



CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL

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Sixth Sunday of Easter

May 22, 2022 | 10:30am

In-Person & Livestream

The Very Rev. Christopher Pappas | Presider

The Rev. Alisdair Smith | Preacher

Gathering of the Community

Cathedral Parish Announcements

*All Children ages 5-13 are welcome to join Godly Play downstairs
in the Parish Hall. They will return to the Nave for Eucharist.*

Introit

We Cannot Measure

We cannot measure how you heal or answer every sufferer's prayer,
yet we believe your grace responds where faith and doubt unite to care.
So some have come who need your help, and some have come to make amends
as hands which shaped and saved the world are present in the touch of friends.
Lord, let your Spirit meet us here to mend the body, mind and soul,
To disentangle peace from pain, and make your broken people whole.
words: John Bell, Graham Maule - Iona Community; trad Scottish tune

Presider

Alleluia! Christ is risen.

All

Christ is risen indeed. Alleluia!

Presider

May his grace and peace be with you.

All

May our hearts be filled with joy. Alleluia!

Presider

We gather in this holy time of Easter, to be strengthened
by the God who forgives all our sins.
We acknowledge with respect that we worship on the
traditional unceded territories of the
Musqueam, Squamish and Tsleil-Waututh nations.
Let us pray that we may live more deeply into the calls to
action from Canada's Truth and Reconciliation
Commission.

All

**May the risen Christ lead us all on pathways of
reconciliation and peace.**

Opening Hymn Before the World Began (CP 621)

1 Be - fore the world be - gan, one Word was there;
 2 Life found in him its source, death found its end;
 3 The Word was in the world which from him came;
 4 All who re - ceived the Word by God were blessed;

ground - ed in God he was, root - ed in care;
 light found in him its course, dark - ness its friend.
 un - rec - og - nized he was, un - known by name;
 sis - ters and broth - ers, they of earth's fond guest.

by him all things were made, in him was love dis - played,
 For nei - ther death nor doubt nor dark - ness can put out
 one with all hu - man - kind, with the un - loved a - ligned,
 So did the Word of grace pro - claim in time and space

through him God spoke, and said,
 the glow of God, the shout, "I AM FOR YOU."
 con - vinc - ing sight and mind,
 and with a hu - man face,

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Collect

Presider

Let us pray

(Silence is kept)

Three-fold God of love,

All

you invite us to abide in you.

May we follow the Spirit of truth,

so that through us your commanding love

may speak to the heart of the world;

through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Proclamation of the Word

First Reading

Acts 16:9-15

Reader

Word of God, Word of Life.

All

Thanks be to God.

Psalm

67

Chant: Edward Bairstow

God be merciful unto us, and bless us,

and show us the light of his countenance, and be merciful unto us;

That thy way may be known upon earth, thy saving health among all nations.

Let the people praise thee, O God; yea, let all the people praise thee.

O let the nations rejoice and be glad; for thou shalt judge the folk righteously,
and govern the nations upon earth.

Let the people praise thee, O God; yea, let all the people praise thee.

The earth hath brought forth her increase;
and God, even our own God shall give us his blessing.

God shall bless us; and all the ends of the world shall fear him.

Glory be to the Father and to the Son;

and to the Holy Ghost;

As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,
world without end. Amen.

Second Reading Revelation 21:10, 22-22:5

Reader Word of God, Word of Life.

All **Thanks be to God.**

Sequence Alleluias

Plainsong



Choir Jesus preaches the Gospel of the Kingdom;
and heals every infirmity among the people.

Reprise Alleluias

Deacon The Lord be with you.

All **And also with you.**

Deacon The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.

All **Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

Gospel John 14:23-29

Deacon The Gospel of Christ.

All **Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

Reprise Alleluias

Sermon The Rev. Alisdair Smith

Silence for Reflection

The Nicene Creed

Presider

Let us confess our faith, as we say,

All

**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.
With the Father and the Son
he is worshipped 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.**

Prayers of the People

In the *Anglican Church of Canada Cycle of Prayer* we pray for the Right. Rev. Shane Parker, Bishop, the Right. Rev. Michael Bird, Assisting Bishop and the people and clergy of the Diocese of Ottawa. In the *Anglican-Lutheran Cycle of Prayer* we pray for the Lutheran Collegiate Bible Institute in Outlook Saskatchewan. In the *Diocesan Cycle of Prayer* we pray for John Stephens our Bishop; Linda Nicholls our Primate; Lynne McNaughton our Metropolitan; Susan

Johnson the National Lutheran Bishop in Canada; Sidney Black the interim National Indigenous Anglican Bishop; Kathy Martin the Evangelical Lutheran Bishop in British Columbia; Justin Welby the Archbishop of Canterbury; our companion diocese, the Episcopal Diocese of Northern Philippines and the Right Rev. Brent Alawas; our companion parish, All Saints Cathedral, Bontoc, Philippines; and the Church of the Province of South East Asia.

If you have a special intention for which you wish to receive prayers, please email your prayer request to reception@thecathedral.ca. Your intention will be included in the Prayer Link for three weeks and can be renewed.

The Peace

Presider

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 risen Christ be always with you.

All

And also with you.

All may exchange a sign of peace.

Celebration of the Eucharist

The Offertory

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Offertory Hymn Healing River of the Spirit

1. Healing river of the Spirit,
bathe the wounds that living brings.
Plunge our pain, our sin, our sadness
deep beneath your sacred springs.
Weary from the restless searching,
that has lured us from your side,
we discover in your presence
peace the world cannot provide.

2. Wellspring of the healing Spirit,
stream that flows to bring release,
as we gain our selves, our senses,
may our lives reflect your peace.
Grateful for the flood that heals us,
may your church live out your grace.
As we meet both friend and stranger,
may we see our Saviour's face.

3. Living stream that heals the nations,
make us channels of your power.
All the world is torn by conflict;
wars are raging at this hour.
Saving Spirit, move among us;
guide our winding human course,
till we find our way together,
flowing homeward to our Source.

Text: Ruth C. Duck (1947 -)

Music: *The Sacred Harp*, Attrib. Benjamin franklin Wright, 1844 Beach Spring
BEACH SPRING

Prayer over the Gifts

Presider God of glory,
All **accept all we offer you this day,
and bring us to that eternal city of love and light,
where Christ is King.
We ask this in his name. Amen.**

The Great Thanksgiving

Presider The Lord be with you.
All **And also with you.**
Presider Lift up your hearts.
All **We lift them to the Lord.**
Presider Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
All **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

Presider Eternal God, Source of all being, we give you thanks and
praise for your faithful love.
You call us into friendship with you and one another to be
your holy people, a sign of your presence in the world.
When those we trust betray us,
unfailingly you remain with us.

When we injure others, you confront us in your love and call us to the paths of righteousness. You stand with the weak, and those, broken and alone, whom you have always welcomed home, making the first last, and the last first.

Therefore we raise our voices with angels and archangels,
forever praising you and singing:

Voices

(organ)

mp Ho - ly,

mf Ho - ly,

f Ho - - ly Lord, _____

mp God of pow - er and God _____ of might! *ten.* Heav'n _____ and _____

choir only
earth are full _____ of your glo - ry, are full _____ of your glo - ry, are

(organ)
full _____ of your glo - ry.

mf Low voices High voices Full
Ho - san - na! Ho - san - na! Ho - san - na, Ho -

f san - na, Ho - san - na _____ in the high est!

Choir 1st time;
repeat Full

Bless'd is the Ho ly One, who comes in the name of the

Lord, Lord. in the name, the name of the

Lord. (organ) Low voices High voices

Ho-san - na!

san - na! Ho-san - na, Ho-san - na, Ho-san - na in the

high - - - - - est! Al - le - lu - ia,

Al - le - lu ia! Al - le lu ia!

Presider

Blessed are you, O Holy One:

when Hagar was driven into the wilderness

you followed her and gave her hope.

When Joseph was sold into bondage,

you turned malice to your people's good.

When you called Israel out of slavery,

you brought them through the wilderness into the promised land.

When your people were taken into exile you wept with them by the river of Babylon
and carried them home.

All

Restore us, O God, let your face shine!

Presider

At the right time you sent your Anointed One
to stand with the poor, the outcast, and the oppressed.
Jesus touched lepers, and the sick, and healed them.
He accepted water from a woman of Samaria and offered her the water of new life.
Christ knew the desolation of the cross and opened the way for all humanity into the
redemption of your reconciling love.

On the night he was betrayed, Jesus, at supper with his
Friends, took bread, gave you thanks, broke the bread,
gave it to them, and said,
“Take and 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.”

Loving and Holy One, recalling Christ’s death and
resurrection, we offer you these gifts,
longing for the bread of tomorrow and the wine
of the age to come. Therefore we proclaim our hope.

All

**Dying you destroyed our death,
rising you restored our life.
Lord Jesus, come in glory.**

Presider

Pour out your Spirit on these gifts that through them
you may sustain us in our hunger for your peace.
We hold before you all whose lives are marked by suffering,
our sisters and brothers. When we are broken and cast aside, embrace us in your love.

All

Restore us, O God, let your face shine!

Presider

Through Christ, with Christ, and in Christ in the unity of the
Holy Spirit, all honour and glory are yours, O Source of all life, now and forever.

All

Amen.

The Lord's Prayer

Cantor

As our Sa-viour Christ has taught us, we now pray,

All

Our Fa-ther in hea-ven, hal-lowed be your Name,
 your king-dom come, your will be done, on earth as in hea-ven.
 Give us to-day our dai-ly bread.
 For-give us our sins as we for-give those who sin a-gainst us.
 Save us from the time of tri-al, and de-liv-er us from e-vil.
 For the king-dom, the power, and the glo-ry are yours,
 now and for ev-er. A-men.

Breaking of the Bread

Setting: Rupert Lang

choir *all*

Lord we died with you on the cross: Now we are raised to new life!

choir *all*

We were bur-ied with you in the tomb: Now we share in your re-sur-rec-tion!

choir *all*

Live in us that we may live in you: Al-le-lu-ia! Al-le-lu-ia! Al-le-lu-ia!

Presider The gifts of God for the people of God.

All Thanks be to God.

Share the Gifts

If you know the brokenness of life, its fractures within and its division without, then you have participated in the broken body of Christ and you are invited to share in Communion.

If you are not physically receiving Communion, you may offer this prayer:

**In union, O God, with all your faithful people
gathered wherever the eucharist is celebrated this day,
I offer you praise and thanksgiving for creation and all the blessings of this life,
for the redemption given to us through the life, death and resurrection of Christ,
and for the means of grace and the hope of glory.
I pray you come into my heart, my soul and my mind.
Let nothing separate me from you.
May I serve you in this life until, by your grace,
I come to your promised reign of justice and peace;
through Christ and in the unity of the Spirit. Amen.**

While the communion is being administered, we respectfully ask that you keep the silence —this is a time for quiet prayer and meditation.

Healing Prayer is offered at the 10:30am Sunday Eucharist. Because of the close proximity of the prayer team members and the person requesting prayer, you are asked to wear a mask. Prayer teams will be located in the west alcove. Please make your way up the ramp to the alcove after you have received communion, and present your prayer request to the team members.

During Communion Two motets: *Sicut Cervus* and *O Sacrum Convivium* Stephanie Martin

Sending Out of the Disciples

Prayer after Communion

<i>Presider</i>	Father,
<i>All</i>	you restored us to life by raising your Son from death. May we who receive this sacrament always be strengthened to do your will, in the name of Jesus Christ the risen Lord. Amen.

Doxology

Presider

All

Glory to God,
**whose power, working in us,
can do infinitely more than we can ask or imagine.
Glory to God from generation to generation,
in the Church and in Christ Jesus,
for ever and ever. Amen.**

The Blessing

Presider

All

May Almighty God,
who has redeemed us and made us God's children
through the resurrection of God's Son our Lord,
bestow upon you the riches of God's blessing.
Amen.

Presider

All

May God,
who through the water of baptism
has raised us from sin into newness of life,
make you holy and worthy to be united with Christ for ever.
Amen.

Presider

All

May God,
who has brought us out of bondage to sin
into true and lasting freedom in the Redeemer,
bring you to your eternal inheritance.
Amen.

Presider

All

And the blessing of God Almighty,
the One, Holy and Undivided Trinity,
be upon you and remain with you forever.
Amen.

Closing Hymn

God whose Almighty Word (CP 560)



1 God, whose al - might - y Word cha - os and dark - ness heard,
2 Sav - iour, who came to bring on your re - deem - ing wing
3 Spir - it of truth and love, life - giv - ing, ho - ly Dove,



and took their flight: hear us, we hum - bly pray, and where the
heal - ing and sight, health to the sick in mind, sight to the
speed on your flight! Move on the wa - ter's face bear - ing the



gos - pel - day sheds not its glo - rious ray, let there be light!
in - ly blind: now for all hu - man-kind let there be light!
lamp of grace, and in earth's dark - est place let there be light!

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desc. Craig Sellar Lang (1891–1971). Desc. © 1953 Novello & Co., Ltd.

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The Dismissal

Deacon Alleluia! Go forth into the world rejoicing in the power of the risen Lord.

***All* Thanks be to God. Alleluia!**

Choir Easter Alleluias - Plainsong

Music Notes

Dedication for the new Easter Mass setting from the Carroll family

- In the Spirit of Thanksgiving at Eastertide -

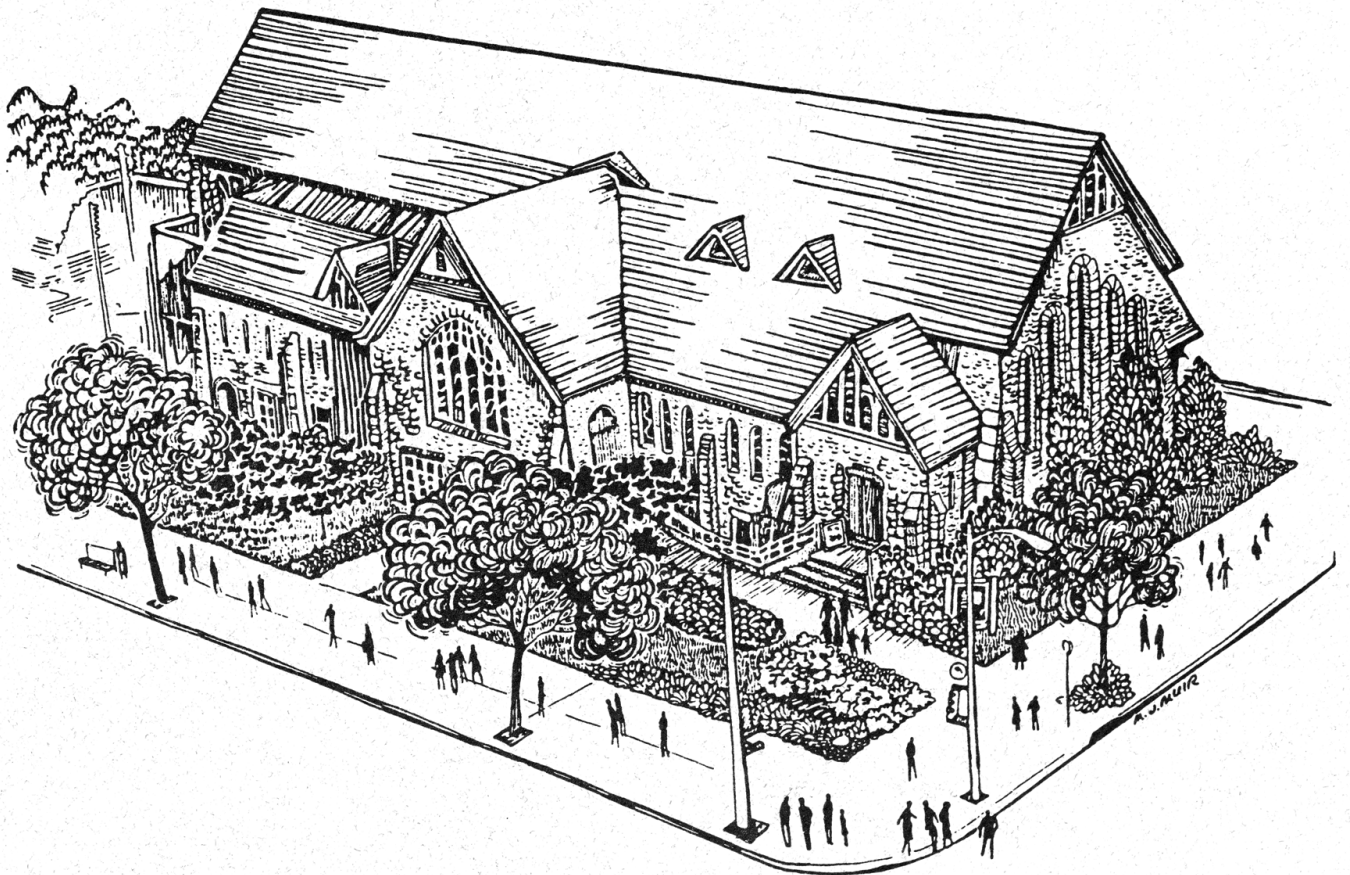
Evelyn and Max Carroll dedicate this music,
composed by Rupert Lang, to all who love and praise God.

We especially give thanks to God for the ongoing gift of our daughter, Mary-Jane,
whose lovingkindness blesses our lives as we age.

We also give thanks for the life of Edward Byrd, a remarkable man,
whose Christian life touched so many lives positively, including our family.

The last two Sundays we sang this new mass setting, commissioned by the Carroll family. I would like to add here that when Evelyn and I first talked about the possibility of a commission, I suggested that she might consider a congregational mass setting. Since the Cathedral already has settings specifically for Advent and Lent, my suggestion was a setting for the Easter season. After my first reading of their beautiful dedication, in the spirit of thanksgiving at Eastertide, I too give thanks for their trust in me as a composer. I realise it is a challenging setting. However, I know my congregation - and I know you will rise to the occasion. We will sing it for the full Easter season next year - by then we will all be able to sing out much more confidently!

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'R. Lang'.



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<i>MC</i>	Megan Otton
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