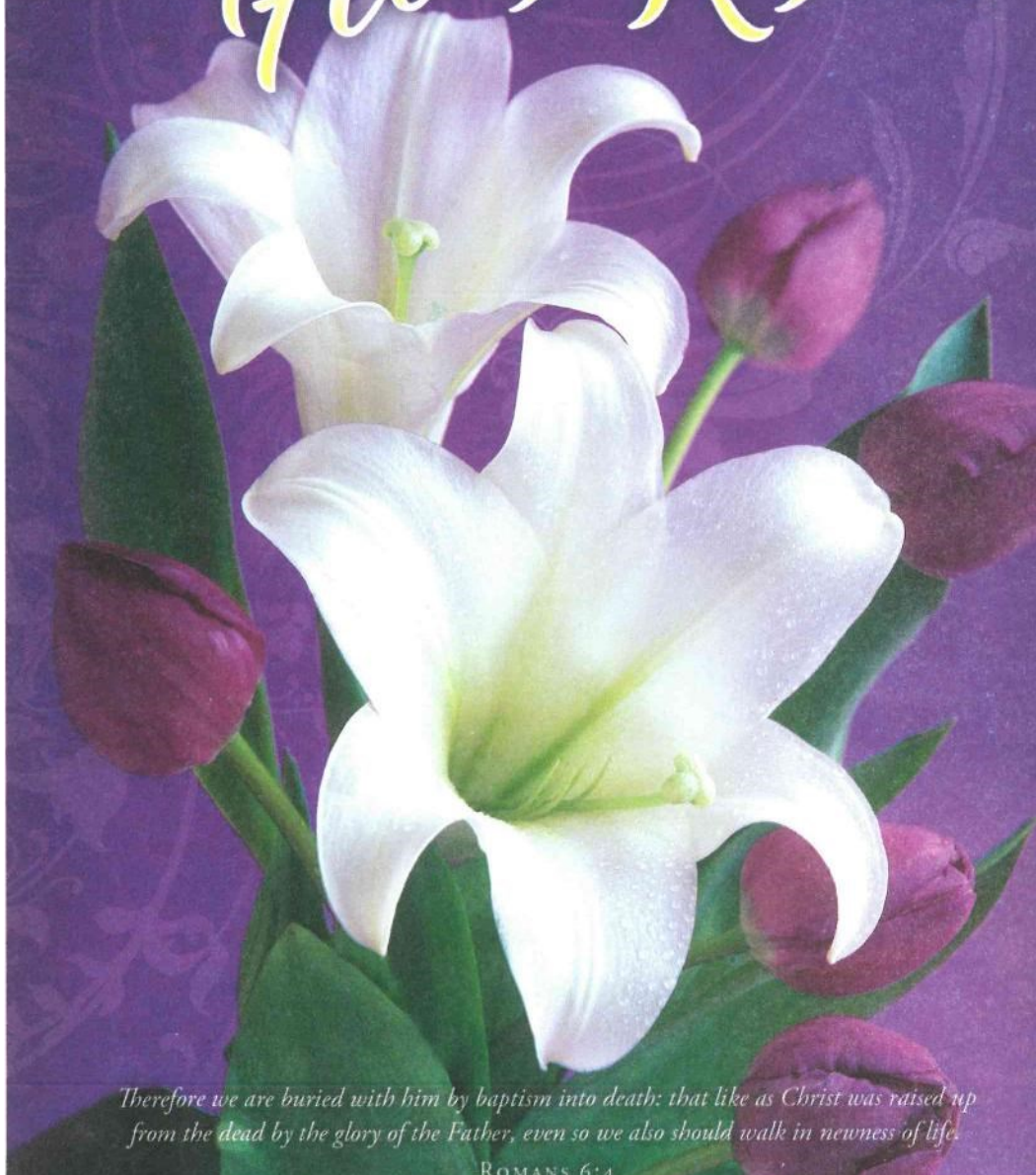


*Halleluyah,
He is Risen!*



Therefore we are buried with him by baptism into death: that like as Christ was raised up from the dead by the glory of the Father, even so we also should walk in newness of life.

ROMANS 6:4

Welcome to St. Andrew's -
all are welcome here.



Altar Flowers - Given to the Glory of God in celebration of our risen Christ. From Betty-Rose Harrington.

Welcome

LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT - We gather on lands which have been the home of SENĆOTEN and HUL'Q'UMI'NUM' speaking Coast Salish peoples from time immemorial, and their encounter with the Creator in this place goes before our own.

Opening hymn (CP 203) *Jesus Christ is Risen Today*

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!

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 Gathering of the Community

Presider God of the resurrection, we gather this morning as a community of believers. We come with joy to greet one another and to tell again and again the amazing news:

All **Christ is risen! Love is victorious over death!
You have given us new life in the name of your Son!**

Presider May our singing, praying, listening, and proclaiming be a testimony to the power of your love,

All **to make us a new creation as a community of faith.
We pray in the name of the risen Christ. Amen.**

The Collect

Presider Love Divine,

All **in raising Christ to new life you open the path of salvation to all peoples. Send us out with the joy of Mary Magdalene to proclaim that we have seen the Lord, so that all the world may celebrate with you the banquet of your peace. Amen.**

Proclamation of the Word

Reader A Reading from the book of Acts (10:34-43).
Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people.

All **Thanks be to God.**

This is the Day – Psalm for Easter Sunday



This is the day, this is the day that our God has made, that our
You are our God, you are our God, we will praise your name, we will

God has made; we will re-joice, we will re-joice, and be
praise your name; we will give thanks, we will give thanks, for your

glad in it, and be glad in it. This is the day that our
faith-ful-ness, for your faith-ful-ness. You are our God, we will

God has made, we will re-joice and be glad in it.
praise your name, we will give thanks for your faith-ful-ness.

This is the day, this is the day that our God has made.
You are our God, you are our God, we will praise your name.

Reader A Reading from Paul's 1st letter to the Corinthians
(15:1-11).

Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people.

All **Thanks be to God.**

Gospel Acclamation (CP #205) *The Day of Resurrection*

1 The day of resurrection!
Earth, tell it out abroad;
the passover of gladness,
the passover of God!
From death to life eternal,
from earth unto the sky,
our Christ hath brought us over
with hymns of victory.

2 Our hearts be pure from evil,
that we may see aright
the Lord in rays eternal
of resurrection light,
and, listening to his accents,
may hear so calm and plain
his own "All hail!" and, hearing,
may raise the victor strain.

Celebrant May God be with you.
All **And also with you.**

Celebrant The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ
according to John (20:1-18).
All **Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

Celebrant The Gospel of Christ.
All **Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

3 Now let the heavens be joyful;
let earth her song begin;
the round world keep high triumph,
and all that is therein.
Let all things seen and unseen
their notes in gladness blend,
for Christ the Lord is risen,
our joy that hath no end.

Sermon - The Rev. Kelly Duncan

Message of Music - “He Is Risen” (East African)

Affirmation of Faith

All We believe in an Easter God who transforms darkness into light and despair into hope. We believe God is working for good, changing the darkness of the tomb into a vision of Easter joy!

We believe in the risen Christ who touches us through song and silence, word and witness; who calls us by name to enter the promise of paradise. We believe in the Holy Spirit who invites us to leave behind the empty burial clothes and walk in resurrection power.

We believe the Spirit is always renewing the church and making us people who act justly, love mercy and walk humbly with God.

We believe we are Easter people, welcoming everyone, and although we are not perfect, we are, by God’s grace, a sign that with God, all things are possible. Amen.

Prayers of the People

The Peace

Celebrant My friends in Christ, may the peace of God be always with you.

All And also with you.

Offertory hymn (CP #206) *Christ the Lord is Risen Today*

1 Christ the Lord is risen today, alleluia!
Earth and heaven in chorus say, alleluia!
Raise your joys and triumphs high; alleluia!
Sing, ye heavens, and earth reply: alleluia!

2 Love's redeeming work is done, alleluia!
fought the fight, the battle won, alleluia!
Death in vain forbids him rise, alleluia!
Christ has opened paradise, alleluia!

3 Lives again our glorious King, alleluia!
Where, O death, is now thy sting? Alleluia!
Once he died our souls to save, alleluia!
Where's thy victory, boasting grave? Alleluia!

4 Soar we now where Christ has led, alleluia!
following our exalted head, alleluia!
Made like him like him we rise, alleluia!
Ours the cross, the grave, the skies, alleluia!

5 Hail, the Lord of earth and heaven, alleluia!
Praise to thee by both be given, alleluia!
Thee we greet triumphant now, alleluia!
Hail the Resurrection, thou, alleluia!

The Holy Eucharist

Prayer over the Gifts

Presider Blessed are you, O God,
All ruler of heaven and earth.
Day by day you shower us with blessings.
As you have raised us to new life in Christ,
give us glad and generous hearts,
ready to praise you and
to respond to those in need,
through Jesus Christ, our Saviour and Lord.
Amen.

Presider May God be with you.

All And also with you.

Presider Lift up your hearts.

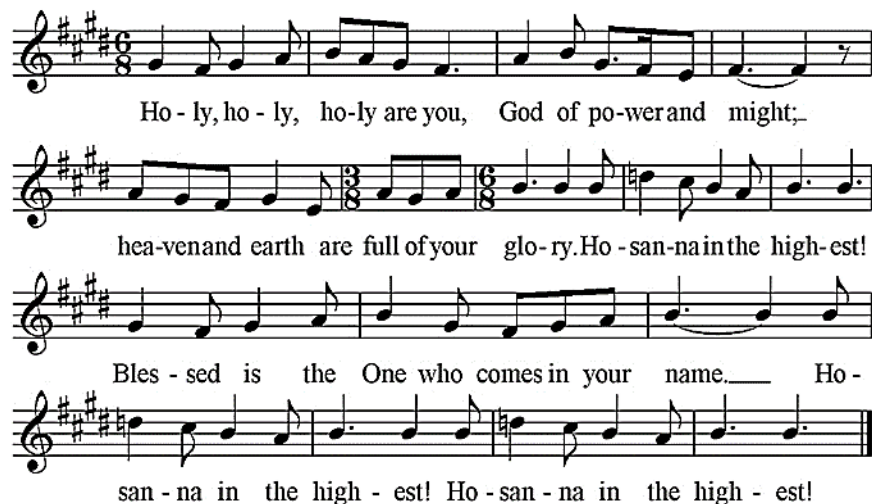
All We lift them to God.

Presider Let us give thanks to God our Creator.

All It is right to give our thanks and praise.

Presider It is indeed right that we should praise you
... to proclaim the glory of your name.


Sanctus



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly are you, God of po - wer and might; -
hea - ven and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho - san - na in the high - est!
Bles - sed is the One who comes in your name. — Ho -
san - na in the high - est! Ho - san - na in the high - est!

Presider Holy God, source of life and goodness ...
... Therefore, we proclaim the mystery of faith:

Congregation:



Christ has died. Christ is ris-en.
Christ will come, come a - gain.

Presider Recalling his death, proclaiming his resurrection...
... all glory is yours, all loving God, now and forever.



A - men, A - men, A - men, A - men.

The Lord's Prayer

Presider Let us pray as Jesus taught us.



Our Fa-ther in hea - ven, hal-lowed be your
name; your_ king-dom come, your_ will be done on_
earth, as in heav'n. 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 trial, and de - li - ver us from_
e-vil. For the king-dom, the pow-er, and the glo - ry are
yours; now and for - ev - er. A - - men.

Fraction Sentence

Presider Lord, we died with you on the cross.

All **Now we are raised to new life.**

Presider We were buried in your tomb.

All **Now we share in your resurrection.**

Presider Live in us, that we may live in you.

Presider These are the gifts of a gracious God.

All **Thanks be to God.**

Communion hymn (CP #73) *One Bread, One Body*

*One bread one body, one Lord of all,
one cup of blessing which we bless -
and we, though many, throughout the earth,
we are one body in this one Lord.*

1 Gentile or Jew, servant or free,
woman or man, no more.

Refrain

2 Many the gifts, many the works,
one in the Lord of all.

Refrain

3 Grain for the fields, scattered and grown,
gathered to one for all.

Refrain

Communion hymn (JN #8) *All Heaven Declares*

All heaven declares
The glory of the risen Lord
Who can compare with
The beauty of the Lord

**Forever He will be
The Lamb upon the throne
I gladly bow the knee
And worship Him alone**

I will proclaim
The glory of the risen Lord
Who once was slain
To reconcile us to God

Chorus(X2)

Communion hymn, *Hymn of Promise*



1. In the bulb there is a flow - er; in the seed, an ap - ple tree;
2. There's a song in ev - ery si - lence, seek - ing word and mel - o - dy;
3. In our end is our be - gin - ning; in our time, in - fin - i - ty;



in co - coons, a hid - den pro - mise: but - ter - flies will soon be free!
there's a dawn in ev - ery dark - ness bring - ing hope to you and me.
in our doubt there is be - liev - ing; in our life, e - ter - ni - ty.



In the cold and snow of win - ter there's a spring that waits to be,
From the past will come the fu - ture; what it holds, a mys - ter - y,
In our death, a res - ur - rec - tion; at the last, a vic - to - ry,



un - re - vealed un - til its sea - son, some - thing God a - lone can see.

Prayer after Communion

Presider Life-giving God,
All **in the mystery of Christ's resurrection you send
light to conquer darkness, water to give new life,
and the bread of life to nourish your people. Send
us forth as witnesses to your Son's resurrection,
so that we may show your glory to all the world,
through Jesus Christ, our risen Lord.
Amen.**

Closing Responses

Presider We go out into the world as the people of
God in this place,
All **and may the God who raised Jesus from the dead
grant us grace,
the Son who gave his life for us give us peace,
and the Spirit who is with us day by day,
inspire us to great service both now and forever.
Amen.**

Easter Blessing

Recessional hymn (CP #231) ***That Eastertide with Joy Was Bright***

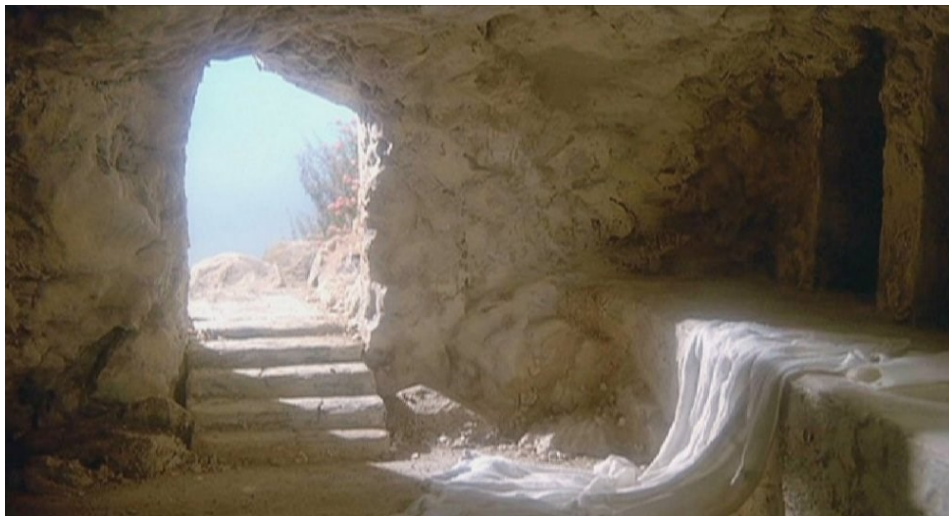
1 That Eastertide with joy was bright;
the sun shone out with fairer light,
alleluia, alleluia!
when, to their longing eyes restored,
the apostles saw their risen Lord.
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

2 He bade them see his hands, his side,
where yet the glorious wounds abide;
alleluia, alleluia!
the tokens true which made it plain
their Lord was risen again.
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

3 From every weapon death can wield
Thine own redeemed forever shield:
 alleluia, alleluia!
 O Lord of all, with us abide
 in this our joyful Eastertide.
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

4 Jesus, the king of gentleness,
do thou thyself our hearts possess,
 alleluia, alleluia!
that we may give thee all our days
the tribute of our grateful praise.
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

Presider Alleluia! Go in peace...
All Thanks be to God. Alleluia!



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