



CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL, VICTORIA, BC

Choral Eucharist

EASTER 2, YEAR B

Sunday, April 7, 2024 11.00 a.m.



CHRIST CHURCH
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A CATHEDRAL FOR THE CITY



ANGLICAN DIOCESE
OF ISLANDS AND INLETS
RENEWED HEARTS, RENEWED SPIRITS, RENEWED PEOPLE

Welcome to the **Cathedral Church** of the Anglican Diocese of British Columbia. Here we respectfully acknowledge that we gather to worship on the ancestral lands of the Esquimalt and Songhees Nations, with whom we are in relationship to seek reconciliation.

As an Anglican centre for spirituality, learning, culture, heritage and community, this cathedral upholds a daily rhythm of worship in the heart of Victoria. From daily spoken and sung services to the weekly celebration of the Eucharist and Choral Evensong, we mark the important events of the Christian calendar and in the life of our diocese and the wider community.

If you would like to sign up for our E-news, or would like more information about the Cathedral, please visit our website www.christchurchcathedral.bc.ca.

You can also use the QR code to make a donation, use our Welcome Card or to download the service leaflets and more.



Presider: The Reverend Canon Doug Friesen
Musical Setting: Missa de Angelis—plainsong

This service is being broadcast live on the Internet. By attending this morning, you acknowledge and consent to the fact that video images of you may appear there.

The words to the hymns can be found in the blue hymnal "Common Praise". Copies of the hymnals can be found in the book racks in the pews. If you are unable to locate a copy, please ask the sidespeople for assistance.

Prelude: Récit de tierce en taille

Nicolas De Grigny (d. 1703)

The Gathering of the Community

Dominical Greeting & Sunday Notices

The Reverend Canon Jeannine Friesen

Priest Alleluia! Christ is risen.
People **The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia!**
Priest May his grace and peace be with you.
People **May he fill our hearts with joy.**

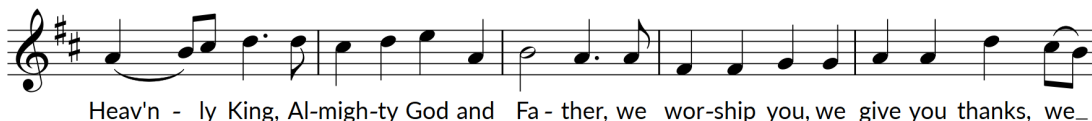
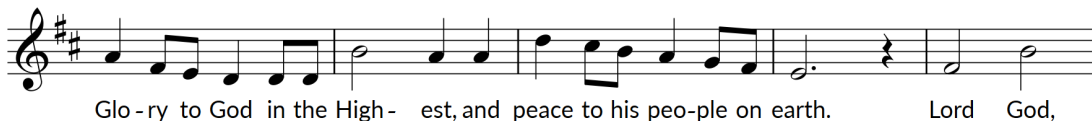
Entrance Hymn #224—Awake, Arise, Lift Up Your Voice

Tune: Richmond

Gloria in excelsis

remain standing as able

David Thorne



high - est. Lord, Je - susChrist, on - ly Son of the Fa - ther. Lord God,
 Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the world; have mer - cy on us; You are
 sea - ted at the righthand of the Fa - ther; re - ceive our prayer. Glo - ry to God,
 Glo - ry to God, Glo - ry to God in the high - est. For you a - lone are the Ho - ly one,
 You a - lone are the Lord, 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.
 Glo - ry to God, Glo - ry to God, Glo - ry to God in the high - est.

Collect of the Day

Presider Let us hold this moment open to God's grace.

Almighty and eternal God,
 the strength of those who believe
 and the hope of those who doubt,
 may we, who have not see, have faith
 and receive the fullness of Christ's blessing,
 who is alive and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
 one God, now and for ever.

People **Amen.**

The Proclamation of the Word

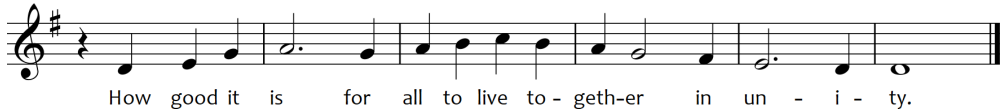
First Reading

Acts 4.32-35 / *all seated*

Reader Alleluia, Christ is risen!
People **The Lord is risen indeed, Alleluia!**

Response to the Reading: Psalm 133

remain seated



Oh, how good and pleasant it is,
when people live together in unity!
It is like fine oil upon the head
that runs down upon the beard,
Upon the beard of Aaron,
and runs down upon the collar of his robe. *Refrain*

It is like the dew of Hermon
that falls upon the hills of Zion.
For there the Lord has ordained the blessing:
life for evermore. *Refrain*

Second Reading

1 John 1.1-2.2

Reader Alleluia, Christ is risen!
People **The Lord is risen indeed, Alleluia!**

Gospel Acclamation

All stand and turn to face the Book of the Gospels as it is carried into the midst of the community.



Cantor Have you believed, Thomas, because you have seen me?
Blessed are those who have not seen and yet believe.

The Holy Gospel

Deacon The Lord be with you.
People **And also with you.**
Deacon Hear the Good News of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.
People **Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

John 20.19-31

Deacon The Gospel of Christ.
People **Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

Homily

The Reverend Canon Jack Rose, OSBCn

The Apostles' Creed

all standing as able

Presider Let us confess the faith of our baptism as we say,
All **I believe in God,
the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ, God's 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.**

**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. Amen.**

The Prayers of the People

please stand, sit or kneel as preferred

Leader Jesus, risen among us,
People **Hear our prayer.**

The Exchange of the Peace

all standing as able

Presider The risen Christ came and stood among his disciples
and said, 'Peace be with you.'

People **Then were they glad when they saw the Lord. Alleluia.**

Please exchange the peace with your neighbours using a suitable gesture.

The Celebration of the Eucharist

The Preparation of the Gifts

Hymn #228—Alleluia! O Sons and Daughters (omit v. 2-4)

Tune: O Filii et Filiae

A basket is passed to receive monetary gifts which will be offered along with bread and wine at the altar. Our donation kiosk can be found at the Quadra St doors (charitable tax receipt option available), and our new, easy to use Tap machines for those who do not require a tax receipt are available at the Quadra Street and Burdett Ave doors. Please use the QR code at the beginning of the leaflet if you would like to make an online donation. Thank you!

Prayer over the Gifts

Presider God of grace,
you have freed us from our sins
and made us a kingdom in your Son
Jesus Christ our Lord.
Accept all we offer you this day,
and strengthen us in the new life you have given us,
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

All **Amen.**

The Great Thanksgiving

many prefer to stand

Presider The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Presider Lift up your hearts.

People **We lift them to the Lord.**

Presider Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

Presider 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, joining our voices
with the whole company of heaven,
we sing our joyful hymn of praise
to proclaim the glory of your name:

<i>Cantor</i>	<i>Sanctus, sanctus, sanctus, Dominus Deus Sabaoth. Pleni sunt coeli et terra gloria tua. Hosanna in excelsis. Benedictus qui venit in nomine Domini. Hosanna in excelsis.</i>	Holy, holy, holy, Lord God of hosts. Heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.
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Presider We praise you, merciful God,
not as we ought, but as we are able,
because in your tender love
you gave the world your only Son,
in order that the world might be saved through him.
He made you known by taking the form of a servant,
healing the sick, liberating the oppressed,
reaching out to the lost.

Betrayed, reviled, and nailed to the cross,
he confronted the power of sin
and disarmed it for ever.
In his offering of himself,
he became the perfect and sufficient sacrifice
for the sins of the whole world.
Redeemed by Christ,
we have been adopted as your children;
by your pardon
you have made us worthy to praise you.

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 all
for the forgiveness of sins.
Whenever you drink it,
do this for the remembrance of me."

In obedience to him and with grateful hearts
we approach your holy table,
remembering our Saviour's sacrifice,
and rejoicing in his victory.
Confident in his sovereign purpose,
we declare our faith.

All **Christ has died,
Christ is risen,
Christ will come again.**

Presider Send your Holy Spirit on us
that as we receive this bread and this cup
we may partake of the body and blood
of our Lord Jesus Christ,
and feed on him in our hearts
by faith with thanksgiving.
May we be renewed in his risen life,
filled with love,
and strengthened in our will to serve others;
and make of our lives, we pray,
a pure and holy sacrifice, acceptable to you,
knitting us together as one in your Son Jesus Christ,
to whom, with you and the Holy Spirit,
be all honour and glory, now and forever.

People **Amen.**

The Lord's Prayer

Presider As our Saviour taught us, let us pray,
All say **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 forever. Amen.

The Breaking of the Bread

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 The gifts of God for the People of God.
People **Thanks be to God.**

Fraction Anthem

many prefer to be seated

Choir *Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi, miserere nobis.*
Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi, dona nobis pacem.

Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world, have mercy on us.
Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world, grant us peace.

The Communion

All are invited to receive communion, which will be distributed at the communion rail.
A reminder that intinction (or dipping the bread into the cup) is considered unsafe, and is thus not permitted. If you have mobility issues, you may remain seated and communion will be brought to you.

Prayers for healing with the laying-on-of-hands and anointing may be sought in the Lady Chapel (to the left of the high altar) during today's Communion. You may ask for prayers for yourself, or for the needs of another. Information shared during these prayers is kept in the strictest confidence.

Anthem

Antonín Dvořák (d. 1904)

Sing ye a joyful song unto the Lord.
Who hath done marvellous things.
Praise the Lord, all the earth!
Sing praises, shout, and be joyful!
Let the sea roar and all that is therein,
the round world and all they that dwell there,
Lift your voices, floods and tempests.
Mountains, clap your hands for joy.
Let the fields laugh and sing, with waving corn,
and let all the trees of the forest be joyful.

Text: Psalm 98.1,4,5,7,8 & Psalm 96.11-12

Prayers after Communion

please stand

Presider Loving God,
we have seen with our eyes
and touched with our hands
the bread of life.
Strengthen our faith
that we may grow in love for you and for each other;
through Jesus Christ the risen Lord.

All **Amen.**

Presider Glory to God,
All **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 The God of peace,
who brought again from the dead our Lord Jesus,
that great shepherd of the sheep,

through the blood of the eternal covenant,
make you perfect in every good work to do his will,
working in you that which is well-pleasing in his sight;
and the blessing ...**Amen.**

Hymn #239—Jesus Lives! Thy Terrors Now

Tune: St Albinus

The Sending Forth of the Community

The Dismissal

Deacon He is not here. He is risen.
Go in peace to love and serve the Lord. Alleluia, alleluia!
People **In the name of Christ. Alleluia, alleluia!**

Voluntary: “Hallelujah has been restored...” “from Rubrics”

Dan Locklair (b. 1949)

Thank you for being part of this morning’s service. Coffee is offered between the 9.15am and 11am services. Please arrive early next week for a time of community in the Chapter Room.



The Flowers in the cathedral are placed to the glory of God.

Sources:

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Church of England Sundays & Seasons

Readings for Next Sunday (April 14, The Third Sunday of Easter)

Acts 3.12-19

Psalm 4

John 3.1-7

Luke 24.36b-48

Assisting with Today's Liturgy

<i>Sidespersons</i>	Janis Wheatley, Leah Ibbitson, Gwyneth Evans
<i>Members of Management Team</i>	Stephen Calderwood, Marilyn Taylor
<i>Verger</i>	Bob Fearnley
<i>Servers</i>	Cyrus Chan, Christopher Shannon, Karl-Lukas Steiniger
<i>Musicians</i>	The Christ Church Cathedral Guild of Bell Ringers Jordan Rettich, <i>cantor</i> Donald Hunt, <i>Director of Music</i>
<i>Readers</i>	Barbara Pittam, Phil Saurette
<i>Assisting Clergy</i>	The Reverend Canon Ian Powell
<i>Deacon</i>	The Reverend Canon Nancy Ford
<i>Prayers of the People</i>	Susanna Longridge
<i>Eucharistic Ministers</i>	Daniel Dempsey, Heather Murphy, Janis Wheatley, Jen Purkis
<i>Healing Ministry</i>	Carol Throp, Diana McNeil
<i>Camera and Tech Team</i>	The Cathedral Technical Team
<i>Chancel Guild</i>	Cheryl Perry, <i>president</i>

SAVE THE DATE

In follow up to the Annual Vestry Meeting, a **congregational meeting** to discuss **Building for the Future** will be held in the Chapter room on **Saturday, April 13 from 10:30 to noon**. The purpose of the meeting is to give members of the congregation an opportunity to ask questions about the project. The meeting will be hosted by members of the Cathedral Management Team and Cathedral Council with Rev'd Canon Ian Powell providing the subject expertise.

For those that cannot attend in person, the meeting will also be available via Zoom (link to follow nearer the time).

Our diocesan conference “**We Together**” is coming up on 12-13 April 2024. It will be held at St John the Divine this year. There are two excellent keynote speakers. This is a wonderful opportunity to forge or renew relationships with people around the diocese. I hope you will come and join me as we grow together as the people of God on this Islands and Inlets. - *JB+*

More info and registration at bc.anglican.ca **Registration has been extended to 8 April.**

Monthly Outreach - Sleeping Children Around the World

April's Monthly Outreach recipient is Sleeping Children around the World (SCAW). This is a Canadian charity that distributes bedkits to children ages 6-12 in some of the most disadvantaged parts of the world. A bedkit consists of mosquito netting, a mattress, two sets of clothes, school supplies and whatever else the local partner thinks is important- all for \$40 Cdn. Every penny of each donation goes to the bedkit. None of any donation pays for administrative costs. Importantly, all items in the bedkit are sourced locally so there are no transportation costs and the money goes into the local economy. By the time you read this, one of the Cathedral's parishioners will be in Uganda helping to distribute 8000 bedkits. If you'd like to learn more about SCAW and sign up for the Liveblogs which provide daily updates on the distributions in progress, go to www.scaw.org. If you have questions, Marg Nelson is happy to give you more information.

THIS WEEK AT THE CATHEDRAL

*The Cathedral is open Monday to Friday from 8.30 a.m. to 5.30 p.m.,
Saturdays from 10.00 a.m. to 4.00 p.m. and Sundays from 7.30 a.m. to 5.00 p.m.*

Monday

8.45 a.m. Morning Prayer, said *Lady Chapel*
5.00 p.m. Evening Prayer, said *Lady Chapel*

Tuesday

8.45 a.m. Morning Prayer, said *Lady Chapel*
1.00 p.m. Library open until 2.30 p.m. *Chapter Room*
5.00 p.m. Evening Prayer, said *Lady Chapel*

Wednesday

8.45 a.m. Christ Church Cathedral School Chapel *Nave*
10.00 a.m. Walking Group *See Website for Location*
12.15 p.m. Holy Communion, said *St Christopher's Chapel*
5.00 p.m. Choral Evensong *Nave*

Thursday

8.45 a.m. Morning Prayer, said *Lady Chapel*
5.00 p.m. Evening Prayer, said *Lady Chapel*

Friday

8.45 a.m. Morning Prayer, said *Lady Chapel*
5.00 p.m. Evening Prayer, said *Lady Chapel*

Saturday

10.00 a.m. Walking Group *See Website for Location*
4.00 p.m. Sihana Dorfsman graduating recital *Nave*

Sunday

8.00 a.m. Holy Communion, said *Lady Chapel*
9.15 a.m. Holy Eucharist *Nave*
11.00 a.m. Choral Eucharist *Nave / Livestreamed*
4.00 p.m. Choral Evensong *Nave / Livestreamed*

**For information on joining or attending, contact the Cathedral Office*

This schedule is subject to change, visit www.christchurchcathedral.bc.ca/events for the most up-to-date information.

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