

Welcome to this house of prayer.

May you find peace.



EASTER SUNDAY

The Feast of the Resurrection of Our Lord

April 9TH 2023 at 11 am

*Pandemic precautions remain in effect.
You are encouraged to wear a mask
while inside the church building.*

Kindly silence your phones.

Children are welcome to be children.

The PRELUDE

Two Processionals | G.F. Handel

The CHOIR INTROIT

Rise up, my love | Healey Willan

*Rise up, my love, my fair one, and come away;
for lo, the winter is past, the rain is over and gone;
the flowers appear upon the earth; the time of the singing of birds
is come; arise my love, my fair one, and come away.*

The FESTAL PROCESSION

Alleluia! Christ is risen.

The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia!

A HYMN

Jesus Christ is Risen today | CP **203** *verse 1*

**1. Jesus Christ is risen today, alleluia!
our triumphant holy day, alleluia!
who did once, upon the cross, alleluia!
suffer to redeem our loss. Alleluia!**

The STATION *at the* FONT

The Lord is risen from the tomb, alleluia.

Who for our sake hung upon the tree, alleluia.

Most gracious God, as we have been baptized into the death of thy Son our Saviour Jesus Christ, grant in thy mercy that we, being dead to sin, may be buried with him; and that through the grave, and gate of death, we may pass with him unto newness of life; for his sake, who died, and was buried, and rose again for us, the same Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Let us go forth in peace. Alleluia!

In the name of the Lord. Alleluia!

 HYMN

Jesus Christ is Risen today | CP 203 verses 2, 3

**2. Hymns of praise then let us sing, alleluia!
unto Christ our heavenly King, alleluia!
who endured the cross and grave, alleluia!
sinners to redeem and save. Alleluia!**

**3. But the pains which he endured, alleluia!
our salvation have procured; alleluia!
now above the sky he's king, alleluia!
where the angels ever sing. Alleluia!**

The STATION at the CHANCEL STEPS

Tell it out among the peoples,
alleluia.

**That the Lord is reigning from the tree,
alleluia.**

Let us pray.

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 your Son Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

GLORY to GOD

Renwick SJH 17

**Glory to God in the highest,
and peace to his people on earth.**

**Lord God, heavenly king,
almighty God and Father,
we worship you, we give you thanks,
we praise you for your glory.**

**Glory to God in the highest,
and peace to his people on earth. ↗**

Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father,
Lord God, Lamb of God,
you take away the sin of the world:
have mercy on us;
You are seated at the right hand of the Father:
receive our prayer.
For you alone are the Holy One,
you alone are the Lord,
you alone are most high, Jesus Christ,
with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father.
Glory to God in the highest,
and peace to his people on earth. Amen.

The Lord is risen indeed, alleluia!
To him be glory and dominion for ever,
world without end.

**O sing to the Lord a new song,
for he has done marvellous things.**

May his grace and peace be with you.
May he fill our hearts with joy.

Let us pray.

Lord of life and power,
**through the mighty resurrection of your Son,
you have overcome the old order of sin and death
and have made all things new in him.**

**May we, being dead to sin and alive to you in Jesus Christ,
reign with him in glory, who with you and the Holy Spirit
is alive, one God, now and for ever. Amen.**

Please be seated. A **READING** is given, from the Book
of Acts 10. 34-43. after which the reader says The word of the
Lord, and the congregation responds **Thanks be to God.**

The PSALM

118. *Confitemini Domino*

1 GIVE THANKS to the Lord, for he **is** good; * his mercy en-
dures for ëv-ër.

2 Let Israel now **pro**-claim, * "His mercy en- **dures** for ëv-ër."

14 The Lord is my strength and **my** song, * and he has
become **my** sal-vä-tion.

15 There is a sound of exultation and vic-**to**-ry * in the tents of
the riht-ëous:

16 "The right hand of the Lord has **tri**-umphed! * the right
hand of the Lord is exalted! the right hand of the **Lord**
has tri-ümphe!"

17 I shall not die, **but** live, * and declare the **works** of thë Lörd.

18 The Lord has punished me **sore**-ly, * but he did not hand
me **ov**-er tö dëath.

21 I will give thanks to you, for you an-**sw**ered me * and have
become **my** sal-vä-tion.

22 The same stone which the builders re-**ject**-ed * has become
the chief cör- | ner-stöne. |

23 This is the Lord's **do**-ing, * and it is marvel-**lous** in öur ëyes.

The GRADUAL

Easter Graduale | Ernest Crickmore

*This is the day which the Lord hath made: we will rejoice and be glad
in it. Alleluia! O give thanks unto the Lord for he is gracious:
and his mercy endureth forever.*

The **GOSPEL** from the Book of John 20. 1-18. The minister says The
Lord be with you; the congregation responds **And also with you.**

The minister says The holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ
according to Luke and the congregation responds **Glory to you,
Lord Jesus Christ.** After, the minister says The Gospel of Christ,
and the congregation responds **Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

The HOMILY*The* CREED

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 of 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 human.
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,
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.

The CHORAL ANTHEM

Ye choirs of new Jerusalem | Charles Villers Stanford

Text: Common Praise **216**

The PRAYERS *of the* PEOPLE

The PEACE

The peace of the Lord be always with you.

And also with you.

The OFFERTORY HYMN

The strife is o'er | CP **212**

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

- 1. The strife is o'er, the battle done;
the victory of life is won;
the song of triumph has begun. Alleluia!**
- 2. The powers of death have done their worst,
but Christ their legions has dispersed.
Let shouts of holy joy outburst. Alleluia!**
- 3. The three sad days are quickly sped;
he rises glorious from the dead.
All glory to our risen Head. Alleluia!**
- 4. He closed the yawning gates of hell;
the bars from heaven's high portals fell.
Let hymns of praise his triumph tell. Alleluia!**
- 5. Lord, by the stripes which wounded thee,
from death's dread sting thy servants free,
that we may live and sing to thee. Alleluia!**

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

The PRAYER over the GIFTS

God our strength and salvation,
receive all we offer you this day,
and grant that we who have confessed your name,
and received new life in baptism,
may live in the joy of the resurrection,
through Jesus Christ the Lord. Amen.

The GREAT EUCHARISTIC PRAYER

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

Blessed are you, gracious God, creator of heaven and earth.
We give you thanks and praise for the glorious resurrection
of your Son Jesus Christ our Lord; for he is the true paschal
lamb who has taken away the sin of the world. By his death
he destroyed death, and by his rising to life again he has won
for us eternal life.

Therefore with all the host of heaven who gather around
your throne and the Lamb, we raise our voices to proclaim
the glory of your name.

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

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Holy and gracious God, accept our praise, through your Son our Saviour Jesus Christ; who on the night He was handed over to suffering and death, took bread and gave you thanks, saying, "Take, and eat: this is my body which is broken for you."

In the same way He took the cup, saying, "This is my blood which is shed for you. When you do this, you do it in memory of me."

Remembering, therefore, His death and resurrection, we offer you this bread and this cup, giving thanks that you have made us worthy to stand in your presence and serve you. We ask you to send your Holy Spirit upon the offering of your holy Church.

Gather into one all who share in these sacred mysteries, filling them with the Holy Spirit and confirming their faith in the truth, that together we may praise you and give you glory through your Servant, Jesus Christ.

All glory and honour are yours, Father and Son, with the Holy Spirit in the holy Church. **Amen.**

As our Saviour taught us, let us pray.

Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your name,
your kingdom come, your will be done,
on earth as 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 for ever. Amen.

The BREAKING *of the* BREAD

We break this bread
to share in the body of Christ.
**We, being many, are one body,
for we all share in the one bread.**

The FRACTION ANTHEM

Lamb of God | Renwick (SJH 23)

The MOTET

A Pentatonic Allelui | Ross Whitney

The PRAYER *after* COMMUNION

God of life,
**bring us to the glory of the resurrection
promised in this Easter sacrament.**
We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ the risen Lord.
Amen.

A CHOIR OFFERING

Hallelujah Chorus | G.F. Handel

The BLESSING

The ANNOUNCEMENTS

A HYMN

Yours be the glory | CP 201

**1. Yours be the glory, risen, conquering Son:
endless is the victory over death you won.
Angels robed in splendour rolled the stone away,
kept the folded grave-clothes where the body lay.**

Refrain:

**Yours be the glory, risen, conquering Son,
endless is the victory over death you won.**

**2. See! Jesus meets us, risen from the tomb;
lovingly he greets us, scatters fear and gloom.
Let the church with gladness hymns of triumph sing,
for the Lord is living; death hath lost its sting!**

[Refrain]

**3. No more we doubt you,
glorious Prince of life;
what is life without you? Aid us in our strife;
make us more than conquerors
through your deathless love;
bring us safe through Jordan
to your home above. *[Refrain]***

The **SENDING**

**Alleluia! Go in peace, to love and serve the Lord.
Thanks be to God. Alleluia!**

The **POSTLUDE**

Praise the Lord with drums and cymbals | Sigfrid Karg-Elert

Please rise as the Choir and liturgical ministers exit the church.

We give thanks to God for the gifts
of our guest musicians today:
Mary Jay, Shawn Spicer, trumpet;
Courtney Prizrenac, horn;
Janice Owens, trombone;
John Brownell, timpani.



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