HOLY EUCHARIST: Rite II

THE THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

April 26, 2020 ♦ 10:00 a.m.

James Blersch

While we're unable to be in church together, we gather today as the church, the Body of Christ.

Wherever you are, we hope you'll participate fully in our worship through singing, prayer, hearing the Good News of Jesus

Christ, and receiving spiritual communion. May God richly bless you as you bless us!

ORGAN VOLUNTARIES

Easter Triptych

I. Through the Red Sea brought at last

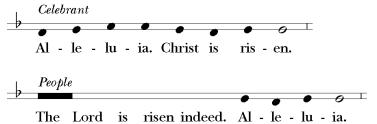
II. Jesus Christ is risen today

III. Come, O come, our voices raise

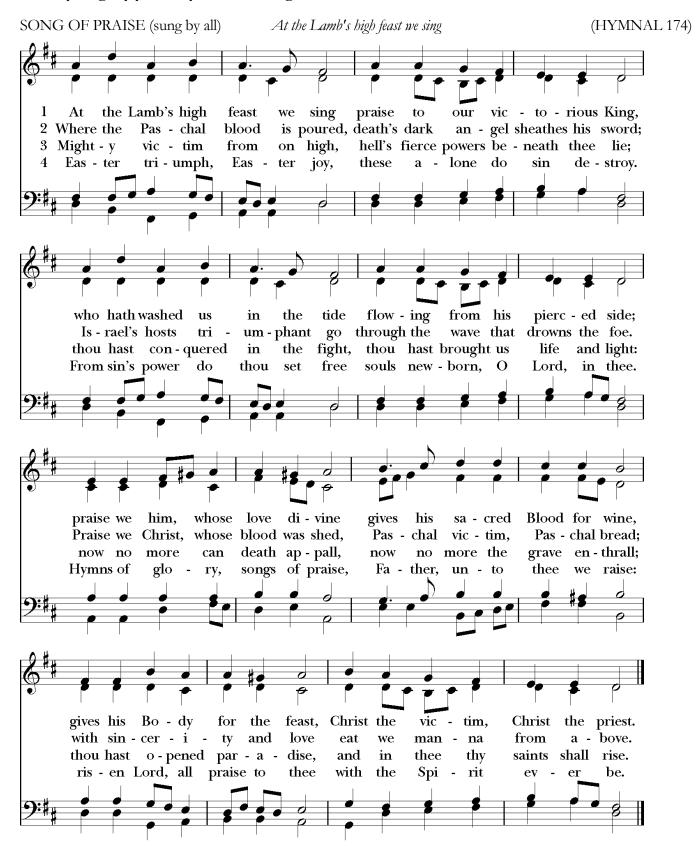
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ightharpoonup All stand as able at the sound of the bell.





Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord. Amen.



Words: Latin, 1632; tr. Robert Campbell (1814-1868), alt. Music: Salzburg, melody Jakob Hintze (1622-1702); harm. Johann Sebastian Bach (1685-1750)

Presiding Priest The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Presiding Priest Let us pray.

O God, whose blessed Son made himself known to his disciples in the breaking of bread: Open the eyes of our faith, that we may behold him in all his redeeming work; who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen**.

THE WORD OF GOD



Acts 2:14a, 36-41

READER: A Reading from the Acts of the Apostles

Peter, standing with the eleven, raised his voice and addressed them: "Therefore let the entire house of Israel know with certainty that God has made him both Lord and Messiah, this Jesus whom you crucified." Now when they heard this, they were cut to the heart and said to Peter and to the other apostles, "Brothers, what should we do?" Peter said to them, "Repent, and be baptized every one of you in the name of Jesus Christ so that your sins may be forgiven; and you will receive the gift of the Holy Spirit. For the promise is for you, for your children, and for all who are far away, everyone whom the Lord our God calls to him." And he testified with many other arguments and exhorted them, saying, "Save yourselves from this corrupt generation." So those who welcomed his message were baptized, and that day about three thousand persons were added.

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

People Thanks be to God.

Silence is marked by the ringing of a bell.

THE RESPONSE (remain seated, sung by all)

Psalm 116:1-3, 10-17



1 I love the Lord, because he has heard the voice of my suppli/cation, * because he has inclined his ear to me whenever I called up\on him.

2 The cords of death entangled me; the grip of the grave took / hold of me; * I came to grief and \ sorrow.

3 Then I called upon the Name of the / Lord: *

"O Lord, I pray you, save my \ life."

10 How shall I repay the / Lord * for all the good things he has \ done for me?

11 I will lift up the cup of sal/vation * and call upon the Name of the \ Lord.

12 I will fulfill my vows to the / Lord * in the presence of all his \ people.

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13 Precious in the sight of the / Lord * is the death of his \ servants.

14 O Lord, I am your / servant; *

I am your servant and the child of your handmaid; you have freed me from my \ bonds.

15 I will offer you the sacrifice of thanks/giving * and call upon the Name of the \ Lord.

16 I will fulfill my vows to the / Lord * in the presence of all his \ people,

(second half of chant)

17 In the courts of the / Lord's house, * in the midst of you, O Jerusalem. Halle\lujah!

THE SECOND READING

1 Peter 1:17-23

READER: A Reading from the First Letter of Peter

If you invoke as Father the one who judges all people impartially according to their deeds, live in reverent fear during the time of your exile. You know that you were ransomed from the futile ways inherited from your ancestors, not with perishable things like silver or gold, but with the precious blood of Christ, like that of a lamb without defect or blemish. He was destined before the foundation of the world, but was revealed at the end of the ages for your sake. Through him you have come to trust in God, who raised him from the dead and gave him glory, so that your faith and hope are set on God. Now that you have purified your souls by your obedience to the truth so that you have genuine mutual love, love one another deeply from the heart. You have been born anew, not of perishable but of imperishable seed, through the living and enduring word of God.

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GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Cantor, then all and after the verse:



VERSE: Your name we bless, O risen Lord, and sing today with one accord the life laid down, the life restored. (ALL REPEAT ANTIPHON)

THE GOSPEL Luke 24:13-35

The Priest reads the Gospel, first saying

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke.

People Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Now on that same day two of them were going to a village called Emmaus, about seven miles from Jerusalem, and talking with each other about all these things that had happened. While they were talking and discussing, Jesus himself came near and went with them, but their eyes were kept from recognizing him. And he said to them, "What are you discussing with each other while you walk along?" They stood still, looking sad. Then one of them, whose name was Cleopas, answered him, "Are you the only stranger in Jerusalem who does not know the things that have taken place there in these days?" He asked them, "What things?" They replied, "The things about Jesus of Nazareth, who was a prophet mighty in deed and word before God and all the people, and how our chief priests and leaders handed him over to be condemned to death and crucified him. But we had hoped that he was the one to redeem Israel. Yes, and besides all this, it is now the third day since these things took place. Moreover, some women of our group astounded us. They were at the tomb early this morning, and when they did not find his body there, they came back and told us that they had indeed seen a vision of angels who said that he was alive. Some of those who were with us went to the tomb and found it just as the women had said; but they did not see him." Then he said to them, "Oh, how foolish you are, and how slow of heart to believe all that the prophets have declared! Was it not necessary that the Messiah should suffer these things and then enter into his glory?" Then beginning with Moses and all the prophets, he interpreted to them the things about himself in all the scriptures. As they came near the village to which they were going, he walked ahead as if he were going on. But they urged him strongly, saying, "Stay with us, because it is almost evening and the day is now nearly over." So he went in to stay with them. When he was at the table with them, he took bread, blessed and broke it, and gave it to them. Then their eyes were opened, and they recognized him; and he vanished from their sight. They said to each other, "Were not our hearts burning within us while he was talking to us on the road, while he was opening the scriptures to us?" That same hour they got up and returned to Jerusalem; and they found the eleven and their companions gathered together. They were saying, "The Lord has risen indeed, and he has appeared to Simon!" Then they told what had happened on the road, and how he had been made known to them in the breaking of the bread.

The Gospel of the Lord

People Praise to you, Lord Christ.



Karen Haig

Silence is marked by the ringing of a bell.



Presiding Priest and People

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 and the Son. With the Father and the Son he is worshiped 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 PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

The Leader and People pray responsively

Through resurrection from the dead, God has given us new birth. Let us offer prayers to God for the living hope of all the world.

In our Anglican Cycle of Prayer, we pray for the Episcopal Church in Jerusalem & The Middle East, The Most Revd Michael Lewis –Archbishop, Jerusalem & the Middle East & Bishop of Cyprus and the Gulf. In our Diocesan Cycle of Prayer, we pray for St. Luke and Our Lady of Guadalupe, both in Renton. In our Parish Cycle of Prayer, we pray for grocery and retail employees. For Michael, our Presiding Bishop; Gregory, our Bishop; Karen, our Rector; Nancy, Judith, Patricia, Jan and Jim, priests among us; all who minister in Christ; and for all the holy people of God.

Risen Lord, hear our prayer.

For all those affected by the Coronavirus. For healthcare workers, hospital chaplains, grocery store workers, and for all the heroes who go to work each day, and for the heroes who stay home.

Risen Lord, hear our prayer.

For the victims of war, and for the perpetrators of war and for all those who go in harm's way to serve, both here at home and in lands far away, and for their families and loved ones.

Risen Lord, hear our prayer.

For our sisters and brothers in Christ who are visiting St Barnabas this morning, remembering that in welcoming strangers we may welcome angels unaware.

Risen Lord, hear our prayer.

For the world and its leaders, all nations, and all people.

Risen Lord, hear our prayer.

For all those in need, the suffering and the oppressed, travelers and prisoners, the dying and those who have died.

Risen Lord, hear our prayer.

For ourselves, our families, for the ones we love and the ones we find hard to love.

Risen Lord, hear our prayer.

That Christ may fill us with the joy and happiness of his holy resurrection.

Risen Lord, hear our prayer.

Remembering our most glorious and blessed Virgin Mary, Barnabas, and all the saints, let us offer ourselves and one another to the living God through Christ.

To you, O Lord our God.

Presider

Blessed are you, O Lord our God, who gives us eternal peace through Jesus Christ. Hear our prayers which we offer in the hope of glory, and breathe upon us with your Holy Spirit; through our risen Lord, Jesus Christ. **Amen**.

THE PEACE

Presiding Priest The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People And also with you.

♣ WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE HOLY COMMUNION

Please remain seated. At the offertory sentence, an offering of money is collected.

ANTHEM

Draw us in the Spirit's tether

Harold Friedell

Draw us in the Spirit's tether, For when humbly in Thy name, Two or three are met together Thou are in the midst of them; Alleluia! Alleluia! Touch we now Thy garment's hem.

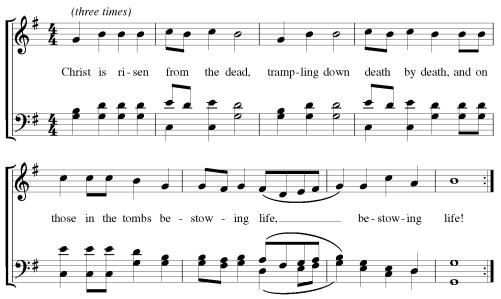
As the brethren used to gather In the name of Christ to sup, Then with thanks to God the Father Break the bread and bless the cup, Alleluia! Alleluia! So knit Thou our friendship up.

All our meals and all our living Make as sacraments of Thee, That by caring, helping, giving We may true disciples be. Alleluia! Alleluia! We will serve Thee faithfully.

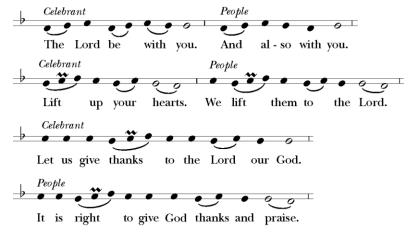
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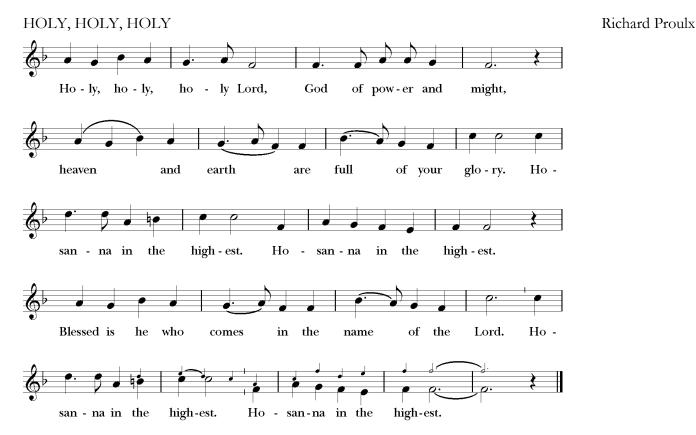
The people remain standing as able.



It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.

But chiefly are we bound to praise you for the glorious resurrection of your Son Jesus Christ our Lord; for he is the true Paschal Lamb, who was sacrificed for us, and has taken away the sin of the world. By his death he has destroyed death, and by his rising to life again he has won for us everlasting life.

Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:



Holy and gracious Father: In your infinite love you made us for yourself; and, when we had fallen into sin and become subject to evil and death, you, in your mercy, sent Jesus Christ, your only and eternal Son, to share our human nature, to live and die as one of us, to reconcile us to you, the God and Father of all. He stretched out his arms upon the cross, and offered himself in obedience to your will, a perfect sacrifice for the whole world.

On the night he was handed over to suffering and death, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, 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."

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again. We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O Father, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving. Recalling his death, resurrection, and ascension, we offer you these gifts. Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of your Son, the holy food and drink of new and unending life in him. Sanctify us also that we may faithfully receive this holy Sacrament, and serve you in unity, constancy, and peace; and at the last day bring us with all your saints into the joy of your eternal kingdom.

All this we ask through your Son Jesus Christ. By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever.



And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy Name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread,

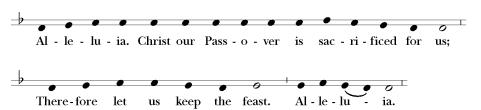
and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us.

And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.

ACCLAMATION AFTER THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD Sung responsively

Ambrosian Chant



This setting may be sung full by all, or by the choir, or as a versicle and response.

THE INVITATION TO COMMUNION

The gifts of God for the People of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you and lives for you and feed on him in your hearts by faith with thanksgiving.

Let us pray.

My Jesus, I believe that you are truly present in the Blessed Sacrament of the Altar. I love you above all things, and long for you in my soul. Since I cannot now receive you sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. As though you have already come, I embrace you and unite myself entirely to you; never permit me to be separated from you. Amen.



HYMN (sung by all, next page) Come, risen Lord

(HYMNAL 306)



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THE POST-COMMUNION PRAYER

Loving God, we give you thanks for restoring us in your image and nourishing us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of Christ's Body and Blood. Now send us forth a people, forgiven, healed, renewed; that we may proclaim your love to the world and continue in the risen life of Christ our Savior. Amen.

THE BLESSING

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**.

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 God's Blessing be with you, Christ's peace be with you, and the Spirit's outpouring be with you, now and always. **Amen**.

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THE DISMISSAL



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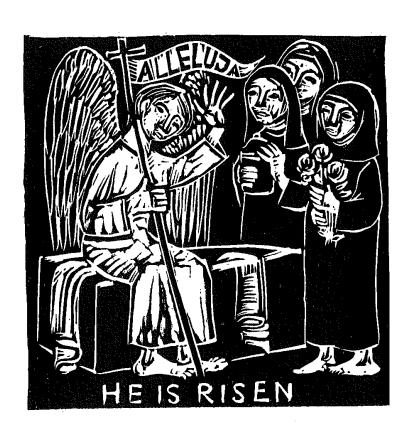
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