

THE SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION

April 9, 2023
St. George's Church
Glenn Dale Parish
The Episcopal Diocese of Washington

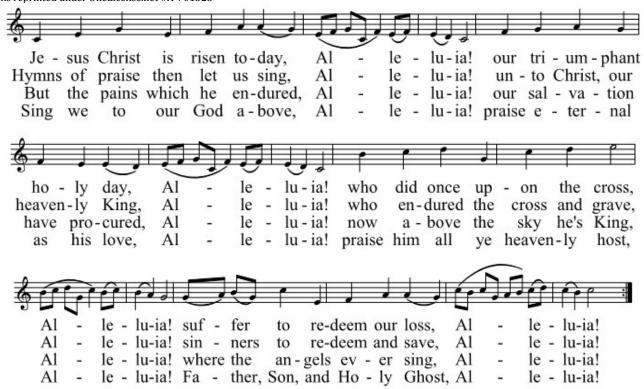
A Note to Visitors and Newcomers

Welcome to St. George's! If you are new or visiting, we are especially glad to see you this morning, whether in person or virtually. This service booklet has the prayers and hymns needed for your participation in today's service. Wherever you are in your journey, know that you are welcome here.

Prelude: Thine is the Glory

Opening Hymn: Hymnal 1982 #207 Jesus Christ is Risen Today

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Celebrant: Alleluia. Christ is Risen!

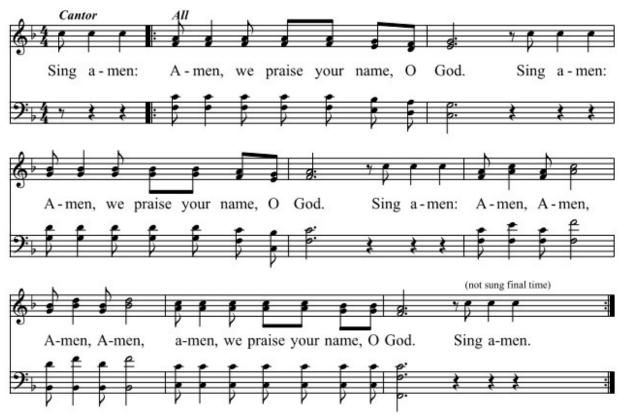
People: The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia!

All pray together:

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*.

My Heart Sings Out #34 Amen, we praise your name

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The Collect of the Day

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

God of new creation, from the womb of earth you raised the Lord of life: may we receive the word of women who braved the soldier's spears and met him in the dawning light; may we live with morning joy that love will never die, through Jesus Christ, the resurrection and the life. Amen.

Jeremiah 31:1-6

At that time, says the LORD, I will be the God of all the families of Israel, and they shall be my people. Thus says the LORD:

The people who survived the sword found grace in the wilderness;

when Israel sought for rest,

the LORD appeared to him from far away.

I have loved you with an everlasting love; therefore I have continued my faithfulness to you.

Again I will build you, and you shall be built, O virgin Israel!

Again you shall take your tambourines, and go forth in the dance of the merrymakers.

Again you shall plant vineyards on the mountains of Samaria;

the planters shall plant, and shall enjoy the fruit.

For there shall be a day when sentinels will call in the hill country of Ephraim:

"Come, let us go up to Zion, to the LORD our God."

The Word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.

Psalm 118: 1-2, 14-24

We give thanks to you O Lord for you are gracious: and your love endures forever.

Let the house of Israel say: **God's love endures forever.**

The Lord is my strength and my defense: **and has become my deliverer.**

There are shouts of joy and deliverance in the tents of the righteous:

the right hand of the Lord does mighty things.

I shall not die but live: and proclaim what the Lord has done.

The Lord indeed has tempered me: but did not give me over to death.

Open to me the gates of the temple: that I may enter and give thanks to the Lord.

This is the gate of the Lord: through which the righteous shall enter.

I will thank you because you have answered me: and you have become my deliverer.

The stone which the builders rejected: has become the chief cornerstone.

This is the Lord's doing: and it is marvelous in our eyes.

This is the day which the Lord has made: let us rejoice and be glad in it.

Gospel Hymn: Gather #205 Halle, Halle, Halle

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Celebrant: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew.

People: Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Matthew 28:1-10

After the sabbath, as the first day of the week was dawning, Mary Magdalene and the other Mary went to see the tomb. And suddenly there was a great earthquake; for an angel of the Lord, descending from heaven, came and rolled back the stone and sat on it. His appearance was like lightning, and his clothing white as snow. For fear of him the guards shook and became like dead men. But the angel said to the women, "Do not be afraid; I know that you are looking for Jesus who was crucified. He is not here; for he has been raised, as he said. Come, see the place where he lay. Then go quickly and tell his disciples, 'He has been raised from the dead, and indeed he is going ahead of you to Galilee; there you will see him.' This is my message for you." So they left the tomb quickly with fear and great joy, and ran to tell his disciples. Suddenly Jesus met them and said, "Greetings!" And they came to him, took hold of his feet, and worshiped him. Then Jesus said to them, "Do not be afraid; go and tell my brothers to go to Galilee; there they will see me."

The Gospel of the Lord. Praise to you, Lord Christ.

The Sermon: The Rev. Connie Reinhardt



The Celebrant addresses the people and says: Through the Paschal mystery, dear friends, we are buried with Christ by Baptism into his death, and raised with him to newness of life. I call upon you, therefore, now that our Lenten observance is ended, to renew the solemn promises and vows of Holy Baptism, by which we once renounced Satan and all his works, and promised to serve God faithfully in God's holy Catholic Church.

The Renewal of Baptismal Vows

Celebrant: Do you reaffirm your renunciation of evil and renew your commitment to Jesus

Christ?

People: I do.

Celebrant: Do you believe in God the Father?

People: I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

Celebrant: Do you believe in Jesus Christ, the Son of God?

People: I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord.

He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the Virgin Mary.

He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried.

He descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again.

He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

He will come again to judge the living and the dead.

Celebrant: Do you believe in God the Holy Spirit?

People: I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints,

the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting.

Celebrant: Will you continue in the apostles' teaching and fellowship, in the breaking of bread,

and in the prayers?

People: I will, with God's help.

Celebrant: Will you persevere in resisting evil, and, whenever you fall into sin, repent and

return to the Lord?

People: I will, with God's help.

Celebrant: Will you proclaim by word and example the Good News of God in Christ?

People: I will, with God's help.

Celebrant: Will you seek and serve Christ in all persons, loving your neighbor as yourself?

People: I will, with God's help.

Celebrant: Will you strive for justice and peace among all people, and respect the dignity of

every human being?

People: I will, with God's help.

May Almighty God, who has given us a new birth by water and the Holy Spirit, and bestowed upon us the forgiveness of sins, keep us in eternal life by his grace, in Christ Jesus our Lord. *Amen.*

The Prayers of the People

God of Resurrection, as we gather this morning to celebrate your victory of love over death, we rejoice with Mary Magdalene, the other Mary, and all of those named and unnamed who celebrate the new life you have given Jesus. And so let us pray together saying, we give thanks to you O God: **for you have done marvelous things**.

Holy and Living One, this Easter we pray in gratitude for your people and your church on this day of days and feast of feasts. We pray for Michael our presiding bishop, Mariann our bishop, Connie our rector, and the people of St. George's. May we rejoice in your resurrection we pray saying We give thanks to you O God: **for you have done marvelous things**.

Holy and Living One, this Easter you make powerless the power of evil and death. Even in this time, we know you are present in places of devastation, war, and violence. We pray for all in harm's way, especially in Ukraine and other places of conflict, that you and we may bring light to

that darkness. We pray saying We give thanks to you 0 God: **for you have done marvelous things**.

Holy and Living One, this Easter you call us to feed those who are hungry, care for those who are poor, and serve those who are oppressed. We pray now for those we support and serve - the youth of The Trevor Project, the clients of Miriam's Kitchen and the Bowie Food Pantry, and for the children and families of Gaywood Elementary School. May the light of your new life shine in their hearts and bring grace to their lives. We pray saying, We give thanks to you O God: **for you have done marvelous things.**

Holy and Living One, this Easter you roll away the stone once again and raise up Jesus. We pray that you roll away the stones that weigh us down in our lives and the lives of those around us, especially those who are sick and those who are suffering, for those on our parish prayer list and for those we name before you now. *The people may add their own petitions*. Inspire us to be Jesus' hands and heart to those who need new life. We pray saying We give thanks to you O God: **for you have done marvelous things**.

Holy and Living One, this Easter you remind us that Jesus is not in the tomb but has risen. We pray for all who have died, especially those we remember with flowers and all of those we name before you now. *The people may add their own petitions.* We pray that you comfort all who mourn and help us know that those we love and see no longer have found new life in you. We give thanks to you O God: **for you have done marvelous things.**

Holy and Living One, this Easter we praise you and thank you for all that is good in our lives. We pray for all celebrating birthdays and anniversaries, and for the many blessings you bestow. We pray saying We give thanks to you O God: **for you have done marvelous things**.

Thanks be to you Holy and Living God, who has given us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ. **Amen.**

The Peace

Celebrant: The Peace of the Risen Christ be always with you.

People: And also with you

Blessings for Birthdays & Anniversaries

O God, our times are in your hand: Look with favor, we pray, on your servant(s) and anyone celebrating their birthday or anniversary this week as they begin another year. Grant that they may grow in wisdom and grace, and strengthen their trust in your goodness all the days of their lives; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

The Offertory

The Celebrant says the offertory sentence

Do good works and share what you have, for these are the sacrifices pleasing to God.

The Offertory Anthem: Christ is Risen, He is Risen Today

How can it be the One who died Has borne our sin through sacrifice To conquer every sting of death? Sing, sing "Hallelujah!"

For joy awakes as dawning light When Christ's disciples lift their eyes. Alive He stands, their Friend and King: Christ, Christ He is risen!

Chorus

Christ is risen, He's risen indeed!
Oh sing "Hallelujah!"
Join the chorus sing with the redeemed:
Christ is risen, He's risen indeed!

Where doubt and darkness once had been, They saw Him and their hearts believed; But bless'd are those who have not seen, Yet sing "Hallelujah!"

Once bound by fear, now bold in faith, They preached the truth and pow'r of grace And pouring out their lives they gained Life, life everlasting.

Chorus

The power that raised Him from the grave Now works in us to powerfully save He frees our hearts to live His grace Go tell of His goodness.

Chorus

The Great Thanksgiving

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Celebrant: Lift up your hearts.

People: We lift them to the Lord.

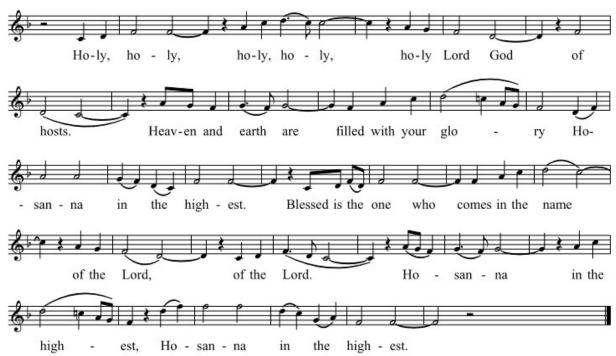
Celebrant: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: It is right to give God thanks and praise.

All thanks and praise are yours at all times and in all places, our true and loving God; and especially this day, we 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. And so as the morning stars sing your praises we join the heavenly beings and all creation as we shout with joy:

Sanctus: Holy, Holy, Holy Levas #255

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Glory and honor are yours, Creator of all, for your Word has never been silent; you called a people to yourself, as a light to the nations, you delivered them from bondage and led them to a land of promise. Of your grace, you gave Jesus to be human, to share our life, to proclaim the coming of your holy reign and give himself for us, a fragrant offering.

Through Jesus Christ our Redeemer, you have freed us from sin, brought us into your life, reconciled us to you, and restored us to the glory you intend for us.

We thank you that on the night before he died for us Jesus took bread, and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, gave it to his friends and said: "Take, eat, this is my Body, broken for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper Jesus took the cup of wine, said the blessing, gave it to his friends and said, "Drink this, all of you: this cup is the new Covenant in my Blood, poured out for you and for all for the forgiveness of sin. Do this for the remembrance of me."

And so, remembering all that was done for us: the cross, the tomb, the resurrection and ascension, longing for Christ's coming in glory, and presenting to you these gifts your earth has formed and human hands have made, we acclaim you, O Christ:

Dying, you destroyed our death. Rising, you restored our life. Christ Jesus, come in glory!

Gracious God, we ask you to send your Holy Spirit upon us and upon these gifts of bread and wine that they may be to us the Body and Blood of your Christ. Grant that we, burning with your Spirit's power, may be a people of hope, justice, and love.

Giver of life, draw us together in the Body of Christ, and in the fullness of time gather us with all your people into the joy of our true eternal home in you.

Through Christ and with Christ and in Christ, by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, we worship you our God and Creator, in voices of unending praise:

Blessed are you, now and forever. Amen.

The Lord's Prayer

Celebrant: The Risen Christ is in our midst, and so with Christ we pray:

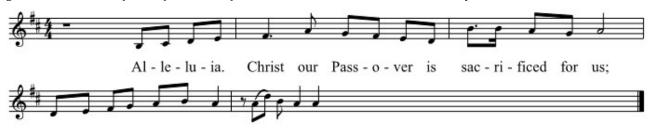
Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial, and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and forever. Amen

The Breaking of the Bread

The bread is broken, and after a period of silence, all sing together:

Fraction Hymn: Wonder, Love and Praise #865 Christ our Passover

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there-fore let us keep the feast. Al-le-lu-ia.

Celebrant: The gifts of God for the People of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ lived, died, and rose again for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

The Celebrant then says:

Mindful that not all are present physically to receive the sacrament, we pray with those who receive spiritual Holy Communion this day:

Lord Jesus, in union with your faithful people, we offer to you our praise and thanks. Since we cannot receive you today in the Sacrament of your Body and Blood, we pray that you come spiritually into our hearts. Strengthen us with your grace, O Lord, and let us never be separated from you. May we live in you, and you in us, in this life and in the life to come. Amen.

Wherever you are in your journey of faith, you are invited to receive the Holy Communion.
Whatever you believe or don't believe, you are welcome at this table.
For this is Christ's table, and all are welcome.

If you would like to receive a blessing rather than the bread and wine, Please indicate this to the Celebrant by crossing your arms in front of your chest.

Communion Hymn 1: Hymnal 1982 # 178 Alleluia, alleluia!

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Al-le - lu-ia, al-le - lu-ia! Give thanks to the ris-en Lord, Al-le - lu-ia, al-le - lu-ia! Give



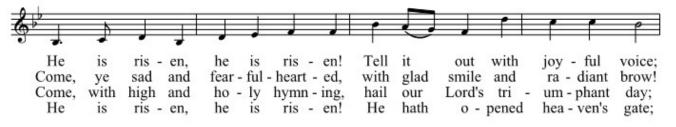
praise to his Name. Name.



Je - sus is Lord of all the earth. He is the King of cre-a - tion. Spread the good news o'er all the earth; Je - sus has died and has ris - en. We have been cru - ci-fied with Christ. Now we shall live for - ev - er. Come, let us praise the liv-ing God, joy-ful - ly sing to our Sav - ior.

Hymnal 1982 #180 He is risen, he is risen!

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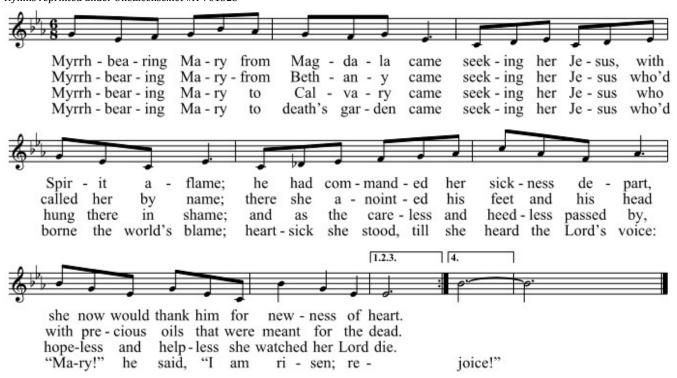
has burst his three days' pri - son; let the whole wide earth re - joice: he Death's long sha - dows have de - part - ed; Je - sus' woes are o - ver now, cloud one dark - some is dim - ming yon - der glo - rious morn-ing ray, not we free from sin's dark pris - on, ris - en to ho - lier state: a



death is con-quered, we are free, Christ has won the vic - to - ry. and the pas - sion that he bore sin and pain can vex no more. break-ing o'er the pur-ple east, sym - bol of our Eas - ter feast. and a bright - er Eas-ter beam on our long-ing eyes shall stream.

Communion Hymn 3: Voices Found # 2 Myrrh-bearing Mary

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Post-communion Prayer

Celebrant: Let us pray:

Holy and gracious God, we thank you for feeding us with the bread of life, and sustaining us with the presence of the Risen Christ. Grant that we who have gathered together on this Day of Resurrection will go out as people of hope and new life. May the meal we have shared revive us in body and soul, and make us glad to share the good news that Christ is risen; for he is alive and reigns with you, forever and ever. *Amen.*

Announcements

The Blessing

May the loving power of God, which raised Jesus to new life, Stregthen yu in hope, enrich you with love, and fill you with joy. And may the blessing of God be with you now, and remain with you always. *Amen.*

The Dismissal

Celebrant: Let us go forth in the name of the Risen Christ. Alleluia, Alleluia!

People: Thanks be to God. Alleluia, Alleluia

Postlude: Handel's Messiah



Luella Tabor

In Memory of Chuck Ashurst, John McClennan, George Tabor

Judy Jones

In Memory of Thomas R Jones

Karen Sharp

In Memory of Robert D. Sharp
In Thanksgiving for Family and Friends to the Glory of God

Marion DePriest

In Memory of Raymond Jones, Veronica Jones, Albert DePriest, Katherine DePriest, Mary DePriest In Thanksgiving for Anyonyo Irvin Jones, Latrell Holley-Gaines, Our Church Family, The Robinson Family, The Henderson Family/ The Reed Family/ The McDanzel Family.

Olga Feliciano – Alark/Mami

In Memory of Teodoro Feliciano, William Paul Alark

Rosa Soliz & Germaine Stodart

In Memory of Tommie Cruz, Joe Cruz, Hector Soliz, Margaret Stodart, Thomas Stodart In Thanksgiving for Rose Murillo, Cynthia Griffith, Gloria Martin, the goodness & caring of St. George's Community.

Randy & Donna Haselton

In Memory of Stephen J. Haselton, Helen R. Haselton, Kenneth A. Polglase, Carolyn H. Polglase In Thanksgiving David, Stephen & Anne

Don Perkinson

In Memory of Kathy Perkinson

Charles Hoffacker

In Memory of Cindy, Michel, Fr. Victor, Grand Parents, Carl Anne In Thanksgiving for Liz, Anna, Sophia, Alexandria, Veronica, Dan

Barbara & Ed Munro

In Thanksgiving for our Children, & Grand Children & Great Grand Daughter

Billy McNeel & Roy Peterson

In Memory of Robert McNeel In Thanksgiving for Paul McNeel, Rob Peterson, Pam Peterson Johnson, "Our Siblings"

Zulma Santiago

In Memory of Carmen Lanzar

Paul & Barbara Arnold

In Memory of The Harvey's Steed's & Dubisson's, The St. Cyr's Family & The Robert's Family In Thanksgiving for Barbara's Family, Paul's Family

Connie Reinhardt & emma Hadley

In Memory of Margaret Crelling, Jim Reinhardt Karen, David Catherine Hadley In Thanksgiving for Keelyn Hadley