened to the tomb and found her  
 ser - vants, our fer - vent prayer we raise, that, faith - ful



lives bore wit - ness, pro - claimed your power to save.  
 serve and wor - ship Na - o - mi's God till death.  
 Lord a - ris - en, dis - pel - ling doubt and gloom.  
 in your ser - vice, our lives may sing your praise.

Created to honor the tenth anniversary of the first ordination of a woman in the Lutheran Church in America, this text celebrates representative women of the Bible: Miriam and Ruth from Hebrew Scripture, Mary, Martha, and Mary Magdalene from the gospels, and Dorcas from Acts.

TEXT: Herman G. Stuempfle Jr., 1975, alt.  
 MUSIC: Finnish folk melody; adapt. and harm. David Evans, 1927  
 Text © 1993 GIA Publications, Inc.  
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## Hymn 546

## Lord, Dismiss Us with Your Blessing

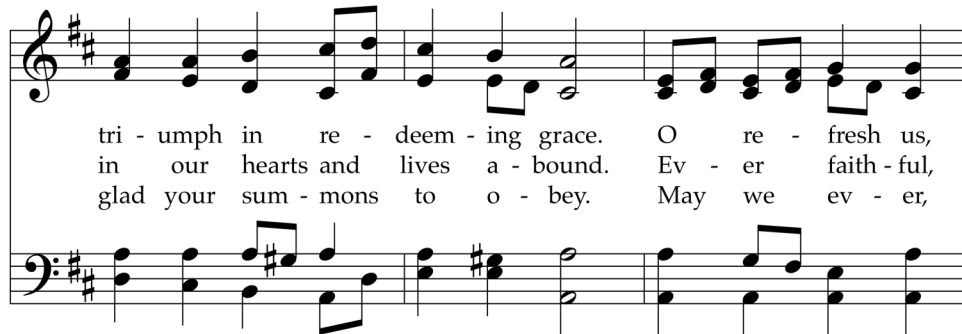
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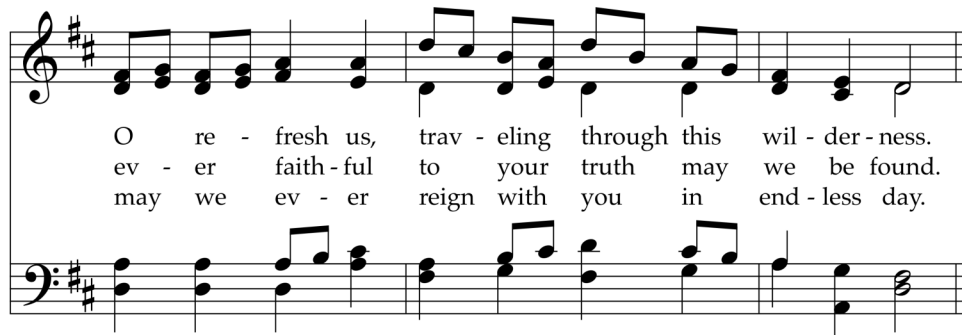
1 Lord, dis - miss us with your bless-ing; fill our hearts with  
 2 Thanks we give and ad - o - ra - tion for your gos - pel's  
 3 Sav - ior, when your love shall call us, from our strug - gling



joy and peace; let us each, your love pos - sess - ing,  
 joy - ful sound; may the fruits of your sal - va - tion  
 pil - grim way, let no fear of death ap - pall us,



tri - umph in re - deem - ing grace. O re - fresh us,  
 in our hearts and lives a - bound. Ev - er faith - ful,  
 glad your sum - mons to o - bey. May we ev - er,



O re - fresh us, trav - eling through this wil - der - ness.  
 ev - er faith - ful to your truth may we be found.  
 may we ev - er reign with you in end - less day.

This hymn of corporate benediction is one of several using the same first line. It was written by a Baptist pastor who dedicated his entire ministry to a small church in rural Yorkshire. The tune used here was first transcribed from Sicilian sailors in the late 18th century.

TEXT: Attr. John Fawcett, 1773, alt.; stanza 3, alt. Geoffrey Thring, 1880, alt.  
 MUSIC: Sicilian melody, 18th cent.

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