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Welcome to University of Richmond Chorus
James Erb, Director

We are especially happy to welcome the University of Richmond Chorus to our church for a service in sacred music. The members of the Chorus are carefully chosen from the student body. In addition to musical ability, they are chosen for their general good character and seriousness of purpose. The Chorus has appeared frequently in and out of Virginia in churches, schools, on radio, records, and television.

Paul J. Harrell, Pastor

4739 N. Dittmar Road

March 16, 1958
MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH
Paul J. Harrell, Pastor
EVENING WORSHIP: 7:50 P.M.

Prelude: Sonata No. 1 (1937) . . . . . . . . . Paul Hindemith
Suzanne Kidd, Organist (1895-·)

Hymn No. 6
Prayer
Welcome and announcements

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O Lord, Increase My Faith . . . . . . . . . Orlando Gibbons (1583-1625)

O Lord, increase my faith; strengthen me and
confirm me in thy true faith; endue me with
wisdom, charity, and patience, in all my ad­
versities; sweet Jesus, say Amen.

Almighty and Everlasting God . . . . . . . Orlando Gibbons

Almighty and everlasting God, mercifully look
upon our infirmities, and in all our dangers and
necessities stretch forth thy right hand to help
and defend us, through Jesus Christ our Lord,
Amen.

Soul of Jesus . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . Anton Heiller (1923-)

Soul of Jesus, sanctify me; Flesh of Jesus, O
save thou me; Blood of Jesus, give drink to me;
Flood from the side of Jesus, wash thou me;
Pain of Jesus, strengthen me. O kindliest Jesus,
O hear thou me!

Conceal within thy wounds thou me, O never let
me part from thee; From the Evil protect thou
me; And when my death doth come, do call thou
me, And say that I shall come to thee; That I may
sing in praise of thee; with all thy saints
eternally, Amen.
Jesu, Dulcis Memoria (in Latin) ..... Tomas Luis de Victoria (1535-1611)

Jesus, the very thought of thee
With sweetness fills the breast,
But sweeter far thy face to see,
And in thy presence rest.

Scripture Reading: 1 Timothy 15-17

Das ist je gewisslich wahr (sung in German) ...
Heinrich Schuetz
(1585-1672)

I. Timothy 15-17, King James Version:

This is a faithful saying, and worthy of all acceptation, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners; of whom I am chief.

Howbeit for this cause I obtained mercy, that in me first Christ Jesus might show forth all longsuffering, for a pattern to them which should hereafter believe on Him to life everlasting.

Now unto the King eternal, immortal, invisible, the only wise God, be honour and glory for ever and ever. Amen

Hymn No. 400
Prayer and Offering
Offertory: Voluntary No. 1 .............. John Stanley
(1713-1786)

Suzanne Kidd, Organist
O Mary, Where Is Your Baby? .......Kentucky Mountain Tune; Arr. Arthur Frackenpohl

Read in the Gospel of Mathayew,  
The Gospel of Luke and John,  
Read in the Gospel and learn the news,  
How the li'l boy child was born.  
Read about Mary and Joseph come,  
A-riding on a donkey from far,  
Slept in a stable of Bethlehem,  
Where the shepherds all seen the star.

Refrain:
O Mary, where is your baby?  
They done took him from the manger  
And carried him to the throne.  
Read about the elders and the Hebrew priest,  
A-sittin' in the tabernacle hall,  
Standin' in-a wonder at the words they heard  
From a li'l boy child so small.  
O li'l boy, how old you is?  
Tell me, if you let it be told.  
O li'l boy, how old you is?  
"I ain't but twelve years old."  
(refrain)

Calvary  .......................  Negro Spiritual  
Arr. Robert Shaw

Ev'ry time I think about Jesus,  
Surely he died on Calvary.

Lost in the Night ............... F. M. Christiansen  
(1871-1952)

Lost in the night doth the heathen yet languish  
Longing for morning the darkness to vanquish,  
Plaintively heaving a sigh full of anguish,  
Christ is coming soon, He is coming soon.
Lost in the Night--
Sorrowing brother in darkness yet dwelling,
Dawned has the day of a radiance excelling,
Death's dreaded darkness forever dispelling,
Christ is coming soon, He is coming soon.

Light o'er the land of the heathen is beaming,
Rivers of life through its deserts are streaming,
Millions yet sigh for the Savior redeeming,
He is coming soon.

Must we be vainly awaiting the morrow?
Shall we no light and no comfort him borrow?
Giving no heed to His burden of sorrow:
He is coming soon.

Love is Come Again .......... Norman spring carol,
Arr. Martin Shaw

1. Now the green blade riseth from the buried grain,
Wheat that in dark earth many days has lain;
Love lives again, that with the dead has been:

Love is come again,
Like wheat that springeth green.

2. In the grave they laid him, Love whom men had slain
Thinking that never he would wake again
Laid in the earth like grain that sleeps unseen:

(refrain)

3. Forth he came at Easter, like the risen grain,
He that for three days in the grave had lain,
Quick from the dead my risen Lord is seen:

(refrain)

4. When our hearts are wintry, grieving, or in pain,
Thy touch can call us back to life again,
Fields of our hearts that dead and bare have been:

(refrain)

My Shepherd will supply my need,
    Jehovah is his Name.
In pastures fresh he makes me feed
    beside the living stream
He brings my wand'ring spirit back
    when I forsake his ways
He leads me for his mercy's sake
    in paths of truth and grace
When I walk through the shades of death
    thy presence is my stay.
One word of thy supporting breath
    drives all my fears away.
Thy hand, in sight of all my foes,
    doth still my table spread
My cup with blessings overflows,
    thine oil anoints my head
The sure provisions of my God
    attend me all my days
O may thy house be my abode and
    all my work be praise.
There would I find a settled rest,
    while others go and come
No more a stranger or a guest
    but like a child at home.

Meditation ..................... Rev. Paul J. Harrell
Hymn No. 257
Benediction (Congregation seated)
Choral Response: God Be In My Head ..... Davies

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