

THE SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER

April 28, 2019

THE HOLY EUCHARIST: RITE II – 10:30 A.M.

The Service begins on page 355 of The Book of Common Prayer.

Prelude: “The Peace may be exchanged...” from *Rubrics* Dan Locklair (b. 1949)

THE WORD OF GOD

Introit attr. William Byrd (1538–1623)

Non nobis, Domine, non nobis, sed nomini tuo da gloriam.

Not unto us, O Lord, not unto us, but unto thy Name give the praise

– Psalm 115:1

Hymn 212: “Awake, arise, lift up your voice” Richmond, *stand*

Opening Sentences

Priest: Alleluia. Christ is risen.

People: **The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia.**

The Collect for Purity

Priest: 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.**

Gloria in excelsis (*Hymnal S 278*) William Mathias (1934–1992)

All: **Glory to God in the highest, and peace to God’s people on earth.
Lord God, heavenly King, almighty God and Father,
we worship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glory.
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 the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit,
in the glory of God the Father. Amen.**

The Collect of the Day

Priest: The Lord be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

Priest: Let us pray.

Almighty and everlasting God, who in the Paschal mystery established the new covenant of reconciliation: Grant that all who have been reborn into the fellowship of Christ's Body may show forth in their lives what they profess by their faith; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

People: **Amen.**

The Lessons

Lector: A Reading from The Book of the Acts of the Apostles. (5: 27-32) *sit*

When the apostles were brought in, the captain of the temple guard and his officers had them stand before the Sanhedrin, the council. The high priest questioned them, saying, "We gave you strict orders not to teach in this name, yet here you have filled Jerusalem with your teaching and you are determined to bring this man's blood on us." But Peter and the apostles answered, "We must obey God rather than any human authority. The God of our ancestors raised up Jesus, whom you had killed by hanging him on a tree. God exalted him at his right hand as Leader and Savior that he might give repentance to Israel and forgiveness of sins. And we are witnesses to these things, and so is the Holy Spirit whom God has given to those who obey him."

The Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

- 1 Hallelujah! Praise God in his holy temple;
praise him in the firmament of his power.
- 2 Praise him for his mighty acts;
praise him for his excellent greatness.
- 3 Praise him with the blast of the ram's-horn;
praise him with lyre and harp.
- 4 Praise him with timbrel and dance;
praise him with strings and pipe.
- 5 Praise him with resounding cymbals;
praise him with loud-clanging cymbals.
- 6 Let everything that has breath
praise the Lord. Hallelujah!

Hymn 206: "O sons and daughters, let us sing!"

O filii et filiae, *stand*

Priest: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.
(20: 19-31)

People: **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

When it was evening on that day, the first day of the week, and the doors of the house where the disciples had met were locked for fear of the Jews, Jesus came and stood among them and said, "Peace be with you." After he said this, he showed them his hands and his side. Then the disciples rejoiced when they saw the Lord. Jesus said to them again, "Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you." When he had said this, he breathed on them and said to them, "Receive the Holy Spirit. If you forgive the sins of any, they are forgiven them; if you retain the sins of any, they are retained." But Thomas (who was called the Twin), one of the twelve, was not with them when Jesus came. So the other disciples told him, "We have seen the Lord." But he said to them, "Unless I see the mark of the nails in his hands, and put my finger in the mark of the nails and my hand in his side, I will not believe." A week later his disciples were again in the house, and Thomas was with them. Although the doors were shut, Jesus came and stood among them and said, "Peace be with you." Then he said to Thomas, "Put your finger here and see my hands. Reach out your hand and put it in my side. Do not doubt but believe." Thomas answered him, "My Lord and my God!"

Jesus said to him, “Have you believed because you have seen me? Blessed are those who have not seen and yet have come to believe.” Now Jesus did many other signs in the presence of his disciples, which are not written in this book. But these are written so that you may come to believe that Jesus is the Messiah, the Son of God, and that through believing you may have life in his name.

Priest: The Gospel of the Lord.

People: **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

The Homily: Christopher Williams

sit

The Nicene Creed

p. 358, *stand*

Prayers of the People

Lector: Gathered together in the name and power of our risen Lord, through whom the glory of God is revealed, let us offer our prayers to almighty God, saying: Lord, hear our prayer.

kneel

For the peace of the world, that all humanity may live in freedom with justice and dignity, let us pray to the Lord:

People: **Lord, hear our prayer.**

Lector: For the unity of the church in Christ Jesus, that we may be one in Christ as Christ is one with God; and for Justin, Archbishop of Canterbury; Michael, our Presiding Bishop; Wayne, our Bishop; Luke, Kelly and Joseph, our clergy; and the members of our parish staff, that they may follow Christ as they seek to serve his church, let us pray to the Lord:

People: **Lord, hear our prayer.**

Lector: For the apostolic mission of the church, that we may bring all humanity to the knowledge and love of God in Christ, let us pray to the Lord:

People: **Lord, hear our prayer.**

Lector: For the diaconal ministry of the church, that we may serve one another in Christ’s name, remembering especially the ministries of Beyond Housing, Bravely, Episcopal City Mission, The Haven of Grace and Outreach Haiti, and the people in need whom they each seek to serve, let us pray to the Lord:

People: **Lord, hear our prayer.**

Lector: For all who need the love and power of Christ, especially Robert Craft, Betty James, Mary Jones, Bryan Miller and Jake Stromsborg, let us pray to the Lord:

People: **Lord, hear our prayer.**

Lector: For all the saints in glory and all those whom we have known and loved who though dead are alive in Christ, let us pray to the Lord:

People: **Lord, hear our prayer.**

Priest: Grant, eternal God, that we who are made one with Jesus Christ in the power of his death and resurrection may show forth in our lives the love which proclaims us his disciples, that the world may believe in you and be saved, through Christ our Lord.

All: **Amen.**

Exchanging the Peace

p. 360, *stand*

The children join the Service from their Sunday School classes.

Announcements

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Acknowledgement of Graduating Seniors

THE HOLY COMMUNION

All baptized persons are invited to receive Communion.

If you would like to receive gluten-free bread, let the priest know at the altar rail.

The Offertory Anthem: Grace

Mark Hayes (b. 1953)

Amazing grace, how sweet the sound;
That saved a wretch like me;
I once was lost but now I'm found;
I once was blind, but now I see.

Through many dangers, toils, and snares,
I have already safely come;
This grace hath brought me safe thus far,
And surely grace will lead me home.

'Twas grace that taught my soul to fear,
And that same grace my fears relieved;
How precious did that grace appear
The hour when I first believed!

When we've been there ten thousand years,
Bright shining as the glorious sun,
We've no less days to sing God's praise
Than since the day we first begun.

– *John Newton*

The Presentation

Lasst uns erfreuen, *stand*

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here below; al-le-lu-ia, al-le-lu-ia. Praise him above, ye heavenly host: praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Al-le-lu-ia, al-le-lu-ia, al-le-lu-ia, al-le-lu-ia. A-men.

The Great Thanksgiving: Eucharistic Prayer B

p. 367

Sanctus and Benedictus

Mass in E, Jeffrey Smith (b. 1960)

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord.
 God of pow'r and might, heav'n and earth are full of your glo-ry. Ho-san - na in the high-est. Bless - ed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na, ho-san - na, ho-san - na in the high - est.

The Lord's Prayer	<i>kneel</i> p. 364
Breaking of the Bread (<i>Hymnal S 152</i>)	p. 364
Administration of the Sacrament	<i>sit</i>
Anthem	Mark Miller
I believe in the sun, even when it's not shining. I believe in love, even when I can't feel it. I believe in God, even when God is silent.	
	<i>– from anonymous Hebrew poem</i>
Hymn 328: "Draw nigh and take the Body of the Lord"	Song 46
A Prayer of Thanksgiving	p. 365, <i>kneel</i>
The Blessing	
Hymn 194: "Jesus lives!"	St. Albinus, <i>stand</i>
The Dismissal	
<i>Priest:</i> Alleluia. Alleluia. Let us go forth into the world, rejoicing in the power of the Spirit.	
<i>People:</i> Thanks be to God. Alleluia. Alleluia.	
Voluntary: Toccata on "O Filii et Filiae"	Lynnwood Farnam (1885–1930)

This morning we are again delighted to welcome singers from the advanced ensembles of the Indianapolis Children's Choir and their director, Amy Hughley. They last sang at St. Peter's in July 2018.

*The altar flowers are given to the glory of God
in honor of St. Peter's Class of 2019.*

Lectors: Nathan Lemkemeier, Bea Talbott
Eucharistic Ministers: Eli and Sawyer Hart
Ushers: Henley Danforth, Samantha Holke, Elizabeth Clarke, Adam Sutter
Acolytes: Eli Hart, Sawyer Hart, Billy Bitting, Holly Baer, Jack Dutton
Acolyte Master: Jim Gilbert
Hospitality: Cynthia Dressel, Maureen Manget, Deidre Daniels
Altar Guild: Merrill Buettner, Frances Gay, Annie Vogt
Nancy Grimes, Susan Schettler
Counters: Lisa Acker, Tosca Schaberg

PRAYER LIST

For Parishioners: Mary Jones and Bryan Miller.

For Family and Friends: Robert Craft, Betty James and Jake Stromsborg.

For those Committed to Our Ongoing Prayers: Norma Blankenship, Donna Brookman, Chris Canepa, Ed Dewein, Carol Fisher, Patty Hecker, Susan Kerkering, Rick Ledbetter, Doug McNair, Elizabeth Mendoza, Cheryl Meyer, Signe Myles, Jere Pastore, Scott Peterson, Jeffrey Rixleben, Sarah Roberts, Ray Sellenriek, Gerald Spencer, Jane St. John, Kathy Sheehan, Dan Singer, Martine Smith, Buzz Wall, Dick Williams and Justin Williamson.

TODAY...

YOUTH SUNDAY – Today is our fifth annual Youth Sunday, a day of celebrating the young people in our parish! During the 10:30 Service our youth will be participating as lectors, ushers, acolytes and Eucharistic ministers. We will also be honoring our Seniors, with Senior Chris Williams preaching at both services!

WELCOME TO OUR VISITING CHOIR – This morning we welcome singers from the advanced ensembles of the Indianapolis Children’s Choir (ICC) for the 10:30 Service. Founded in 1986 and housed on the campus of Butler University in Indianapolis, the ICC nurtures and inspires student achievement through quality music education and the pursuit of artistic excellence in choral music performance. The ICC serves approximately 5,500 young people every year. Ranging in age from 18 months to 18 years, participants come from more than 359 schools and 56 school districts. Each week the ICC holds 110 rehearsals and music classes. Join us at the 10:30 service and Coffee Hour to welcome our guests.

FAMILIES – Children are always welcome in church! Childcare is available in the Little Building, 9-11:45. If your child (or you!) needs a break, the service is live-streamed in the Undercroft, where there is also a children’s area with books and coloring sheets.

CHILDREN’S CHAPEL – All ages, please join us in Grace Chapel, 10:15 to 10:25 a.m. each Sunday before Sunday School.

PARISH BREAKFAST – Come enjoy a hot breakfast in the Undercroft today, served from 8:45 until 10:00. The cost is \$5 per person or \$20 per family.

SANDWICH MAKERS – Join us this morning at 9:15 a.m. in the Undercroft kitchen to make sandwiches for Sunshine Ministries.

RECTOR’S FORUM meets on Sunday mornings, 9:15-10:00 a.m. in the Undercroft. The Confirmation series for adults continues **this morning** and on May 5. The Confirmation service with Bishop Smith will be May 19 at 10:30. **This course, open to everyone**, is the opportunity to learn about the Episcopal Church and to prepare to be received, confirmed, or to reaffirm your faith on May 19.

MOTHER'S DAY FLOWERS SALE – Today is the deadline to place an order with the Woman's Guild for Mother's Day flowers. Order forms are in the Undercroft at the Welcome Table.

THIS WEEK...

NEWS DEADLINE – Please submit news to the Church Office by noon on Tuesdays.

ST. PETER'S CARES – Need a ride, a meal or a prayer? St. Peter's has a ministry that can help – that's St. Peter's Cares! Leave a voicemail or email (314-993-2306, ext. 125 or shepherd@stpetersepiscopal.org) and a Shepherd will contact you within 24 hours.

WOMAN'S GUILD – Join us this Tuesday for lunch at 12:15 p.m., followed by our program, "Judge and Jury in School." Yoga meets at 11:00 a.m. each Tuesday.

SEARCHING FOR GOD IN THE DAILY NEWS meets on Wednesdays at 1:00 p.m. in the Conference Room across from the office. Come explore the lively intersection where theology meets current events.

BOOK GROUP – Join us this Wednesday, May 1st at 2:00 p.m. in the Elliot Room to discuss *The Fox Hunt* by Mohammed al Samawi.

BIBLE STUDY – Join us at 7:00 on Thursday mornings in the Elliot Room.

PRAYER GROUP – Come on Friday mornings at 10:00 for contemporary Bible Study of the Sunday readings and to pray for the needs of the parish and the world.

UPCOMING EVENTS...

FOOD DRIVE – As you shop for groceries this week, please take the food list with you for our May 5th food collection for Trinity (CWE) food pantry. Items most needed for May are: canned pasta with meat; peanut butter; Ramen noodles; bar soap and toilet tissue.

TRINITY HOT LUNCH – If you would like to help cook and serve Trinity's Hot Lunch next Sunday, 1:15-3:00 p.m., contact Bill Gilbert at turkgobble@aol.com or 314-283-5288. High school teens are welcome with their parents.

BLOOD DRIVE – St. Peter's is hosting a Red Cross blood drive on Monday, May 6th, 1-6:00 p.m., in memory of parishioner Charlie Gillis. All eligible donors are encouraged to roll up your sleeve and donate! To schedule an appointment visit our website or contact Jacquelyn (office@stpetersepiscopal.org, 314-993-2306, ext. 106) in the Church Office.

SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK OF APRIL 28 – MAY 5, 2019

Sunday	4/28		The Second Sunday of Easter
			Youth Sunday
		8:00 a.m.	Holy Eucharist
		8:45-10:00	Parish Breakfast – Undercroft
		9:15 a.m.	Rector’s Forum – Undercroft
			Confirmation Class
			Sandwich Makers
		10:15 a.m.	Children’s Chapel
		10:30 a.m.	Holy Eucharist
Tuesday	4/30	12:15 p.m.	Woman’s Guild Lunch
Wednesday	5/ 1	1:00 p.m.	Searching for God in the Daily News
		2:15 p.m.	Book Group
		5:30 p.m.	Holy Eucharist
Thursday	5/ 2	7:00 a.m.	Bible Study
		11:00 a.m.	Holy Eucharist – The Gatesworth
		6:00 p.m.	Choristers
		7:15 p.m.	Parish Choir
Friday	5/ 3	10:00 a.m.	Prayer Group
Sunday	5/ 5		The Third Sunday of Easter
			Food Drive
		8:00 a.m.	Holy Eucharist
		8:45-10:00	Parish Breakfast – Undercroft
		9:15 a.m.	Rector’s Forum – Undercroft
		10:15 a.m.	Children’s Chapel
		10:30 a.m.	Holy Eucharist
		1:15 p.m.	Trinity Hot Lunch
		4:30 p.m.	Young Adults’ BBQ – off-campus