

Service of Remembrance

Sunday, November 7, 2010 + 6:30 p.m.

A LIGHT IN THE CITY
FOURTH
PRESBYTERIAN
CHURCH
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PRELUDE Prelude, Fugue and Variation *César Franck*

WELCOME AND INVOCATION

***HYMN 526** “For All the Saints” *Tune: SINE NOMINE*

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

**Creating God, we praise you for your word,
which called the universe into being; and for
your spirit, which breathed life into your human
creation, made in your image. We praise you
that in your love you seek to embrace us in our
brokenness; you call us to love outwardly,
but we focus on ourselves. Instead of following you,
we follow the impulses of our own needs.
Lord, in your tender mercy, grant us
your forgiveness. Amen.**

DECLARATION OF PARDON

Minister: Hear and believe the good news!

People: **In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.**

PSALTER Psalm 146 (*responsively*) (page 549, O.T.)

ANTHEM “Introit and Kyrie” from *Requiem* *Gabriel Fauré*

Grant them rest eternal, Lord, thy rest, and light perpetual
shine upon them. A hymn becometh thee, O God, in Zion,
and a vow shall be paid to thee in Jerusalem. Give ear to
my humble supplication, unto thee shall all flesh come
at last. Lord, have mercy upon us; Christ, have mercy
upon us; Lord, have mercy upon us.

**Stand as you are able.*

Minister: The Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

***HYMN 521** “You Satisfy the Hungry Heart” *Tune: FINEST WHEAT*

THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD’S SUPPER

INVITATION

Minister: The Lord be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

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.**

OFFERING

OFFERTORY ANTHEM

“Offertoire” from *Requiem*

G. Fauré

O Lord God, Jesus Christ, King of glory, deliver thou the souls of the dead from pains everlasting and the abyss unfathomed. Let not Tatarus swallow them, O Lord God, Jesus Christ, King of glory; nor let them fall into utter darkness. Sacrifice and prayer unto thee, O Lord, we offer with praises. O Lord, accept thou these now for the souls of them. Lord, for whose sake we do in memory hold this day, make them to pass, O Lord from death into life everlasting as unto Abraham thou didst promise and to his seed forever. O Lord God, Jesus Christ, King of glory, deliver thou the sould of the dead from the pains of hell and from the deep lake; nor let them fall into darkness. Amen.

THE PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

Minister: Gratitude, praise, hearts lifted high . . .

. . . who forever sing to the glory of your name:

SANCTUS “Sanctus” from *Requiem* *G. Fauré*

Holy, holy, holy is the Lord God of hosts! Heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest!

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.

THE COMMUNION

MUSIC DURING COMMUNION

“Pie Jesu” from *Requiem* *G. Fauré*

Blessed Jesus, Lord, grant them eternal rest.

“Agnus Dei” from *Requiem* *G. Fauré*

Lamb of God, who takest away the sins of the world, grant them rest. Let eternal light shine on them, O Lord, with thy saints throughout eternity for thou art good. Grant them rest eternal, O Lord, and eternal light shine on them.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION (*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.

ANTHEM “Libera me” from *Requiem* *G. Fauré*

Deliver me, O Lord, from eternal death in that awful day when heaven and earth shall be moved, when thou shalt come to judge the world by fire. Full of terror am I and I fear the trial and the wrath to come. That day shall be a day of wrath, of calamity and misery; that day shall be a mighty one and exceedingly bitter. Grant them eternal rest, O Lord, and let light perpetual shine upon them.

“In Paradisium” from *Requiem* *G. Fauré*

In paradise may the angels receive thee at thy coming;
may the martyrs receive thee and bring thee into the
holy city Jerusalem. There may the choir of angels receive
thee and with Lazarus, once a better, mayst thou have
eternal rest.

***HYMN 544** “Day Is Done”

Tune: AR HYD Y NOS

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE Elegy

Malcolm Archer

WORSHIP LEADERS

Adam Fronczek Associate Pastor

Daniel Henry Soloist

Carla Janzen Soloist

Pasquale Laurino Violinist

The Morning Choir

John W. W. Sherer Organist and Director of Music

Thomas E. Gouwens Associate Organist
and Handbell Director

WORSHIP NOTES

Gabriel Fauré (1845–1924) was organist of several Parisian churches, including St. Sulpice and the Madeleine. He was also professor of composition at the Paris Conservatory. His best-known work is the *Requiem* which he worked on for twenty-three years between 1877 and 1900. It is a work of deep beauty and intimacy and is offered this evening in honor of all departed ones.

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