



A Creative Spiritual Community

A Service of
Holy Eucharist

Book of Alternative Services



April 26
3rd Sunday of Easter

Announcements

Opening Hymn

'He is Lord'

He is Lord He is Lord
He is risen from the dead and He is Lord
Every knee shall bow every tongue confess
That Jesus Christ is Lord

He is Lord He is Lord
He ascended up on high and He is Lord
Every knee shall bow every tongue confess
That Jesus Christ is Lord

He is Lord He is Lord
He will come as King of Kings
and He is Lord
Every knee shall bow every tongue confess
That Jesus Christ is Lord

Celebrant The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God
 and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with us all.
 Amen.

Celebrant Alleluia! Christ is risen.

All **The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia!**

Celebrant May his grace and peace be with you.

All **May he fill our hearts with joy.**

Celebrant Almighty God,

All **to you all hearts are open, all desires known,
and from you no secrets are hidden. 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

All **Glory to God in the highest, and peace to his
people on earth. Lord God, heavenly King,
almighty God and Father, we worship you, we
give you thanks, we praise you for your glory.**

**Glory to God in the highest, and peace to his
people on earth. 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.**

**Glory to God in the highest, and peace to his
people on earth. 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.**

**Glory to God in the highest, and peace to his
people on earth.**

The Collect of the Day

Celebrant Let us pray.

O God, your Son made himself known to his disciples in the breaking of bread. Open the eyes of our faith, that we may see him in his redeeming work, who is alive and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

Gradual Hymn, 'For the Bread'

For the bread which you have broken,
for the wine which you have poured,
for the words which you have spoken,
now we give you thanks, O Lord.

By these pledges that you love us,
by your gift of peace restored,
by your call to realms above us,
consecrate our lives, O Lord:

GOSPEL READING

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ, according to Luke
(24:13-35)

All **Glory to you Lord Jesus Christ**



The Gospel of Christ

All **Praise to you Lord Jesus
Christ**

Hymn cont'd

In your service, Lord, defend us;
help us to obey your word;
in the world to which you send us,
let your kingdom come, O Lord!

Sermon - The Rev. Dr. Eric Partridge

Prayers of the People

CONFESSIO&Nbsp;N & ABSOLUTION

As we prepare to meet the living Christ at the Table, let us humbly confess our sins.

All **Most merciful God, you are always true to us in love and yet we so often fall short of that love. We are truly sorry for our faithlessness to you and to one another, for our forgetting of the poor and the broken, for our failure to cherish creation. Give us life, O God, to enable us to change ourselves and the world, that we may walk in your way and glory in your name. We ask this in the name of your son, Jesus Christ. Amen.**

Celebrant Almighty God have mercy upon you, pardon and deliver you from all your sins, confirm and strengthen you in all goodness, and keep you in eternal life; though Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

THE PEACE

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.
All **And also with you.**

Holy Eucharist #2

Celebrant The Lord be with you.
All **And also with you.**

Celebrant Lift up your hearts.
All **We lift them to the Lord.**

Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
All **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

- Celebrant We give you thanks and praise, almighty God, through your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, our Saviour and Redeemer. He is your living Word, through whom you have created all things.
- By the power of the Holy Spirit he took flesh of the Virgin Mary and shared our human nature. He lived and died as one of us, to reconcile us to you, the God and Father of all.
- In fulfilment of your will he stretched out his hands in suffering, to bring release to those who place their hope in you; and so he won for you a holy people.
- He chose to bear our griefs and sorrows, and to give up his life on the cross, that he might shatter the chains of evil and death, and banish the darkness of sin and despair. By his resurrection he brings us into the light of your presence.
- Now with all creation we raise our voices to proclaim the glory of your name.
- All **Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might.
Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might.
Heaven and earth are full, full of your glory.
Hosanna in the highest. Hosanna in the highest.**
- Blessed is he who comes
in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest. Hosanna in the highest.**
- Celebrant Holy and gracious God, accept our praise, through your Son our Saviour Jesus Christ; who on the night he was handed over to death, took bread and gave you thanks, saying, “Take, and eat: this is my body which is broken for you.” In the same way he took the cup, saying, “This is my blood which is shed for you. When you do this, you do it in memory of me.”

Remembering, therefore, his death and resurrection, we offer you this bread and this cup, giving thanks that you have made us worthy to stand in your presence and serve you.

We ask you to send your Holy Spirit upon the offering of your holy Church. Gather into one all who share in these sacred mysteries, filling them with the Holy Spirit and confirming their faith in the truth, that together we may praise you and give you glory through your Servant, Jesus Christ.

All glory and honour are yours, Father and Son, with the Holy Spirit in the Holy Church, now and for ever.

All

Amen.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Celebrant As our Saviour taught us, let us pray,

All **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 for ever. Amen.**

INVITATION

Celebrant The gifts of God for the people of God.

All **Thanks be to God.**

COMMUNION



PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Author of life divine, in the breaking of bread we know the risen Lord. Feed us always in these mysteries, that we may show your glory to all the world. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Sending Hymn, ‘This is the Day’

This is the day, this is the day
That the Lord has made,
that the Lord has made
We will rejoice, we will rejoice
And be glad in it, and be glad in it
This is the day that the Lord has made
We will rejoice and be glad in it
This is the day, this is the day
That the Lord has made

This is the day, this is the day
When He rose again,
when He rose again
We will rejoice, we will rejoice
And be glad in it, and be glad in it
This is the day when He rose again
We will rejoice and be glad in it
This is the day, this is the day
When He rose again

BLESSING

Go Now in Peace

**Go now in peace, never be afraid
God will go with you each hour of every day
Go now in faith, steadfast, strong and true
Know he will guide you in all you do
Go now in love and show you believe
Reach out to others so all the world can see
God will be there around us and above
Go now in peace, in faith and in love**

Weekly Cycles of Prayer

In our parish, we pray for Pat Bannister; Joan Barrett; Joan Beise; Jan and Sandra Bergink; Trevor and Veronica Blake; Doreen Bower.

In our community, we pray for our brothers and sisters in Christ of the Peace Lutheran Church, Sidney.

In our Diocese, we pray for Logan our Bishop, and our brothers and sisters in Christ of St. Michael & All Angels, Chemainus, The Rev. Michael Wimmer.

We pray for all postulants, especially Colleen Lissamer.

In our Province, we pray for the Territory of the People Anglican Church, Bishop Barbara Andrews, and bishop-elect The Rev. Lincoln McKoen.

In the world, we pray for the Episcopal Church in Jerusalem & The Middle East.

***** *This Week at a Glance* *****

(April 19 – April 26, 2020)

Sunday **April 26, 2020 - 3rd Sunday of Easter**

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Monday - Saturday All Events CANCELLED until
further notice

Sunday **May 3, 2020 - 4th Sunday of Easter**

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Readings for next week, May 3, 2020

4th Sunday of Easter

1st Lesson: Acts 2:42-47

Psalm: 23

Epistle: 1 Peter 2:19-25

Gospel: John 10:1-10



Parish Announcements

PARISH NEWS ITEMS - Help us stay connected together by sending items of news / interest to be included in future bulletin Parish Announcements to Lois at:
admin@standrewssidney.ca

CHURCH OFFICE ACCEPTING OFFERINGS - God's church still needs your support in this time of isolation. Anyone wishing to drop off their Sunday offerings can do so at the church office Monday through Thursday from 9 to noon. Just ring the doorbell and someone will receive your offering while maintaining social distancing.

If you would like to start Pre-Authorized Offerings, you can find the form on the St. Andrew webpage --> Resources --> Parish Documents. Print a copy of the form, or pick up a form from the office, and fill it out. Drop it off to the office (Monday-Thursday, 9am - 12 noon) along with a VOID cheque. Along with help from the Synod office, we can get this processed for you within a couple of weeks.



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