Easter Day

17TH APRIL 2022 10:00am FESTAL CHORAL EUCHARIST with RENEWAL OF BAPTISM VOWS

Celebrant: The Rev'd Canon Jenny Wilson

Preacher: The Right Rev'd Chris McLeod
Deacon: The Rev'd Peter Jin
Subdeacon: The Rev'd Dianne Schaefer
Master of Ceremonies: Rijke Mellor

Setting: Katherine Dienes-Williams (b.1970)

St Paul's Eucharist

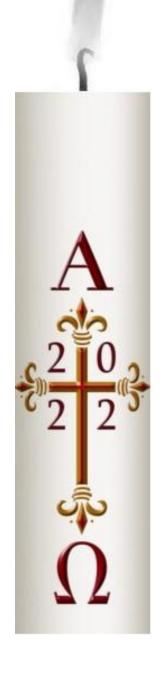
Choir: St Peter's Cathedral Choir

Director of Music: Anthony Hunt

Organist: David Heah

Hymns: 207, 216, 205, 215, 199





All stand for the entrance of the Choir and Clergy

All sing the Processional Hymn (masks must be worn while singing)

Hymn: #207 [St Albinus] Jesus lives! thy terrors now

Christ is risen. Alleluia! He is risen indeed. Alleluia! Alleluia!

Please kneel/sit

Let us pray

Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom 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.

The Choir sings the Kyrie

Kyrie eleison Christe eleison Kyrie eleison
Lord, have mercy Christ, have mercy Lord, have mercy

Christ our Passover Lamb has been offered for us, therefore we come to celebrate the festival. (*Silence is kept*)

Let us confess our sins in penitence and faith, with a sincere and a true heart. Merciful God, our maker and our judge, we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, and in what we have failed to do: we have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbours as ourselves; we repent, and are sorry for all our sins. Father, forgive us. Strengthen us to love and obey you in newness of life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Absolution

Almighty God, who has promised forgiveness to all who turn to him in faith: pardon you and set you free from all your sins, strengthen you in all goodness and keep you in eternal life, through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Please stand as the Choir sings the Gloria in Excelsis (in Latin)

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 Easter Collect

God of glory, fill your Church with the power that flows from Christ's resurrection, that, in the midst of this sinful world, it may signal the beginning of a renewed humanity, raised to new life with Christ; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

Please sit for the first reading: Acts 10:34-43 (read by Anthony Laube)

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.'

Hear the word of the Lord, thanks be to God.

Remain seated as the Easter Anthems are sung by the Cathedral Choir

Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us: therefore let us keep the feast;

Not with the old leaven, nor with the leaven of malice and wickedness:

but with the unleavened bread of sincerity and truth.

Christ being raised from the dead dieth no more:

death hath no more dominion over him.

For in that he died, he died unto sin once: but in that he liveth, he liveth unto God. Likewise reckon ye also yourselves to be dead indeed unto sin:

but alive unto God through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Christ is risen from the dead: and become the first-fruits of them that slept.

For since by man came death: by man came also the resurrection from the dead.

For as in Adam all die: even so in Christ shall all be made alive.

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son: and to the Holy Ghost;

As it was in the beginning is now and ever shall be: world without end. Amen.

Book of Common Prayer arr. J. Scott

The second reading: 1 Corinthians 15:19-26 (read by Wendy Dawes)

If for this life only we have hoped in Christ, we are of all people most to be pitied. But in fact Christ has been raised from the dead, the first fruits of those who have died. For since death came through a human being, the resurrection of the dead has also come through a human being; for as all die in Adam, so all will be made alive in Christ. But each in his own order: Christ the first fruits, then at his coming those who belong to Christ. Then comes the end, when he hands over the kingdom to God the Father, after he has destroyed every ruler and every authority and power. For he must reign until he has put all his enemies under his feet. The last enemy to be destroyed is death.

Hear the word of the Lord, thanks be to God.

Please stand to sing the Gradual Hymn (masks must be worn while singing)

Hymn: #216 [Ellacombe] The day of resurrection!

Please remain standing for the Gospel Reading: John 20:1-18

The Choir sings the Gospel Acclamation

Choir sings: Alleluia!

All sing:

Al - le-lu - ia!

Al - le-lu - ia!

Al - le-lu - ia!

Choir sings: Christ has become our Paschal sacrifice: let us feast with joy in the Lord.



The Lord be with you. And also with you.

The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John





Early on the first day of the week, while it was still dark, Mary Magdalene came to the tomb and saw that the stone had been removed from the tomb. So she ran and went to Simon Peter and the other disciple, the one whom Jesus loved, and said to them, 'They have taken the Lord out of the tomb, and we do not know where they have laid him.'

Then Peter and the other disciple set out and went towards the tomb. The two were running together, but the other disciple outran Peter and reached the tomb first. He bent down to look in and saw the linen wrappings lying there, but he did not go in. Then Simon Peter came, following him, and went into the tomb. He saw the linen wrappings lying there, and the cloth that had been on Jesus' head, not lying with the linen wrappings but rolled up in a place by itself. Then the other disciple, who reached the tomb first, also went in, and he saw and believed; for as yet they did not understand the scripture, that he must rise from the dead. Then the disciples returned to their homes.

But Mary stood weeping outside the tomb. As she wept, she bent over to look into the tomb; and she saw two angels in white, sitting where the body of Jesus had been lying, one at the head and the other at the feet. They said to her, 'Woman, why are you weeping?' She said to them, 'They have taken away my Lord, and I do not know where they have laid him.' When she had said this, she turned round and saw Jesus standing there, but she did not know that it was Jesus. Jesus said to her, 'Woman, why are you weeping? For whom are you looking?' Supposing him to be the gardener, she said to him, 'Sir, if you have carried him away, tell me where you have laid him, and I will take him away.' Jesus said to her, 'Mary!' She turned and said to him in Hebrew, 'Rabbouni!' (which means Teacher).

Jesus said to her, 'Do not hold on to me, because I have not yet ascended to the Father. But go to my brothers and say to them, "I am ascending to my Father and your Father, to my God and your God."' Mary Magdalene went and announced to the disciples, 'I have seen the Lord'; and she told them that he had said these things to her.

This is the Gospel of the Lord

All sing:



Children are invited to follow the Gospel procession down the aisle and gather under the flags for the Blessing of the Easter Garden by The Dean, and then to go to the CP Hall for Cathedral Kids - a dedicated children's program. They will return in time for Communion. They are welcome to stay in the Cathedral with their parents.

Please sit for the Sermon: The Right Reverend Chris McLeod

Silence may follow

Please stand to sing the Hymn (masks must be worn while singing)

Hymn: #205 [Easter Hymn] Jesus Christ is risen today

RENEWAL OF BAPTISMAL VOWS

The congregation stands as The Dean invites all present to renew their baptismal vows.

Dear friends, through the paschal mystery we have been buried with Christ in his baptism, so that we may rise with him to new life. Now that our Lenten observance is ended, let us reaffirm the promises we made in baptism.

Do you turn to Christ?

Do you repent of your sins?

Do you renounce evil? **I do.**

I ask you to reaffirm as yours the faith of the Church.

We believe in one God, who made and loves all that is.

We believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord, who was born, lived, died and rose again, and is coming to call all to account.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, who calls, equips and sends God's people, and brings all things to their true end.

This is the faith of the Church.

This is our faith. We believe in one God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. Amen

God our creator, Rock of our salvation, has given us new birth by water and the Spirit, and forgiven our sins through Jesus Christ our Lord. May God keep us faithful to our calling now and for ever. **Amen.**

Please remain standing for the Greeting of Peace

Christ is risen. Alleluia!

He is risen indeed. Alleluia!

The peace of the risen Christ be always with you.

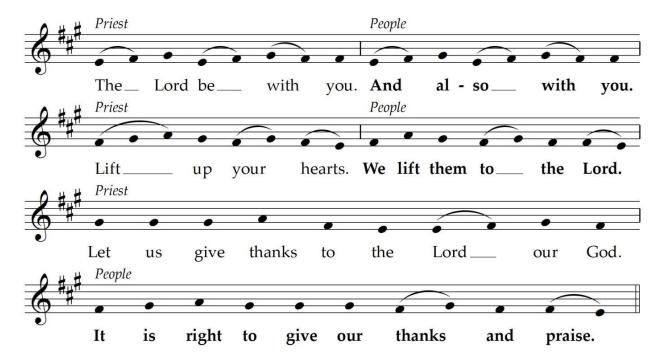
And also with you.

Please stand to sing the Offertory Hymn (masks must be worn while singing)

Hymn: #215 See, what a morning

Please remain standing

Blessed are you, Lord, God of all creation. Through your goodness we have these gifts to share. Accept and use our offerings for your glory and for the service of your kingdom. **Blessed be God for ever.**



All glory and honour, be yours always and everywhere, mighty Creator, everliving God. We give you thanks and praise for your Son, our Saviour Jesus Christ, who by the power of your Spirit was born of Mary and lived as one of us.

By his death on the cross he offered the one true sacrifice for sin and obtained an eternal deliverance for his people.

And now we give you thanks that you raised him to life triumphant, and exalted him in glory.

By his victory over death, the reign of sin is ended, a new day has dawned, a broken world is restored and we are made whole once more.

Therefore with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven, we proclaim your great and glorious name, for ever praising you and singing:

The Choir sings the Sanctus & Benedictus (in Latin)

Holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, Heaven and earth are full of your glory: Hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

Merciful God, we thank you for these gifts of your creation, this bread and wine and we pray that by your Word and Holy Spirit, we who eat and drink them may be partakers of Christ's body and blood.

On the night he was betrayed Jesus took bread; and when he had given you thanks he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying, 'Take, eat. This is my body given for you. Do this in remembrance of me.'

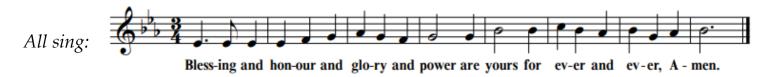
After supper, he took the cup, and again giving thanks he gave it to his disciples, saying, 'Drink from this, all of you. This is my blood of the new covenant shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me.'

Therefore we do as our Saviour has commanded: proclaiming his offering of himself made once for all upon the cross, his mighty resurrection and glorious ascension, and looking for his coming again, we celebrate, with this bread and this cup, his one perfect and sufficient sacrifice for the sins of the whole world.

Let us proclaim the mystery of faith:

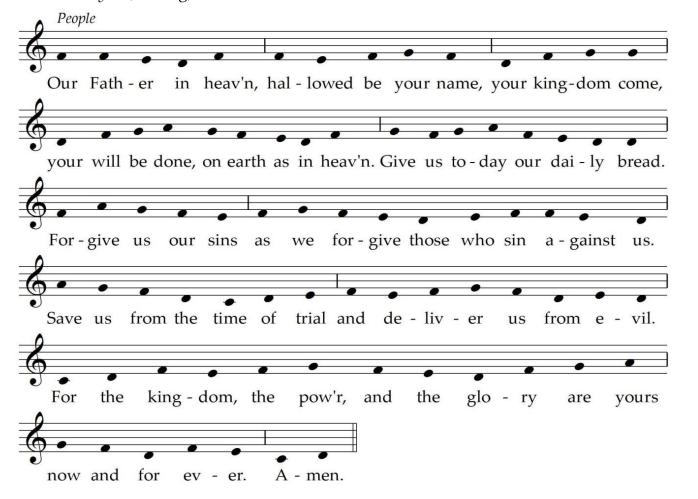


Renew us by your Holy Spirit, unite us in the body of your Son, and bring us with all your people into the joy of your eternal kingdom; through Jesus Christ our Lord, with whom, and in whom, in the fellowship of the Holy Spirit, we worship you, Father, in songs of never-ending praise:



As our Saviour Christ has taught us, we are confident to pray:

The Lord's Prayer (all sing)



We break this bread to share in the body of Christ. We who are many are one body, **for we all share in the one bread.**

Alleluia! Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us. Come, let us celebrate the feast. Draw near with faith, to feed on Christ in your hearts with thanksgiving. **Alleluia!**

Please kneel/sit as the Choir sings the Agnus Dei (in Latin)

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us. (x2) Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, grant us your peace.

Baptised and communicant Christians of all denominations are welcome to receive Holy Communion. Communion will be administered at the nave platform. Please follow the guidance of stewards and servers. If you do not wish to receive Holy Communion, you may like to come forward and receive a blessing (simply bow your head as a signal).

Gluten free bread is available; please ask for this from the priest giving communion.

During the administration of Communion the Choir will sing:

Sir Philip Ledger (1937-2012) This Joyful Eastertide

This joyful Eastertide,
Away with sin and sorrow.
My Love, the Crucified,
Hath sprung to life this morrow:
Had Christ, that once was slain,
Ne'er burst his three-day prison,
Our faith had been in vain:
But now hath Christ arisen.

My flesh in hope shall rest,
And for a season slumber:
Till trump from east to west
Shall wake the dead in number:
Had Christ, that once was slain,
Ne'er burst his three-day prison,
Our faith had been in vain:
But now hath Christ arisen.

Death's flood hath lost his chill, Since Jesus crossed the river: Lover of souls, from ill My passing soul deliver: Had Christ, that once was slain, Ne'er burst his three-day prison, Our faith had been in vain: But now hath Christ arisen.

Words: G.R.Woodward

Please kneel/sit as we pray

Most glorious Lord of life, we thank you that you nourish us in these Easter mysteries. Fill us with the Spirit of love and unite us in faith, that we may witness to the resurrection.

Living God, make us apostles of the risen Christ. Give us joyful hearts, words of hope, and grace to recognize the Lord Jesus when he meets us, wherever we are on the road.

Please stand to sing the Post-Communion Hymn (masks must be worn while singing)

Hymn: #199 [Truro] Christ is alive! Let Christians sing

Please remain standing for the Blessing

The God of peace, who brought again from the dead our Lord Jesus, the great shepherd of the sheep, through the blood of the everlasting covenant, make you perfect in every good work to do his will, working in you what is pleasing in his sight; and the blessing of God almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you and remain with you always. **Amen**.

Go in the peace of Christ. Alleluia! Alleluia!

Thanks be to God. Alleluia! Alleluia!

Please remain standing as the Choir & Clergy depart

You are invited to listen reflectively to the postlude, played by Anthony Hunt:

C. M. Widor (1844-1937) - Toccata from 5th Symphony

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THIS WEEK IN THE CATHEDRAL

SUNDAY 17TH APRIL 2022

Easter Day

6:00am The Easter Vigil

Preacher: The Most Reverend Geoffrey Smith

8:00am Holy Communion (BCP)

Preacher: The Right Rev'd Chris McLeod

10:30am Choral Eucharist

Preacher: The Right Rev'd Chris McLeod

6:00pm Choral Evensong

Preacher: The Rev'd Peter Jin

WEEKDAY SERVICES

7:30am Eucharist
(Lady Chapel)
8:45am Morning Prayer
(Cathedral Close)

WEDNESDAY

10:00am Holy Communion (BCP) (Nave Altar)

SUNDAY 24TH APRIL 2022

Easter 2 – ANZAC Day

8:00am Holy Communion (BCP)

Preacher: The Rev'd Peter Jin

10:15am Choral Eucharist

Preacher: The Rev'd Peter Jin

6:00pm Choral Evensong

Preacher: The Rt Rev'd Chris McLeod



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