



**MARBLE COLLEGIATE CHURCH**  
**Where We Discover We Were Made for More**

Sunday, May 15, 2022

PLEASE SILENCE ALL ELECTRONIC DEVICES

**Grace Notes:** *Inside the Music*, returns next Sunday, 10:50am

PRELUDE      Fantasiestücke, Op. 73 ..... Robert Schumann  
                 Mina Smith, *cello*

WELCOME AND CALL TO WORSHIP

INTROIT      Psalm 57 ..... John Tebay  
                 Awake, awake! The lute and harp, awaken now the dawn! Awake, awake my glory rise to  
                 praise the King of Heav'n! Alleluia! And in the shadow of Thy wing I will find refuge for my  
                 soul. O God be gracious unto me; send Thy loving-kindness. I will give thanks to Thee, O  
                 Lord. I will sing praises to Thy name. Be Thou exalted far above the heav'ns.

**HYMN 521      Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee** ..... *Hymn to Joy*  
                 *Please refer to hymnal or on-screen lyrics.*

INVOCATION

ANTHEM      Jesus, Lover of My Soul ..... Kenneth Dake  
                 *Based on hymn tunes of Joseph Parry and Jean Sibelius, this arrangement*  
                 *was written in gratitude for the ministry of Dr. Edwin and Luella Mulder.*  
                 Jesus, lover of my soul, let me to Thy bosom fly, while the nearer waters roll, while  
                 the tempest still is high. Hide me, O my Savior hide, 'til the storm of life be past, safe  
                 into the haven guide, O receive my soul at last. Other refuge have I none, hangs my  
                 helpless soul on Thee; Leave, ah! Leave me not alone, still support and comfort me.  
                 All my trust on Thee is stayed; all my help from Thee I bring. Cover my defenseless  
                 head with the shadow of Thy wing. Thou, O Christ art all I want; more than all in Thee  
                 I find. Raise the fallen cheer the faint, heal the sick, and lead the blind. Thou of life  
                 the fountain art; freely let me take of Thee. Spring Thou up within my heart, rise to  
                 all eternity. Be still my soul, thy God doth undertake to guide the future surely as the  
                 past. Thy hope, thy confidence let nothing shake, all now mysterious shall be bright  
                 at last. Be still my soul: the waves and winds still know the voice of One who calmed  
                 them long ago. – *Charles Wesley; Katharina von Schlegel*

PASTORAL PRAYER AND 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, for ever. Amen.**

CHORAL RESPONSE

**HYMN** **I Was There to Hear Your Borne Cry** .....John Ylvisaker  
*Please refer to on-screen lyrics or music on page 3 of bulletin.*

READING OF THE SCRIPTURE ..... Psalm 100:1-5  
Leader: The Word of God for the people of God.  
**All: Thanks be to God.**

**SERMON** **Something to Celebrate**  
**LIFE** ..... Dr. Michael Bos  
*Part 2 of Sermon Series*

**HYMN** **I Offer My Life** ..... Claire Cloninger and Don Moen  
*Please refer to on-screen lyrics or music on back page of bulletin.*

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND CALL FOR OFFERING  
*Please click "Make a Donation" on bottom of any page at MarbleChurch.org or use Donate QR Code on card in the pews, to take you to secure website, Realm, to give. Donation boxes also placed by Sanctuary doors. You may also mail a check. We are grateful for your faithful support.*

ANTHEM Jubilate Deo ..... Charles Villiers Stanford  
*The text is that of Psalm 100, pew Bible page 481.*

**DOXOLOGY** ..... *Lasst uns erfreuen (The tune is that of Hymn 4.)*  
**Praise God from whom all blessings flow,**  
**Praise God, all creatures here below: Alleluia! Alleluia!**  
**Praise God with saints in heav'n above,**  
**Praise Jesus Christ who shows God's love,**  
**Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!**

BENEDICTION AND CHORAL RESPONSE

POSTLUDE Carillon..... Herbert Murrill

PARTICIPATING IN THE SERVICE

Dr. Michael Bos, Rev. Brittany Juliette Hanlin, Ella Niewood, *lay reader*  
The Marble Choir, Kenneth V. Dake, *director of music*  
Mina Smith, *cello*



**TODAY AFTER WORSHIP!**  
**DR. FLORENCE PERT PORTRAIT HANGING**

All are welcome for the unveiling of the newly placed portrait of Dr. Florence Pert. Join us downstairs for this short time of remembering her legacy.

In 1973, Dr. Peale named Florence Director of Lay Activities where she created a host of activities still in place today, including Small Groups, Adult Education and Women's Groups. She was the first woman to preach from the pulpit at Marble and in 1987, the first woman to be ordained in the Collegiate Churches of New York. Dr. Pert was Senior Associate Minister Emerita from 2002 until her death in 2008.

## WORSHIP NEXT WEEK

If you can't join us live, view archives at [MarbleChurch.org/Watch](http://MarbleChurch.org/Watch)



### The Gathering – Midweek Worship

Wednesday, May 18

Lessons from a Burning Bush – Rev. Rashad McPherson

**Midweek Worship goes live at MarbleChurch.org Wednesday mornings.** It's a worship resource to access whenever your schedule allows. For those who want to watch together, join a **virtual YouTube Premiere Party Wednesdays at 6:15pm**, link on events calendar.



### Sunday Worship, May 22 – 11:00am

**Something to Celebrate**

**Diversity** – Dr. Michael Bos

Part 3 of Sermon Series

AAPi Solidarity focused service, see page 5.

**In-Person Worship** – Since New York City's "Key to NYC" COVID protocols ended, **Marble updated its protocols and no longer requires proof of vaccination. Wearing masks is still required for everyone's safety, especially since we sing when we worship.** For details including updated safety protocols, visit [MarbleChurch.org](http://MarbleChurch.org).

**NYC Street Closings** – Please plan ahead for your time at Marble as city events come back. For details, visit [www1.nyc.gov/events/](http://www1.nyc.gov/events/) or call 311.

## I WAS THERE TO HEAR YOUR BORNING CRY

John Ylvisaker



1. I was there to hear your born-ing cry, I'll be there when you are old.
2. When you heard the won-der of the Word, I was there to cheer you on;
3. In the mid-dle a - ges of your life, not too old, no long - er young,
4. I was there to hear your born-ing cry, I'll be there when you are old.



I re-joiced the day you were bap-tized, to see your life un - fold.  
You were raised to praise the liv - ing God, to whom you now be - long.  
I'll be there to guide you through the night, complete what I've be - gun.  
I re-joiced the day you were bap-tized, to see your life un - fold.



I was there when you were but a child, with a faith to suit you well;  
If you find some-one to share your time and you join your hearts as one,  
When the eve-ning gent-ly clos-es in, and you shut your wear - y eyes,



In a blaze of light you wan-dered off to find where de-mons dwell.  
I'll be there to make your vers - es rhyme from dusk 'til ris - ing sun.  
I'll be there as I have al-ways been with just one more sur - prise.

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### FLOWERS ARE PLACED IN THE SANCTUARY

In loving memory of **Yvonne and Thomas Bynum**  
by Betty Franklin

## Life at Marble

Visit [MarbleChurch.org](http://MarbleChurch.org) for more events, details, and up-to-date information.

### BEFORE WORSHIP



**Prayer Circle – 10:00am, Chapel (downstairs) & Zoom.** Weekly time of prayer and music. The Circle is always open – all you need is a willing heart!

**10:00 O’Clock Hour – Labyrinth Room (downstairs).** Please see page 5 for details. Attend in person (limited-capacity), or live stream. If you miss a session or want to watch again, view archive at [MarbleChurch.org/Watch](http://MarbleChurch.org/Watch).

### CYF CORNER – CHILDREN, YOUTH & FAMILIES MINISTRY



**Sunday School & Youth Group – Pre-K – 6th Grade Classes:** 10:00am. *Children’s Choir:* 11:00am. *Youth Choir:* 10:00am. *7th-12th Grade* attend 11:00am Worship, followed by *Youth Group* at 12:00pm. *No infant or toddler childcare.*

**Sunday School is now hybrid, in person and online, so you can choose what works best for your family.** Questions? Please contact Brian Hampton, [BHampton@MarbleChurch.org](mailto:BHampton@MarbleChurch.org) or Rev. Brittany, [BHAnlin@MarbleChurch.org](mailto:BHAnlin@MarbleChurch.org).



#### **Become a Member!**

Whoever you are, wherever you are in your faith journey, wherever you live, we’d love to have you join us! **Our next New Member Orientation begins June 5.** Please contact Kim Sebastian-Ryan, [KRyan@MarbleChurch.org](mailto:KRyan@MarbleChurch.org), or visit [MarbleChurch.org/engage/join/become-a-member](http://MarbleChurch.org/engage/join/become-a-member).

### UPCOMING



**Bereavement Group / Every Monday, 11:00am-12:00pm** – For those mourning the loss of a loved one. Led by Dr. Bill Lutz, via Zoom. Contact Judy Tulin.

**Afternoon Prayer / Tuesdays, 4:00-4:20pm** – Wind down your day with a brief time of sharing and prayer. Via Zoom video chat or phone.

**Chair Yoga / Every Thursday, 10:00-10:45am** – Center yourself physically and spiritually with this time of gentle movement via Zoom.

**PrimeTime (55+) Online Gathering / Wednesday, May 25, 1:00pm** – We gather on Zoom for a time of fellowship. For more details, contact Baleta McKenzie, [BMcKenzie@MarbleChurch.org](mailto:BMcKenzie@MarbleChurch.org). See below for our upcoming Retreat.

**New Small Groups – Tell Us Your Story, We Will Listen / Tuesdays, Wednesdays or Thursdays, thru June 2; For the Beauty of the Earth / Mondays, May 16 - June 6.** For details and to sign up, visit [MarbleChurch.org](http://MarbleChurch.org).

**Caregivers Support Group / First Saturday of Month, 1:00-3:00pm** – Learn how to balance your life and be a Caregiver with new strength and vitality. Led by Rev. Marion Gambardella. Contact Judy Tulin, [JTulin@MarbleChurch.org](mailto:JTulin@MarbleChurch.org).

**Separation & Divorce Support Group / Beginning Late May** – If you are in need of emotional support and guidance as you navigate the difficult transition of separation or divorce, you are invited to join this group led by Dr. Bill Lutz. Meets weekly; day/time tba. To participate, please email Judy Tulin, [JTulin@MarbleChurch.org](mailto:JTulin@MarbleChurch.org).

**From Strength to Strength: Prayers for Our Church / Thursdays, May 26 & June 23, 12:15-12:30pm** – Pray for the Marble Community as we move forward with hope and faith. Led by Rev. Brittany Juliette Hanlin and the Marble Prayer Ministry Team via Zoom.

**PrimeTime (55+) Retreat / Friday, June 17 - Sunday, June 19** – Dr. Elise Brown and Sister Carol Perry help us explore how to immerse ourselves in the NOW of our life. All are welcome to join us for this time to reflect, connect and renew at St. Marguerite’s Retreat House, Mendham, NJ. Saturday day trip only also available. Contact Baleta McKenzie.

### HELP OTHERS



**Marble Fights Hunger** – We encourage you to bring canned/bottled food whenever you come to Marble. Donations benefit organizations including Icahn House. Drop-off bins in 5th Ave Narthex or 29th St Prayer Room.

**Prayer Shawl Ministry / Monday, May 16, 5:00pm** – Gather for prayer and creating together via Zoom to knit/crochet prayer shawls for the ill or homebound. Contact Judy Tulin ([JTulin@MarbleChurch.org](mailto:JTulin@MarbleChurch.org)). 1st & 3rd Mondays.

## Spotlight



### 10:00 O'CLOCK HOUR

#### Faith in the Workplace – TODAY & Sunday, May 22

How do we live as people of faith in challenging work environments? How do we seek God's guidance so our work reflects spiritual integrity? Hear Marble members and friends explore how their faith "shows up" in their work.

**Today – Hope Knight**, appointed as Commissioner of the Department of Economic Development and President and CEO of Empire State Development (ESD) by Governor Kathy Hochul.

**May 22 – Dan Nigro**, recently retired Commissioner of the New York City Fire Department.

Join us in the Labyrinth Room (*downstairs; limited capacity*) and online.



### ONLINE TEA TIME WITH KIM & SIOBHAN

#### Wednesday, May 18, 1:00pm

Enjoy a **virtual African Safari** from the comfort of your own home! Register at [MarbleChurch.org](https://MarbleChurch.org) by May 17.

## SUNDAY, MAY 22

### Asian American/Pacific Islander Focused Worship

#### 11:00am, Sanctuary & Online

As violence against our Asian and Pacific Islander siblings continues, let us join in prayer and commitment to being part of stopping these ongoing crimes of violence and abuse. We are the body of Christ and when one member of the body suffers, we all suffer. AAPI members and friends of Marble help lead this service.

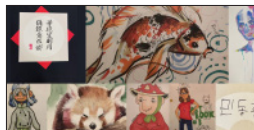


### Marble Racial Justice Series Talk Back

#### 12:15pm, Sanctuary & Online

After Worship, stay in the Sanctuary or online for this conversation and hear ways we can be part of the solution and see advocacy and engagement as part of our call to be disciples of Christ at work in the world. **With special**

**guest Dr. Tara Hyun Kyung Chung**, Associate Professor, Ecumenical Studies at Union Theological Seminary.



### The Asian Experience Art Exhibit, through May

View the first art exhibit at Marble celebrating Asian American and Pacific Islander Heritage Month. Sponsored by the Arts Ministry, this exhibit features artists from children to adults, and is located on the Wall of Hope, Inspiration, and Healing outside the Labyrinth Room (*downstairs*) and also online at [MarbleChurch.org/engage/arts-ministry](https://MarbleChurch.org/engage/arts-ministry).



### THE GATHERING: MIDWEEK WORSHIP

#### Pride – A Celebration for the Whole Church

#### Wednesday, June 1, 6:15pm, Live, Sanctuary & Online

During the service, there is a blessing of sections of the AIDS Quilt from the National AIDS Memorial in San Francisco hanging in the Sanctuary throughout June and a memorial slideshow to honor those who died of AIDS. Message by Rev. Brittany Juliette Hanlin. We also celebrate the 30th anniversary of GIFTS, Marble Church's LGBTQ+ Fellowship.

Please email Don Piper, [DPiper@MarbleChurch.org](mailto:DPiper@MarbleChurch.org), a digital photo of a person you wish to honor in the slideshow **no later than Wednesday, May 25**. If you don't have photos you may submit up to two names.



### MEMBERSHIP MATTERS

The need to belong, to navigate these uncertain times with others, is essential to our well-being. If you'd like to deepen your connection, join the Marble Family. Whoever you are, wherever you are in your faith journey, wherever you live – we invite you to take that step and journey forward with us!

### MEMBERSHIP ORIENTATION SESSIONS – Sundays, June 5 & 12, after Worship

Whether local or online, please contact Kim Sebastian-Ryan, [KRyan@MarbleChurch.org](mailto:KRyan@MarbleChurch.org). We'd love to have you join us!



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## I OFFER MY LIFE

Claire Cloninger & Don Moen



1. All that I am, all that I have, I lay them down be-fore you,  
2. Things in the past, things yet un-seen, wishes and dreams that are yet.



— O Lord; All my re - grets, all my ac - claim, the  
— to come true; All of my hopes, all of my plans, my



joy and the pain, I'm mak - ing them Yours. —  
heart and my hands are lift - ed to You. —

### Refrain



Lord, I of-fer my life — to You, ev-erything I've — been through,



use it for your glo - ry; Lord, I of-fer my days — to You, lift-ing my praise



— to You as a pleasing sac-ri-fice, — Lord, I of-fer You my — life.

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### IF YOU NEED HELP – PLEASE REACH OUT

**Marble's Stephen Ministers** may be able to help you with spiritual/emotional support in difficult times. Email: [StephenMinistry@MarbleChurch.org](mailto:StephenMinistry@MarbleChurch.org)

**The Marble Prayer Ministry Team** is here to pray for you. Submit requests on bottom of any page at [MarbleChurch.org](http://MarbleChurch.org).

**Blanton-Peale Counseling Center** – 212-725-7850, [blantonpeale.org](http://blantonpeale.org)

**National Suicide Prevention Lifeline** – 800-273-8255, available 24 hours

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