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FOUNDED 1665

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November Twenty-fourth
Nineteen Hundred Seven



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Now go, write it before them on
a tablet, and teach the it in a book,
that it may be for the time to come
for ever and ever.

Isaiah xxx : 8.



THE FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

THE THIRD CHURCH IN BOSTON

Sunday Morning, 10.30

Henry Dunster—In Memoriam

The Noble Army of Martyrs Praise Thee

The service this morning is of the nature of a Memorial, for which a special order of exercises has been prepared. Henry Dunster was the first President of Harvard College. Coming to hold certain teachings of the Baptists, he was compelled, for conscience' sake, to resign his high office. One accepting such teachings was not to be tolerated as president of the college. Had he lived it is believed by many that he would have been the natural choice of this church for its first minister. The Memorial Tablet is presented by descendants of Dunster by the name of Whittemore.

The answer of Dunster to the Court when under indictment "for disturbing the ordinance of infant baptism in the Cambridge church" :

"But for the matter, I conceived then, and so do still, that I spake the truth in the feare of God, and dare not deny the same or go from it untill the Lord otherwise teach me, and this I pray the Honored Court to take for mine Answer."

From the Church Calendar for the day,
November twenty-fourth, nineteen hundred and seven.

Order of Service



ORGAN PRELUDE

Meditation — Salome

DOXOLOGY AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

ANTHEM THE CHOIR

Blest are the departed who in the Lord are sleeping,
from henceforth for evermore; they rest
from their labours, and their works follow them.
— From Spohr's "Last Judgment."

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PRAYER . . . The Reverend CEPHAS B. CRANE, D.D.,
MINISTER OF THE CHURCH, 1878-1884

HYMN 614 CONGREGATION
For all the Saints who from their labors rest

OFFERTORY

ADDRESS OF PRESENTATION

The Reverend G. H. WHITTEMORE

UNVEILING OF THE TABLET

RESPONSE FOR THE CHURCH

The Reverend FRANCIS H. ROWLEY, D.D.,
MINISTER

ADDRESS DAVID G. LYON, D.D.,
HOLLIS PROFESSOR OF DIVINITY, HARVARD UNIVERSITY

ADDRESS . . . The Reverend NATHAN E. WOOD, D.D.,
PRESIDENT OF THE NEWTON THEOLOGICAL INSTITUTION

PRAYER, RESPONSE AND BEDICTION

ORGAN POSTLUDE

Elegy — Silas

