

FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

MAY 11, 2025 9:00AM

Welcome to a life of grace, forgiveness and hope in Jesus Christ.

WELCOME TO EASTERTIDE!

This great fifty day feast kicks off on Easter Sunday. Since the Resurrection of our Lord is the high point of the church year it makes sense that we would have a massive party - after all, the main point of the gospel is to prepare us for an eternal celebration with our Lord (Rev 19:7-9, Heb 12:22-23, Is 25:6).

While the Lenten fast lasts forty days (not including Sundays), the Easter feast lasts fifty. As Jesus said, fasting will pass away (*Matt 9:15*), but the Great Feast of the Lamb is eternal. Let the feasting begin!



FIND OUT MORE & LET'S CONNECT

If you are new to Trinity please scan the QR code, or text CONNECT to 904-966-4717. Be sure to stop at our coffee cart in the lobby to receive a gift!



For more information about our nursery, children, and youth, contact Fr. Caleb Jones — caleb@trinitysta.org



9:00AM HOLY EUCHARIST, RITE II (BCP, p. 355)

WELCOME



ACCLAMATION

Celebrant: Alleluia. Christ is risen.

People: The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia.

COLLECT FOR PURITY

Celebrant: 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.

People: Amen.

GLORIA





COLLECT OF THE DAY

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Celebrant: O God, whose Son Jesus is the good shepherd of your

people; Grant that when we hear his voice we may know him who calls us each by name, and follow where he leads; who, with you and the Holy Spirit, lives and reigns, one God, for

ever and ever.

People: Amen.

Seated. The children are invited to Children's Chapel.



³⁶ In Joppa there was a disciple named Tabitha (in Greek her name is Dorcas); she was always doing good and helping the poor. ³⁷ About that time she became sick and died, and her body was washed and placed in an upstairs room. ³⁸ Lydda was near Joppa; so when the disciples heard that Peter was in Lydda, they sent two men to him and urged him, "Please come at once!"

³⁹ Peter went with them, and when he arrived he was taken upstairs to the room. All the widows stood around him, crying and showing him the robes and other clothing that Dorcas had made while she was still with them.

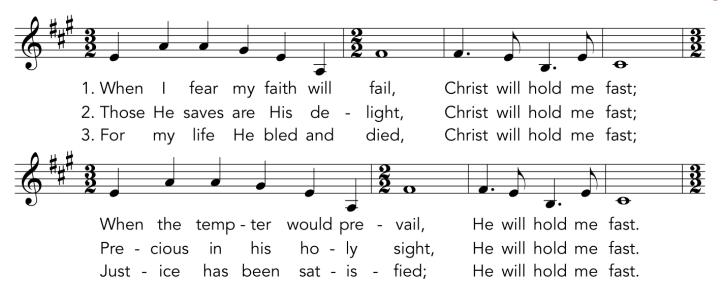
⁴⁰ Peter sent them all out of the room; then he got down on his knees and prayed. Turning toward the dead woman, he said, "Tabitha, get up." She opened her eyes, and seeing Peter she sat up. ⁴¹ He took her by the hand and helped her to her feet. Then he called for the believers, especially the widows, and presented her to them alive. ⁴² This became known all over Joppa, and many people believed in the Lord. ⁴³ Peter stayed in Joppa for some time with a tanner named Simon.

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

HYMN He Will Hold Me Fast

Standing







THE GOSPEL John 10:22-30

Celebrant: The Holy Gospel + of our Lord Jesus Christ according

to John.

People: Glory to you, Lord Christ.

²² Then came the Festival of Dedication at Jerusalem. It was winter, ²³ and Jesus was in the temple courts walking in Solomon's Colonnade. ²⁴ The Jews who were there gathered around him, saying, "How long will you keep us in suspense? If you are the Messiah, tell us plainly. ²⁵ Jesus answered, "I did tell you, but you do not believe. The works I do in my Father's name testify about me, ²⁶ but you do not believe because you are not my sheep. ²⁷ My sheep listen to my voice; I know them, and they follow me. ²⁸ I give them eternal life, and they shall never perish; no one will snatch them out of my hand. ²⁹ My Father, who has given them to me, is greater than all; no one can snatch them out of my Father's hand. ³⁰ I and the Father are one."

Celebrant: The Gospel of the Lord.

People: Praise to you, Lord Christ.



NICENE CREED

Standing

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,

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.

and his kingdom will have no end.



While many churches omit the confession during The Great Fifty Days, we are still in need of forgiveness. Instead we will follow the ancient rubric from the Council of Nicaea not to kneel during Eastertide.

In peace, we pray to you, Lord God. For all people in their Intercessor:

daily life and work;

People: For our families, friends, and neighbors, and for those who

are alone.

Intercessor: For this community, the nation, and the world;

For all who work for justice, freedom, and peace. People:

For the just and proper use of your creation; Intercessor:

For the victims of hunger, fear, injustice, and oppression. People:

For all who are in danger, sorrow, or any kind of trouble; Intercessor:

For those who minister to the sick, the friendless, and the People:

needy.

Intercessor: For the peace and unity of the Church of God;

For all who proclaim the Gospel, and all who seek the People:

Truth.

For Sean our Presiding Bishop, and for all bishops and Intercessor:

other ministers:

For all who serve God in his Church. People:

We pray to you also for the forgiveness of our sins. Intercessor:

People: Have mercy upon us, most merciful Father;

in your compassion forgive us our sins,

known and unknown.

things done and left undone;

and so uphold us by your Spirit

that we may live and serve you in newness of life,

to the honor and glory of your Name;

through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

The Celebrant pronounces a concluding absolution.

HOW TO GIVE

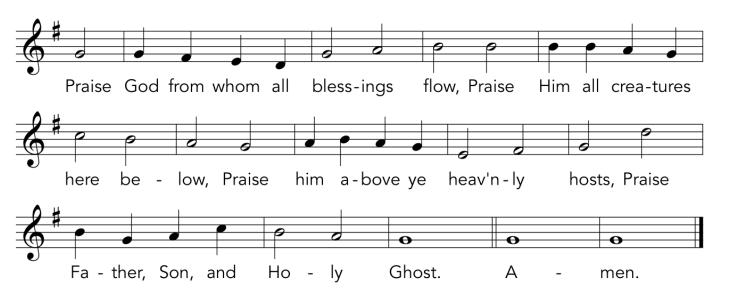
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You may also place tithes in the offering plates.

Thank you for giving generously.



DOXOLOGY Standing



THE HOLY COMMUNION

GREAT THANKSGIVING Eucharistic Prayer A, BCP p. 361

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Celebrant: Lift up your hearts.

People: We lift them up to the Lord.

Celebrant: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

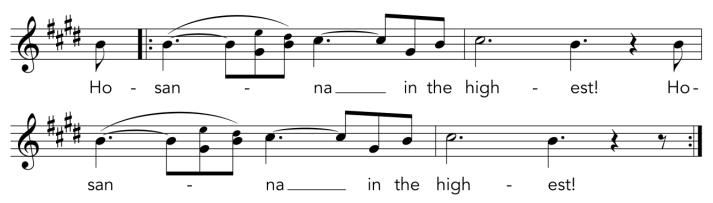
People: It is right to give him thanks and praise.



SANCTUS

Celebrant: ...who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:





MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION

Remain Standing

Celebrant: Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

All: Christ has died.

Christ is risen.

Christ will come again.

GREAT AMEN

Celebrant: ...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.

All: AMEN.



LORD'S PRAYER

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

say,

All: 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.

The Celebrant breaks the consecrated Bread.

Celebrant: Alleluia! Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;

People: Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia!

PEACE

We move the peace to the fraction during Easter in accordance with the BCP rubric on p. 407

Celebrant: The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People: And also with you.

The people extend God's peace to one another.

INVITATION

All baptized Christians are welcome to receive holy communion. Please let an usher know if you need to have communion brought to you.

Gluten free wafers are available upon request.

All are invited into baptism and life in the body of Christ. If you find yourself drawn to life in Christ, we would be honored to answer any questions and have a conversation with you about baptism.

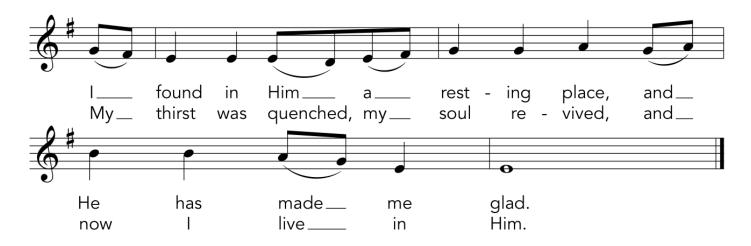


HYMN All Must Be Well



HYMN Come Find His Rest





POST COMMUNION PRAYER

Standing

Celebrant: Let us pray.

People: Eternal God, heavenly Father, you have graciously

accepted us as living members of your Son our Savior Jesus

Christ, and you have fed us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood. Send us now into the world in peace, and grant us strength and courage to love

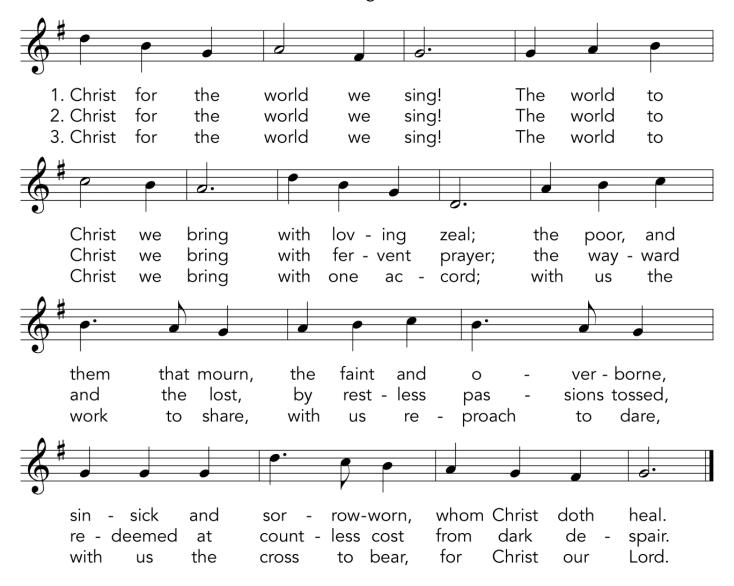
and serve you with gladness and singleness of heart;

through Christ our Lord. Amen.

BLESSING



HYMN 537 Christ for the World We Sing!



DISMISSAL

Celebrant: Alleluia, Alleluia. Let us go forth in the name of Christ.

People: Thanks be to God. Alleluia, Alleluia.

