



ALL SAINTS
EPISCOPAL CHURCH

The Fourth Sunday of Easter

May 8, 2022
10 a.m.

Once you enter the church, please maintain the silence before the liturgy begins. In the Episcopal tradition, we use this time to pray, reflect, and prepare for worship. This bulletin contains our service for today, with the congregation's prayers and responses in bold. Hymnals are the blue books. The + symbol indicates an appropriate time to make the sign of the Cross. Many people bow while saying the italicized words in the Nicene Creed and when the Name of Jesus is said.

These practices are not required, and they are noted as a convenience for those who choose to observe them.

Please ensure that your mobile devices are turned to silent mode before the service begins.

Our service is live-streamed to the All Saints' Facebook page as well as the All Saints' YouTube channel. By attending this service you consent to the audio/video recording and its release and publication.

PRELUDE

Jenanne Solberg

Please stand at the ringing of the bell.

OPENING ACCLAMATION

BCP 355

Celebrant Alleluia. Christ is risen.

People **The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia.**

PROCESSIONAL HYMN *Glorious things of thee are spoken* Hymnal #522

THE COLLECT FOR PURITY

BCP 355

Celebrant 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.**

SUMMARY OF THE LAW

Matthew 22:37-40

Hear what our Lord *Jesus* Christ tells us: “‘You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your mind.’ This is the greatest and first commandment. And a second is like it: ‘You shall love your neighbor as yourself.’ On these two commandments hang all the law and the prophets.”

THE GLORIA

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1. Glo - ry to God in the high - est, and
 peace to his peo - ple on earth. 2. Lord God, heaven - ly
 King, al - mighty God and Fa - ther, we wor - ship you, we
 give you thanks, we praise you for your glo - ry. 3. Lord Je - sus

Christ, on - ly Son of the Fa-ther, Lord God, Lamb of God, 4. you
 take a - way the sin of the world: have mer - cy
 on us; 5. you are seat - ed at the right hand of the Fa-ther: re -
 ceive our prayer. 6. For you a - lone are the Ho - ly One,
 you a - lone are the Lord, 7. you a - lone are the Most
 High, Je - sus Christ, with the Ho - ly Spi - rit, in the
 glo - ry of God the Fa - ther. A - men.

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Celebrant Let us pray.

THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

BCP 225

Celebrant O God, whose Son Jesus is the good shepherd of your people: Grant that when we hear his voice we may know him who calls us each by name, and follow where he leads; who, with you and the Holy Spirit, lives and reigns, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

FIRST READING

ACTS 9:36-43

³⁶Now in Joppa there was a disciple whose name was Tabitha, which in Greek is Dorcas. She was devoted to good works and acts of charity. ³⁷At that time she became ill and died. When they had washed her, they laid her in a room upstairs. ³⁸Since Lydda was near Joppa, the disciples, who heard that Peter was there, sent two men to him with the request, "Please come to us without delay." ³⁹So Peter got up and went with them; and when he arrived, they took him to the room upstairs. All the widows stood beside him, weeping and showing tunics and other clothing that Dorcas had made while she was with them. ⁴⁰Peter put all of them outside, and then he knelt down and prayed. He turned to the body and said, "Tabitha, get up." Then she opened her eyes, and seeing Peter, she sat up. ⁴¹He gave her his hand and helped her up. Then calling the saints and widows, he showed her to be alive. ⁴²This became known throughout Joppa, and many believed in the Lord. ⁴³Meanwhile he stayed in Joppa for some time with a certain Simon, a tanner.

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

PSALM: 23

¹The LORD is my shepherd; *

I shall not be in want.

²He makes me lie down in green pastures *

and leads me beside still waters.

³He revives my soul *

and guides me along right pathways for his Name's sake.

⁴Though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death,

I shall fear no evil; *

for you are with me;

your rod and your staff, they comfort me.

⁵You spread a table before me in the presence of those who trouble me; *

you have anointed my head with oil,

and my cup is running over.

⁶Surely your goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life, *

and I will dwell in the house of the LORD for ever.

⁹I looked, and there was a great multitude that no one could count, from every nation, from all tribes and peoples and languages, standing before the throne and before the Lamb, robed in white, with palm branches in their hands. ¹⁰They cried out in a loud voice, saying,

“Salvation belongs to our God who is seated on the throne, and to the Lamb!”

¹¹And all the angels stood around the throne and around the elders and the four living creatures, and they fell on their faces before the throne and worshiped God, ¹²singing,

“Amen! Blessing and glory and wisdom
and thanksgiving and honor
and power and might
be to our God forever and ever! Amen.”

¹³Then one of the elders addressed me, saying, “Who are these, robed in white, and where have they come from?” ¹⁴I said to him, “Sir, you are the one that knows.” Then he said to me, “These are they who have come out of the great ordeal; they have washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the Lamb.

¹⁵For this reason they are before the throne of God,
and worship him day and night within his temple,
and the one who is seated on the throne will shelter them.

¹⁶They will hunger no more, and thirst no more;
the sun will not strike them,
nor any scorching heat;

¹⁷for the Lamb at the center of the throne will be their shepherd,
and he will guide them to springs of the water of life,
and God will wipe away every tear from their eyes.”

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

Please stand

SEQUENCE HYMN *My Shepherd will supply my need*

Hymnal #664

Reader The Holy Gospel of our Lord *Jesus* Christ
according to Saint John.

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

²²At that time the festival of the Dedication took place in Jerusalem. It was winter, ²³and Jesus was walking in the temple, in the portico of Solomon. ²⁴So the Jews gathered around him and said to him, “How long will you keep us in suspense? If you are the Messiah, tell us plainly.” ²⁵Jesus answered, “I have told you, and you do not believe. The works that I do in my Father’s name testify to me; ²⁶but you do not believe, because you do not belong to my sheep. ²⁷My sheep hear my voice. I know them, and they follow me. ²⁸I give them eternal life, and they will never perish. No one will snatch them out of my hand. ²⁹What my Father has given me is greater than all else, and no one can snatch it out of the Father’s hand. ³⁰The Father and I are one.”

Reader The Gospel of the Lord.

People **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

THE SERMON

the Rev’d Charlie Knuth

THE NICENE CREED *Please stand*

BCP 358

**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.

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

The American Grey Book - 26

(Standing or kneeling)

V. O Lord our God, Master of our lives, entering into your glory by the cross, to whom all authority is given, both in heaven and on earth, we acknowledge your sovereignty over every realm of life. Come, O Lord, enter into your kingdom and subdue the world by the might of your love.

R. Blessing and honor be yours, for ever and ever.

V. O Son of Mary,

R. Consecrate our homes.

V. Son of David,

R. Cleanse our politics.

V. Son of Man,

R. Rule the affairs of nations.

V. Son of God,

R. Give us eternal life.

V. Jesus the Carpenter,
R. Hallow our daily work.

V. Jesus the Christ,
R. Deliver a world which waits for you.

V. Jesus the Savior,
R. Save us from ourselves.

V. Jesus the Life-giver,
R. Renew your Church.

V. Word of God,
R. Perfect your creation.

V. Lord exalted at the Father's side,
R. Raise us to live with you in God.

V. At this time we bid your prayers, intercessions, and thanksgivings, either silently or aloud. Today we pray especially for Kat, Sarah, Sam, Joe, Kandy, Sherry, Debbie, Sarah, Betty, Thelma, Dallas, Tom, Homer, Sarah, Wayne, Mark, Jane, Jenny, Krista, Tammy, Jerry, Jessica, Cheryl, Bob, Jill, and John.

Silence

V. May the power and glory of your love be known and adored to all ends of the earth;

R. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and for ever.

CONCLUDING COLLECT

Celebrant Almighty God, to whom our needs are known before we ask: Help us to ask only what accords with your will; and those good things which we dare not, or in our blindness cannot ask, grant us for the sake of your Son Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

THE PEACE

BCP 360

Celebrant The Peace of the Lord be always with you.
People **And also with you.**

ANNOUNCEMENTS

heaven and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho -

san - na in the high - est. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho -

san - na in the high - est. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

The people stand or kneel.

Celebrant 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.

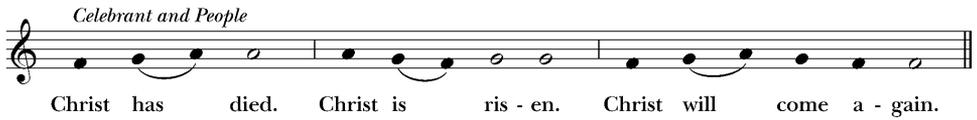
He stretched out his arms upon the cross, and offered himself in obedience to your will, a perfect sacrifice for the whole world.

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.” +

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Celebrant
There - fore we pro - claim the mys - ter - y of faith:



Celebrant 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.**

THE LORD'S PRAYER

BCP 364

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

**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.**

FRACTION ANTHEM

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This setting is not used in Lent.

Antiphon

Cantor; then All



The dis - ci - ples knew the Lord Je - sus in the break - ing of the bread.



1. The bread which we break, al - le - lu - ia,



is the com - mun - ion of the bo - dy of Christ. [Ant.]



2. One bo - dy are we, al - le - lu - ia,



for though man - y we share one bread. [Ant.]

COMMUNION

All baptized Christians, regardless of age or denomination, are invited to receive Communion in The Episcopal Church. Gluten-free wafers are available for those who need them. Those who do not wish to receive Communion may come to the altar rail and cross their arms in front of their chest to receive a blessing.

COMMUNION HYMN *Holy God, we praise thy Name*

Hymnal #366

THE POSTCOMMUNION PRAYER

BCP 366

(Standing or kneeling)

**Almighty and everliving God,
we thank you for feeding us with the spiritual food
of the most precious Body and Blood
of your Son our Savior *Jesus* Christ;
and for assuring us in these holy mysteries
that we are living members of the Body of your Son,
and heirs of your eternal kingdom.**

**And now, Father, send us out
to do the work you have given us to do,
to love and serve you
as faithful witnesses of Christ our Lord.
To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit,
be honor and glory, now and for ever. Amen.**

THE BLESSING

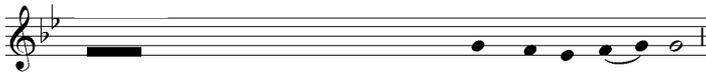
Please stand

RECESSIONAL HYMN *Savior, like a shepherd lead us*

Hymnal #708

THE DISMISSAL

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Let us go forth in the name of Christ, al - le - lu - ia,



al - le - lu - ia.



Thanks be to God, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

POSTLUDE

Jenanne Solberg

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Last weeks altar flowers were given to the Glory of God from Marsha Gifford in loving memory of Porter..

Today's altar flowers are given to the Glory of God by Ronnie Budge & Brenda Guiltner in loving memory of their mother and grandmother, Berta Clissold.

Prayer List: Kat, Sarah, Sam, Joe, Kandy, Sherry, Debbie, Sarah, Betty, Thelma, Dallas, Tom, Homer, Sarah, Wayne, Mark, Jane, Jenny, Krista, Tammy, Jerry, Jessica, Cheryl, Bob, Jill, and John.

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