

3RD SUNDAY OF EASTER

14 April 2024 – 8:00AM & 10:15AM



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HOLY EUCHARIST

LITURGY OF THE WORD

PRELUDE

OPENING HYMN: *HE IS RISEN, HE IS RISEN!* • HYMN 180

1 He is ris - en, he is ris - en! Tell it out with
2 Come, ye sad and fear - ful - heart - ed, with glad smile and
*3 Come, with high and ho - ly hymn - ing, hail our Lord's tri -
4 He is ris - en, he is ris - en! He hath o - pened

joy - ful voice: he has burst his three days' pris - on;
ra - diant brow! Death's long sha - dows have de - part - ed;
um - phant day; not one dark - some cloud is dim - ming
hea - ven's gate: we are free from sin's dark pris - on,

let the whole wide earth re - joice: death is con - quered,
Je - sus' woes are o - ver now, and the pas - sion
yon - der glo - rious morn - ing ray, break - ing o'er the
ris - en to a ho - lier state; and a bright - er

we are free, Christ has won the vic - to - ry.
that he bore— sin and pain can vex no more.
pur - ple east, sym - bol of our Eas - ter feast.
Eas - ter beam on our long - ing eyes shall stream.

OPENING ACCLAMATION

All standing, the Celebrant says

Alleluia. Christ is risen.

People The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia

COLLECT FOR PURITY

The Celebrant may say

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.*

COLLECT OF THE DAY

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Celebrant 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.*

FIRST READING: ACTS 3:12-19

All sit.

¹²[Peter] addressed the people, "You Israelites, why do you wonder at this, or why do you stare at us, as though by our own power or piety we had made him walk?"¹³The God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob, the God of our ancestors has glorified his servant Jesus, whom you handed over and rejected in the presence of Pilate, though he had decided to release him. ¹⁴But you rejected the Holy and Righteous One and asked to have a murderer given to you, ¹⁵and you killed the Author of life, whom God raised from the dead. To this we are witnesses. ¹⁶And by faith in his name, his name itself has made this man strong, whom you see and know; and the faith that is through Jesus has given him this perfect health in the presence of all of you.

¹⁷"And now, friends, I know that you acted in ignorance, as did also your rulers. ¹⁸In this way God fulfilled what he had foretold through all the prophets, that his Messiah would suffer. ¹⁹Repent therefore, and turn to God so that your sins may be wiped out."

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

PSALM 4

¹Answer me when I call, O God, defender of my cause; *
you set me free when I am hard-pressed;
have mercy on me and hear my prayer.

²“You mortals, how long will you dishonor my glory; *
how long will you worship dumb idols
and run after false gods?”

³Know that the Lord does wonders for the faithful; *
when I call upon the Lord, he will hear me.

⁴Tremble, then, and do not sin; *
speak to your heart in silence upon your bed.

⁵Offer the appointed sacrifices, *
and put your trust in the Lord.

⁶Many are saying,

“Oh, that we might see better times!” *

Lift up the light of your countenance upon us, O Lord.

⁷You have put gladness in my heart, *
more than when grain and wine and oil increase.

⁸I lie down in peace; at once I fall asleep; *
for only you, Lord, make me dwell in safety.

SECOND READING: 1 JOHN 3:1-7

¹See what love the Father has given us, that we should be called children of God; and that is what we are. The reason the world does not know us is that it did not know him. ²Beloved, we are God’s children now; what we will be has not yet been revealed. What we do know is this: when he is revealed, we will be like him, for we will see him as he is. ³And all who have this hope in him purify themselves, just as he is pure.

⁴Everyone who commits sin is guilty of lawlessness; sin is lawlessness. ⁵You know that he was revealed to take away sins, and in him there is no sin. ⁶No one who abides in him sins; no one who sins has either seen him or known him. ⁷Little children, let no one deceive you. Everyone who does what is right is righteous, just as he is righteous.

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

HOLY GOSPEL: LUKE 24:36B-48

All stand.

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

People Glory to you, Lord Christ.

^{36b}Jesus stood among [the disciples] and said to them, “Peace be with you.” ³⁷They were startled and terrified, and thought that they were seeing a ghost. ³⁸He said to them, “Why are you frightened, and why do doubts arise in your hearts? ³⁹Look at my hands and my feet; see that it is I myself. Touch me and see; for a ghost does not have flesh and bones as you see that I have.” ⁴⁰And when he had said this, he showed them his hands and his feet. ⁴¹While in their joy they were disbelieving and still wondering, he said to them, “Have you anything here to eat?” ⁴²They gave him a piece of broiled fish, ⁴³and he took it and ate in their presence.

⁴⁴Then he said to them, “These are my words that I spoke to you while I was still with you—that everything written about me in the law of Moses, the prophets, and the psalms must be fulfilled.” ⁴⁵Then he opened their minds to understand the scriptures, ⁴⁶and he said to them, “Thus it is written, that the Messiah is to suffer and to rise from the dead on the third day, ⁴⁷and that repentance and forgiveness of sins is to be proclaimed in his name to all nations, beginning from Jerusalem. ⁴⁸You are witnesses of these things.”

Priest The Gospel of the Lord.

People Praise to you, Lord Christ.

SERMON

REV'D STEPHANIE JENKINS

THE NICENE CREED

All stand.

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.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Father, we pray for your holy Catholic Church;
That we all may be one.

Grant that every member of the church may truly and humbly serve you;
That your Name may be glorified by all people.

We pray for all bishops, priests, and deacons; especially Presiding Bishop Michael Curry and Bishop Poulson Reed, and St. Augustine's – OKC and St. Michael's – Norman;
That they may be faithful ministers of your Word and Sacraments.

We pray for all who govern and hold authority in the nations of the world; especially President Joe Biden, Governor Kevin Stitt, and Mayor Stan Booker.
That there may be justice and peace on the earth.

Give us grace to do your will in all that we undertake;
That our works may find favor in your sight.

Have compassion on those who suffer from any grief or trouble; especially Abbey, Bill, Bob, Bonnie, Butch, Chris, Cody, Dave, David, David M., Debbie L., Debbie R., Elissa, Emelia, Glen B., Helen, James, Jean, John, June, Kim, Leo, Lucille, Martha, Noor, Rita, RL, Ryker, Scott, Sherry, Taylor, Terry, and all firefighters; for the hungry, the oppressed, those in prison, and those in the military;
That they may be delivered from their distress.

Give to the departed eternal rest; especially Leslie Hawkins and Rev. David Thomas;
Let light perpetual shine upon them.

We praise you for your saints who have entered into joy;
May we also come to share in your heavenly kingdom.

Let us pray for our own needs and those of others; especially a birthday for Paul James;
Silence

Presider closes with concluding prayer

THE PEACE

All stand.

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People And also with you.

OFFERTORY

Please rise first when the Bread and Wine (our offerings or "gifts" to God) are brought forward to the altar



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PRESENTATION OF GIFTS

Presider All things come of thee O Lord,
People And of thine own have we given thee.

THE HOLY COMMUNION

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

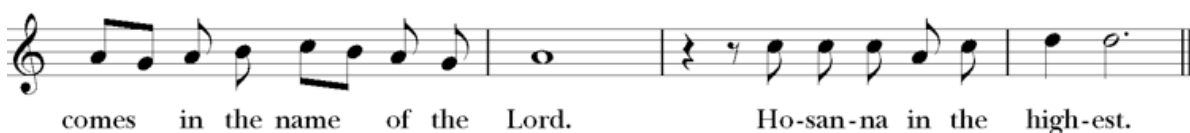
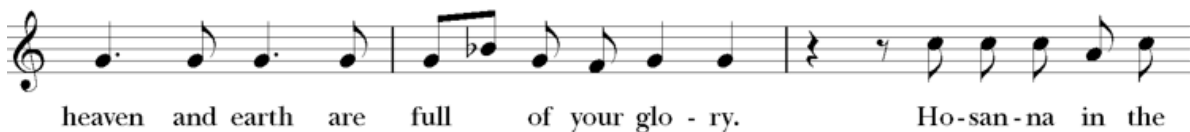
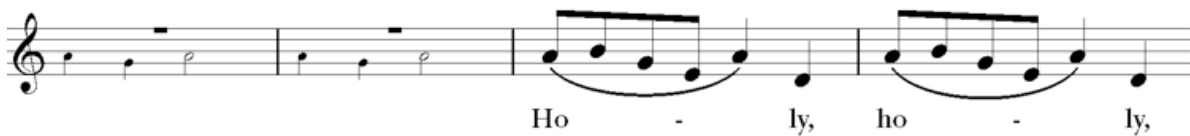
The people remain standing.

Celebrant The Lord be with you.
People And also with you.
Celebrant Lift up your hearts.
People We lift them to the Lord.
Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
People It is right to give him thanks and praise.

The Celebrant proceeds with preface

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:

SANCTUS



WORDS OF INSTITUTION

The Celebrant continues

Blessed are you, gracious God, creator of the universe and giver of life. You formed us in your own image and called us to dwell in your infinite love. You gave the world into our care that we might be your faithful stewards and show forth your bountiful grace.

But we failed to honor your image in one another and in ourselves; we would not see your goodness in the world around us; and so we violated your creation, abused one another, and rejected your love. Yet you never ceased to care for us, and prepared the way of salvation for all people.

Through Abraham and Sarah you called us into covenant with you. You delivered us from slavery, sustained us in the wilderness, and raised up prophets to renew your promise of salvation. Then, in the fullness of time, you sent your eternal Word, made mortal flesh in Jesus. Born into the human family, and dwelling among us, he revealed your glory. Giving himself freely to death on the cross, he triumphed over evil, opening the way of freedom and life.

On the night before he died for us, Our Savior Jesus Christ took bread, and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his friends, and said:

“Take, eat: This is my Body which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me.”

As supper was ending, Jesus 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 poured out for you and for all for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me.”

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

Celebrant and People

Christ has died.

Christ is risen.

Christ will come again.

The Celebrant continues

Remembering his death and resurrection, we now present to you from your creation this bread and this wine.

By your Holy Spirit may they be for us
the Body and Blood of our Savior Jesus Christ.
Grant that we who share these gifts
may be filled with the Holy Spirit
and live as Christ's Body in the world.
Bring us into the everlasting heritage
of your sons and daughters,
that with all your saints,
past, present, and yet to come,
we may praise your Name for ever.
Through Christ and with Christ and in Christ,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
to you be honor, glory, and praise,
for ever and ever. *AMEN*

THE LORD'S PRAYER

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

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,
 forever and ever. Amen.

THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD

FRACTION ANTHEM

Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;
Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.

INVITATION

The Gifts of God for the People of God.

DISTRIBUTION

COMMUNION HYMN: TASTE AND SEE • LEVAS 154

*** Taste and see. Taste and see the goodness
of the Lord. O Taste and see. Taste and
see the goodness of the Lord, of the Lord.

I will bless the Lord at all times.
His praise shall always be on my
Lips; my soul shall
glory in the Lord; for
He has been so good to me.

*** Return to Refrain

Glorify the Lord with me.
Together let us all praise His
name. I called the
Lord and He answered me; from
all my troubles He set me free.

*** Return to Refrain

Worship the Lord all you people.
You'll want for nothing if you
ask. Taste and
see that God is good; in Him we need put all our trust.

*** Return to Refrain

POST-COMMUNION PRAYER

After Communion, the Celebrant says

Let us pray.

Celebrant and 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 the strength and courage to love and serve you with gladness and singleness of heart; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

CLOSING HYMN: CHRIST IS ALIVE! LET CHRISTIANS SING • HYMN 207

Descant

1 Je - sus Christ is risen to - day, Al - le - lu - ia!
 2 Hymns of praise then let us sing, Al - le - lu - ia!
 4 Sing we to our God a - bove Al - le - lu - ia!

our tri - um - phant ho - ly day, Al - le - lu - ia!
 un - to Christ, our hea - ven - ly King, Al - le - lu - ia!
 praise e - ter - nal as his love; Al - le - lu - ia!

who did once up - on the cross, Al - le - lu - ia!
 who en - dured the cross and grave, Al - le - lu - ia!
 praise him, all ye hea - ven - ly host, Al - le - lu - ia!

suf - fer to re - deem our loss. Al - le - lu - ia!
 sin - ners to re - deem and save. Al - le - lu - ia!
 Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost. Al - le - lu - ia!

BLESSING

DISMISSAL

Priest Let us go forth in the name of Christ. *Alleluia. Alleluia.*

People Thanks be to God. *Alleluia. Alleluia.*

Announcements

Upcoming Gatherings

April 21 – Create pieces for Art Auction 11:30am-1:30pm

April 26 – Create art for Auction 10am-4pm w/
trip to Medicine Park Aquarium

May 5 – Children & Youth Sunday & Silent Art Auction with
Bake Sale



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Saint Andrew's & it's members

2024 Easter Lilies

Richard & Vicki Campbell

In Memory of our parents CR & Wanda Ammerman &
Drs. JM & Marylyn Campbell

John & Carol Carter

In Thanksgiving for our family

Craig Family

In Memory of Eric's kidney donor

Blake & Ruth Dutcher

In Memory of Kitty & Joe Dutcher
& in Thanksgiving for our family

Ann Friedl

In Memory of The Very Rev. Robert & Mary MacGill

Lane & Lisa Hooton

In Memory of Katherine Hooton

Craig, Matt, & Anna Hooton

In Thanksgiving for Mr. & Mrs. Lane Hooton

Jimmy & Cheryn Lee

In Thanksgiving for our kids and grandkids

Tom & Kay Love

In Memory of Nathan & Ruth Osborn and
Bill & Evelyn Nail

Tracey Pollard

In Memory of Archie Klaassen & Doyle Pollard Sr.

Carl & Nicki Ryker

In Memory of Clara, Charlie, Estus, & Liz

Jerry & Carla Wade

In Memory of Hank Bardsher

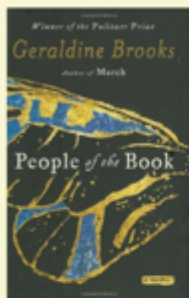
SUMMER READ

WHICH BOOK PIQUES YOUR INTEREST?



RED TENT

In this modern classic interpretation of the biblical story of Dinah, Anita Diamond imagines the traditions and turmoils of ancient womanhood.



PEOPLE OF THE BOOK

This story traces the harrowing journey of the famed Sarajevo Haggadah, a beautifully illuminated Hebrew manuscript created in 15th-century Spain.

When it falls to Hanna Heath, an Australian rare-book expert to conserve this priceless work, the series of tiny artifacts she discovers in its ancient binding - an insect wing fragment, wine stains, salt crystals, a white hair - only begin to unlock its deep mysteries and unexpectedly plunges Hanna into the intrigues of fine art forgers and ultra-nationalist fanatics.



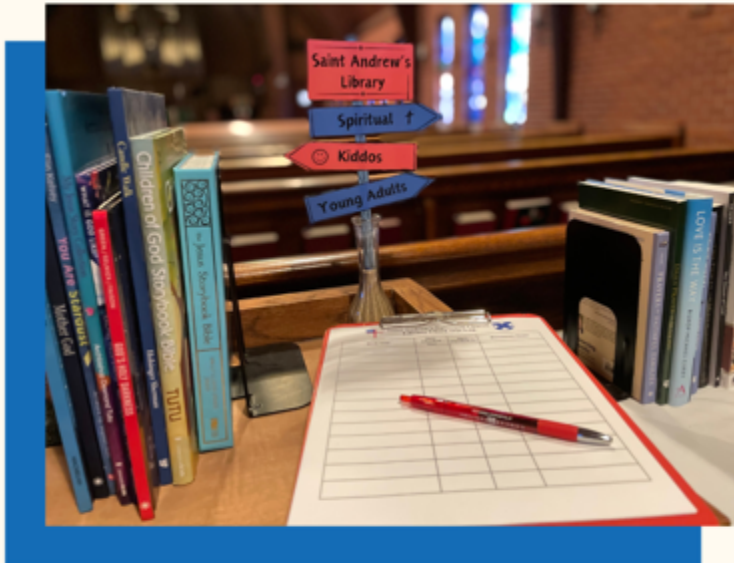
THE KITE RUNNER

Taking us from Afghanistan in the final days of its monarchy to the present, The Kite Runner is the unforgettable and beautifully told story of the friendship between two boys growing up in Kabul. It is about the bonds between father and sons, and the power of fathers over sons - their love, their sacrifices, and their lies. Written against a backdrop of history that has not been told in fiction before, The Kite Runner describes the rich culture and beauty of a land in the process of being destroyed. But through the devastation, Khaled Hosseini offers hope for redemption.

CONTACT REV'D STEPHANIE WITH YOUR RECOMMENDATION AND A SUGGESTION FOR WHEN AND WHERE YOU'D LIKE TO GATHER (DURING THE WEEK FOR AFTERNOON COFFEE? SUNDAY BETWEEN SERVICES? MIDWAY OR AT THE END OF THE BOOK?)



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PEOPLE SERVING TODAY

THE SERVICE LEADER

Rev'd Stephanie Jenkins

LECTORS

8:00AM – John Carter

10:15 Lessons – Lane Hooton

10:15 Prayers & Psalm – David Gabriele

USHER

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Ann Friedl

CRUCIFER

Holden Vazquez

PRIEST CROSS

Noah Charles

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David Gabriele – Pianist

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