

Welcome to Christ Church Parish (Episcopal) April 17, 2022 – 10:00 a.m. The Sunday of the Resurrection: EASTER SUNDAY

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## THE HOLY EUCHARIST: Rite ||

Prelude

"Trumpet Voluntary" "Lo in the Grave He Lay" "Jesus Christ is risen today"

John Stanley Robert Lowry

**Processional Hymn 207** 

*Celebrant* Alleluia. Christ is risen.

People The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia.

The Celebrant then continues

Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord. *Amen.* 

#### Gloria (Hymnal S-278)

## PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD OF GOD

Celebrant	The Lord be with you.
People	And also with you.
Celebrant	Let us pray.

#### Collect for Easter Day: (standing)

O God, who for our redemption gave your only-begotten Son to the death of the cross, and by his glorious resurrection delivered us from the power of our enemy: Grant us so to die daily to sin, that we may evermore live with him in the joy of his resurrection; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. *Amen*.

#### First Lesson (sitting)

Peter began to speak to Cornelius and the other Gentiles: "I truly understand that God shows no partiality, but in every nation anyone who fears him and does what is right is acceptable to him. You know the message he sent to the people of Israel, preaching peace by Jesus Christ—he is Lord of all. That message spread throughout Judea, beginning in Galilee after the baptism that John announced: how God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and with power; how he went about doing good and healing all who were oppressed by the devil, for God was with him. We are witnesses to all that he did both in

Acts 10:34-43

Judea and in Jerusalem. They put him to death by hanging him on a tree; but God raised him on the third day and allowed him to appear, not to all the people but to us who were chosen by God as witnesses, and who ate and drank with him after he rose from the dead. He commanded us to preach to the people and to testify that he is the one ordained by God as judge of the living and the dead. All the prophets testify about him that everyone who believes in him receives forgiveness of sins through his name."

After each reading, the reader may say

The Word of the Lord.PeopleThanks be to God.

Psalm 118:1-2, 14-24 (sitting)

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Give thanks to the LORD, for he is good; * his mercy endures for ever.
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Let Israel now proclaim, \*

"His mercy endures for ever."

The LORD is my strength and my song, \* **and he has become my salvation.** 

There is a sound of exultation and victory \* in the tents of the righteous:

"The right hand of the LORD has triumphed! \* the right hand of the LORD is exalted! the right hand of the LORD has triumphed!"

I shall not die, but live, \* and declare the works of the LORD.

The LORD has punished me sorely, \* **but he did not hand me over to death.** 

Open for me the gates of righteousness; \* I will enter them; I will offer thanks to the LORD.

"This is the gate of the LORD; \* he who is righteous may enter."

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I will give thanks to you, for you answered me * and have become my salvation.
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The same stone which the builders rejected \* has become the chief cornerstone.

This is the LORD'S doing, \* **and it is marvelous in our eyes.** 

#### On this day the LORD has acted; \* we will rejoice and be glad in it.

#### The Epistle (sitting)

#### I Corinthians 15:19-26

If for this life only we have hoped in Christ, we are of all people most to be pitied. But in fact Christ has been raised from the dead, the first fruits of those who have died. For since death came through a human being, the resurrection of the dead has also come through a human being; for as all die in Adam, so all will be made alive in Christ. But each in his own order: Christ the first fruits, then at his coming those who belong to Christ. Then comes the end, when he hands over the kingdom to God the Father, after he has destroyed every ruler and every authority and power. For he must reign until he has put all his enemies under his feet. The last enemy to be destroyed is death.

The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

Sequence Hymn 199 "Come, ye faithful, raise the strain"

Then, all standing, the Deacon reads the Gospel, first saying

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John 20:1-18

#### People Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Early on the first day of the week, while it was still dark, Mary Magdalene came to the tomb and saw that the stone had been removed from the tomb. So she ran and went to Simon Peter and the other disciple, the one whom Jesus loved, and said to them, "They have taken the Lord out of the tomb, and we do not know where they have laid him." Then Peter and the other disciple set out and went towards the tomb. The two were running together, but the other disciple outran Peter and reached the tomb first. He bent down to look in and saw the linen wrappings lying there, but he did not go in. Then Simon Peter came, following him, and went into the tomb. He saw the linen wrappings lying there, and the cloth that had been on Jesus' head, not lying with the linen wrappings but rolled up in a place by itself. Then the other disciple, who reached the scripture, that he must rise from the dead. Then the disciples returned to their homes.

But Mary stood weeping outside the tomb. As she wept, she bent over to look into the tomb; and she saw two angels in white, sitting where the body of Jesus had been lying, one at the head and the other at the feet. They said to her, "Woman, why are you weeping?" She said to them, "They have taken away my Lord, and I do not know where they have laid him." When she had said this, she turned round and saw Jesus standing there, but she did not know that it was Jesus. Jesus said to her, "Woman, why are you weeping? For whom are you looking?" Supposing him to be the gardener, she said to him, "Sir, if you have carried him away, tell me where you have laid him, and I will take him away." Jesus said to her, "Mary!" She turned and said to him in Hebrew, "Rabbouni!" (which means Teacher). Jesus said to her, "Do not hold on to me, because I have not yet ascended to the Father. But go to my brothers and say to them, 'I am ascending to my Father and your Father, to my

God and your God." Mary Magdalene went and announced to the disciples, "I have seen the Lord"; and she told them that he had said these things to her.

After the Gospel, the following is said

The Gospel of the Lord.

People Praise to you, Lord Christ.

#### **The Sermon**

The Nicene Creed (standing)

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God. begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father. Through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven: by the power of the Holy Spirit he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary, and was made man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end. We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son. With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified. He has spoken through the Prophets. We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead.

and the life of the world to come. Amen.

Fr. Stuart Clary Wood

#### The Prayers of the People (standing)

In joy and hope let us pray to the Father.

That our risen Savior may fill us and all those that we hold in our prayers with the joy of his glorious and life-giving resurrection ... we pray to the Father.

#### Hear our prayer.

That isolated and persecuted churches may find fresh strength in the Good news of Easter ... we pray to the Father.

#### Hear our prayer.

That God may grant us humility to be subject to one another in Christian love ... we pray to the Father.

#### Hear our prayer.

That he may provide for those who lack food, work or shelter ... we pray to the Father.

#### Hear our prayer.

That by his power war and famine may cease through all the world, we pray especially for the people of Ukraine ... we pray to the Father.

#### Hear our prayer.

That he may reveal the light of his presence to the sick, the weak and the dying, to comfort and strengthen them ... we pray to the Father.

#### Hear our prayer.

That, according to his promises, all who have died in the faith of the resurrection may be raised on the last day ... we pray to the Father.

#### Hear our prayer.

That he may send the fire of the Holy Spirit upon his people, so that we may bear faithful witness to his resurrection, we pray to the Father.

#### Hear our prayer.

Heavenly Father, you have delivered us from the power of darkness and brought us into the kingdom of your Son: grant that, as his death has recalled us to life, so his continual presence in us may raise us to eternal joy; through Christ our Lord. **Amen.** 

#### Confession of Sin (kneeling)

#### The Deacon says

Christ our passover lamb has been sacrificed for us. Let us therefore rejoice by putting away all malice and evil and confessing our sins with a sincere and true heart.

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

Silence may be kept. Minister and People

Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your Name. Amen.

#### The Priest, stands and says

Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. *Amen*.

#### The Peace (standing)

*Celebrant* The risen Christ came and stood among his disciples and said, 'Peace be with you.' Then were they glad when they saw the Lord. Alleluia. The peace of the Lord be always with you.

#### *People* And also with you.

Then the Ministers and People may greet one another in the name of the Lord.

Announcements (sitting)

### THE CELEBRATION OF THE HOLY COMMUNION

Offertory"Glory to the Risen Lord"Mark PattersonCelebrantBlessed are you, Lord God of all creation.<br/>In your loving care you spread before us the table of life<br/>and give us the cup of salvation to drink.<br/>Keep us always in the fold of our Savior and our Shepherd,<br/>your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord.

People Blessed be God for ever.

#### The Great Thanksgiving: Prayer A

The people remain standing. The Celebrant faces them and sings



Then, facing the Altar, the Celebrant proceeds

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.

But chiefly are we bound to praise you for the glorious resurrection of your Son Jesus Christ our Lord; for he is the true Paschal Lamb, who was sacrificed for us, and has taken away the sin of the world. By his death he has destroyed death, and by his rising to life again he has won for us everlasting life.

Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and

Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

Sanctus (Hymnal S-128)

Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes inn the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

The people remain standing; and the Celebrant continues

Holy and gracious Father: In your infinite love you made us for yourself; and, when we had fallen into sin and become subject to evil and death, you, in your mercy, sent Jesus Christ, your only and eternal Son, to share our human nature, to live and die as one of us, to reconcile us to you, the God and Father of all.

He stretched out his arms upon the cross, and offered himself in obedience to your will, a perfect sacrifice for the whole world.

On the night he was handed over to suffering and death, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

Celebrant and People

#### Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.

#### The Celebrant continues

We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O Father, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving. Recalling his death, resurrection, and ascension, we offer you these gifts.

Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of your Son, the holy food and drink of new and unending life in him. Sanctify us also that we may faithfully receive this holy Sacrament, and serve you in unity, constancy, and peace; and at the last day bring us with all your saints into the joy of your eternal kingdom.

All this we ask through your Son Jesus Christ. By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever. *AMEN*.

And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,

People and Celebrant

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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.

#### The Breaking of the Bread

The Celebrant breaks the consecrated Bread. A period of silence is kept. Then may be sung the Fraction Hymn

#### Fraction (Hymnal S-152)

Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us; **Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.** 

Facing the people, the Celebrant says the following Invitation

The Gifts of God for the People of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

The ministers receive the Sacrament in both kinds, and then immediately deliver it to the people.

[All Baptized persons are invited to receive communion at this time, and if you are not baptized, you may come forward and receive a blessing.]

The Bread and the Cup are given to the communicants with these words

The Body (Blood) of our Lord Jesus Christ keep you in everlasting life. [*Amen.*]

or with these words

The Body of Christ, the bread of heaven. [*Amen.*] The Blood of Christ, the cup of salvation. [*Amen.*]

Communion Hymns210 "The day of resurrection"179 "Welcome, happy morning! age to age shall say"178 "Alleluia, alleluia! Give thanks to the risen Lord"

#### The Prayer of Thanksgiving (kneeling)

After Communion, the Celebrant says

Let us pray.

Celebrant and People

#### Loving God,

we give you thanks for restoring us in your image and nourishing us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of Christ's Body and Blood. Now send us forth a people, forgiven, healed, renewed; that we may proclaim your redeeming love to the world

## and continue in the risen life of Christ our Savior. Amen.

#### The Easter Blessing: (kneeling)

God the Father, by whose love Christ was raised from the dead, open to you who believe the gates of everlasting life. *Amen.* God the Son, who in bursting from the grave has won a glorious victory, give you joy as you share the Easter faith. *Amen.* God the Holy Spirit, who filled the disciples with the life of the risen Lord, empower you and fill you with Christ's peace. *Amen.* 

And the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be upon you and remain with you for ever. *Amen.* 

**Recessional Hymn 205** *"Good Christians all, rejoice and sing"* 

The people are dismissed with these words

He is not here. He is risen.

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord. Alleluia, alleluia.

*People* In the name of Christ. Amen. Alleluia, alleluia.

Postlude

"Intrada"

Grayson Ives

#### **Birthdays**

Susie Loustaunau 4/19, Homer Hartung 4/20, and Nicole Davis 4/23

#### Anniversaries

Buddy & Bobbie Wyker 4/21

Please remember in your prayers this week the candidates for the election of our 14<sup>th</sup> Diocesan Bishop and in our Diocesan Cycle of Prayer we pray for all Altar Guilds, Flowers Guilds, Ushers, Lectors, Lay Eucharistic Ministers, Acolytes, and Choirs.

# The mid-week Eucharist will not be celebrated on April 20<sup>th</sup> or 27<sup>th</sup> but will resume on May 4<sup>th</sup>.

Participants in the service		
Officiant / Sermon	the Rev. Stuart Clary Wood	
Deacon	the Rev. Deacon Peg Moncure	
Crucifer / Acolyte	Robin Wells	
Gospel Book Bearer / Interc	essor / Eucharistic Minister Ann Padgett	
Eucharistic Minister	Dave Wilcox	
Lector	Diane Martin	
Verger	Grace Parker	
Ushers	Miles Libby & Sharon Colston	
Organist	Debbie Davis	
The Choir		
Altar Guild	Virginia Miller, Sallie Wells, Jody Anglin,	
	Pat Anderson, & Sharon Colston	
The Flower Guild Team		
Tech Team	Greg Grichtmeier, Ann de Peyster, Mike Floyd, Mike Gorin Jeff Loustaunau, Robin Wells & Jack Fackler	,

#### Easter Lilies are Given to The Glory of God

#### In Memory of

Sally Libbey, Edward Colston & Our Parents Ronald Orval Kirk and Sasha Kirk-de Peyster Lelia Dudley Mr. & Mrs. William P. Jones, Jr. John F. & Jean McClelland and Adm. (Ret.) Charles B. & Margaret Brook Rose Marie & Clyde Roettger and Elizabeth & Marion Moncure and Sally Anne & George Faulknier The Montague Family Jack & Yvonne Mulligan Mr. & Mrs. R.W. Turner Mr. & Mrs. William H. Schacht Karen Stebbins Jordan E. Wood

**In Honor of** Hannah, Christopher, & Somer

#### Given by

Sharon Colston & Miles Libbey Ann de Peyster & Michael Kirk Jim & Lydia Dudley Mrs. Robert L. Erdman Jeff & Pam McClelland

Peg & Henry Moncure

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#### Given by

Bev Hart

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Christ Church Parish Mission Statement

We are a family of faith, growing in Christ through worship, learning, and service, who strive to love God and to love our neighbors as ourselves.