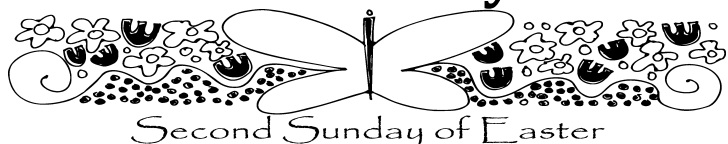




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The Sunday of the Resurrection: Easter Day



Second Sunday of Easter

April 12, 2020

Morning Prayer

Officiant Alleluia! Christ is risen!
People The Lord is risen indeed! Alleluia!

Officiant
If then you have been raised with Christ, seek the things that are above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God.

In keeping with the ancient custom of the Church, the confession is omitted during the Great Fifty Days of Easter.

The Invitatory and Psalter

Officiant Lord, open our lips.
People And our mouth shall proclaim your praise.

Officiant and People
Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen. Alleluia.

Pascha Nostrum

1 Cor. 5:7-8; Romans 6:9-11; 1 Cor. 15:20-22

Alleluia.

Christ our Passover has been sacrificed for us; *
therefore let us keep the feast,
Not with old leaven, the leaven of malice and evil, but with the unleavened bread of

sincerity and truth. Alleluia.

Christ being raised from the dead will never die again; death no longer has dominion over him.

The death that he died, he died to sin, once for all; but the life he lives, he lives to God.

So also consider yourselves dead to sin, and alive to God in Jesus Christ our Lord. Alleluia.

Christ has been raised from the dead, the first fruits of those who have fallen asleep.

For since by a man came death, by a man has come also the resurrection of the dead.

For as in Adam all die, so in Christ shall all be made alive. Alleluia.

Psalm 118:1-2, 14-24

(Read in unison after the first asterisk)

- 1 Give thanks to the LORD, for he is good; * his mercy endures for ever.
- 2 Let Israel now proclaim, * "His mercy endures for ever."
- 14 The LORD is my strength and my song, * and he has become my salvation.
- 15 There is a sound of exultation and victory * in the tents of the righteous:
- 16 "The right hand of the LORD has triumphed! * the right hand of the LORD is exalted! the right hand of the LORD has triumphed!"
- 17 I shall not die, but live, * and declare the works of the LORD.
- 18 The LORD has punished me sorely, * but he did not hand me over to death.
- 19 Open for me the gates of righteousness; * I will enter them; I will offer thanks to the LORD.

- 20 "This is the gate of the LORD; * he who is righteous may enter."
- 21 I will give thanks to you, for you answered me * and have become my salvation.
- 22 The same stone which the builders rejected * has become the chief cornerstone.
- 23 This is the LORD'S doing, * and it is marvelous in our eyes.
- 24 On this day the LORD has acted; * we will rejoice and be glad in it.

Officiant and People

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen.

A Reading from Acts (10:34-43)

Then Peter began to speak to them: "I truly understand that God shows no partiality, but in every nation anyone who fears him and does what is right is acceptable to him. You know the message he sent to the people of Israel, preaching peace by Jesus Christ--he is Lord of all. That message spread throughout Judea, beginning in Galilee after the baptism that John announced: how God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and with power; how he went about doing good and healing all who were oppressed by the devil, for God was with him. We are witnesses to all that he did both in Judea and in Jerusalem. They put him to death by hanging him on a tree; but God raised him on the third day and allowed him to appear, not to all the people but to us who were chosen by God as witnesses, and who ate and drank with him after he rose from the dead. He commanded us to preach to the people and to testify that he is the one ordained by God as judge of the living and the dead. All the prophets testify about him that everyone who believes in him receives forgiveness of sins through his name."

Reader The Word of the Lord
People **Thanks be to God**

Canticle 11 – The Third Song of Isaiah

Isaiah 60:1-3, 11a, 14c, 18-19

Arise, shine, for your light has come, * **and the**

glory of the Lord has dawned upon you.
For behold, darkness covers the land; deep gloom enshrouds the peoples.
But over you the Lord will rise, and his glory will appear upon you.
Nations will stream to your light, and kings to the brightness of your dawning.
Your gates will always be open; by day or night they will never be shut.
They will call you, The City of the Lord, The Zion of the Holy One of Israel.
Violence will no more be heard in your land, ruin or destruction within your borders.
You will call your walls, Salvation, and all your portals, Praise.
The sun will no more be your light by day; by night you will not need the brightness of the moon.
The Lord will be your everlasting light, and your God will be your glory.

Officiant and People

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen.

A Reading from Colossians (3:1-4)

If you have been raised with Christ, seek the things that are above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God. Set your minds on things that are above, not on things that are on earth, for you have died, and your life is hidden with Christ in God. When Christ who is your life is revealed, then you also will be revealed with him in glory

Reader The Word of the Lord
People **Thanks be to God**

Canticle 18 – A Song to the Lamb

Revelation 4:11, 5:9-10, 13

Splendor and honor and kingly power * are yours by right, O Lord our God,
For you created everything that is, and by your will they were created and have their being;
And yours by right, O Lamb that was slain, for with your blood you have redeemed for God,
From every family, language, people, and nation, a kingdom of priests to serve our God.
And so, to him who sits upon the throne, and to Christ the Lamb,
Be worship and praise, dominion and splendor, for ever and for evermore.

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ According to Matthew

(28:1-10)

Glory to you, Lord Christ.

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

Silence for reflection

Fr. Haynes

The Apostles' Creed (Standing, as able)

Officiant and People together

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

Officiant The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Officiant 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 this day 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.

- V. Show us your mercy, O Lord;
R. **And grant us your salvation.**
V. Clothe your ministers with righteousness;
R. **Let your people sing with joy.**
V. Give peace, O Lord, in all the world;
R. **For only in you can we live in safety.**
V. Lord, keep this nation under your care;
R. **And guide us in the way of justice and truth.**
V. Let your way be known upon earth;
R. **Your saving health among all nations.**
V. Let not the needy, O Lord, be forgotten;
R. **Nor the hope of the poor be taken away.**
V. Create in us clean hearts, O God;
R. **And sustain us with your Holy Spirit.**

Officiant

Almighty God, who through your only-begotten Son Jesus Christ overcame death and opened to us the gate of everlasting life: Grant that we, who celebrate with joy the day of the Lord's resurrection, may be raised from the death of sin by your life-giving Spirit; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

Lord God, almighty and everlasting Father, you have brought us in safety to this new day: Preserve us with your mighty power, that we may not fall into sin, nor be overcome by adversity; and in all

we do, direct us to the fulfilling of your purpose;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Leader

Alleluia! Our glorious God has raised Jesus from
death to life; let every heart be filled with praise.
Alleluia!

Sanctify your creation as abundant new life now
bursts forth.

***That all may share in the wholeness promised to
our broken world.***

Guide those in authority to transcend the barriers
that separate the human family and build together
an everlasting peace, praying especially for
an end to all war, terror and violence in every heart
and land.

***That our world may know the blessings of life in
you.***

Encourage your Church to celebrate the
resurrection with joy, committing ourselves to the
work of reconciliation.

That Christ's Body may be One.

Empower your ministers to proclaim boldly the
message of the resurrection.

That all may come to see you as our Risen Lord.

Inspire us to live faithfully our Baptismal vows and
to partake lovingly of the Sacred Bread and Wine.

That we may be an Easter people.

Assist those who suffer or are in need; the poor, the
lonely, the disabled.

That they too may share in your abundant life.

Embrace those who have died with your eternal
love.

***That they may rejoice in your presence forever
more.***

Hear our special intercessions for this day, O Lord,
as we pray: for the Anglican Communion, especially
the Dioceses of Meru - (Kenya), West Malaysia - (South East
Asia), Idaho - (The Episcopal Church), Mexico - (Mexico), West
Tennessee - (The Episcopal Church), Ideato - (Nigeria), Michigan -
(The Episcopal Church), West Texas - (The Episcopal Church), Milwaukee -
(The Episcopal Church), West Virginia - (The Episcopal Church), Western
Izon - (Nigeria), Minna - (Nigeria), Western Kansas - (The Episcopal
Church), Minnesota - (The Episcopal Church), Western Kowloon -
(Hong Kong), Idoani - (Nigeria), and for Peace in Jerusalem

and the Holy Land; The Episcopal Church; our
diocese, especially St. Matthew / San Mateo,
Auburn; Good Shepherd, Federal Way; St.
Elizabeth, Burien; St. James, Kent; St. Columba,
Kent; our parish, especially for our parishioners
Scott, Holly, Chelsea, and Sydney Donnelly; Terry &
Dick Elofson; Agueda & Michael Fernandez-
Webster; that your Holy Spirit would guide and
direct your Church throughout the world to be a
sign of your Kingdom;

We pray for the deployed and their families,
especially Keith Morrison and for those we now
name;

We pray for all those on our prayer list, especially
for Lyn, Areewa, Brenda, Marisa, Sandy, Paulette,
Erica, Rico, Steven, David, Jenny, Ann, Hollie,
Christine, Kahlan (pronounced KAY-lin), Theresa,
Beth, Justin, Sherrie, Saray, Mary, Julianne, Jerry,
Kathy, Kari, Thomas, Jessica, Antonette, Ryan, Bob,
Seattle Children's Hospital families and for those
we now name;

We thank you for all the blessings of this life
especially for those we now name;

We pray also for those who have died, especially
Bob Witter, Elaine Taylor, Jay Croft, Quinn Carlisle,
and those we now name;

We praise you and bless you, O Christ.
We praise you and bless you.

Officiant

Almighty God, who through your only-begotten
Son Jesus Christ overcame death and opened to
us the gate of everlasting life: Grant that we, who
celebrate with joy the day of the Lord's
resurrection, may be raised from the death of sin
by your life-giving Spirit; through Jesus Christ
our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the
Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

Announcements, Birthdays, Anniversaries

*After the Offering is collected and placed upon the
altar, the following is sung*

Song of Praise Hymn #380 vs. 3 *Doxology*

Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
praise him, all creatures here below;
praise him above ye heavenly host:
praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen

The General Thanksgiving

Almighty God, Father of all mercies,
**we your unworthy servants give you humble
thanks for all your goodness and loving-
kindness to us and to all whom you have made.
We bless you for our creation, preservation,
and all the blessings of this life; but above all
for your immeasurable love in the redemption
of the world by our Lord Jesus Christ; for the
means of grace, and for the hope of glory. And,
we pray, give us such an awareness of your
mercies, that with truly thankful hearts we may
show forth your praise, not only with our lips,
but in our lives, by giving up our selves to your
service, and by walking before you in holiness
and righteousness all our days; through Jesus
Christ our Lord, to whom, with you and the Holy
Spirit, be honor and glory throughout all ages.
Amen.**

The Easter Blessing

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

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.

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.**

And the blessing of God Almighty, ✠ the Father, the
son, and Holy Spirit, be upon you and remain with
you for ever. **Amen.**

St. Matthew Mission Statement

**To be a church that passionately embraces and
values all people, growing in the love of Christ
through word and action.**

<i>Officiant</i>	Let us bless the Lord. Alleluia, Alleluia!
<i>People</i>	Thanks be to God. Alleluia, Alleluia!