



\*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

Reflection

The Hungry

Kat Woodard

Music

He is Among Us  
(The Least of These)

*Palmer/Wardell/Zach/  
Swinton/Piercy*

*Please remain seated*

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

Scripture

John 14:15-31, *selected verses*

Larry Bowers

Reflection

Abide

Ashley Popperson

\*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  
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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](mailto:children@oldsouth.org).

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