The Resurrection of Our Lord Jesus Christ Easter Day



The Cathedral Church of St. Peter & St. Paul in the City & Episcopal Diocese of Washington

HAPPY EASTER AND WELCOME TO WASHINGTON NATIONAL CATHEDRAL!

We gather this morning to celebrate the deepest, most important truth we know—that in the life, death, and resurrection of Jesus Christ, God has entered into our world to bring hope, healing, and new life. Jesus embodied God's unstoppable love so completely that he became a threat to nearly everyone around him, and he was hung on a cross for refusing to compromise or set limits on that love. Today the church proclaims that death was not the last word for him, that God raised him to new life, and in doing that has opened the possibility of healing and hope for everyone.

Easter promises that, as with the first disciples, we too can know this risen Lord and can find our lives being filled with his life. So our celebration tonight is not simply about an event long ago, but about how the miracle of resurrection can take place in us.

We are delighted you are here for this service as we make the journey from the darkness of Good Friday to the first in-breaking of Easter. If you are a visitor, we hope you will come back often as we explore what this Easter faith can do for us and for our world.

May you discover this Easter joy for yourself through this season and throughout the year.

EASTER DAY The Sunday of the Resurrection

april 24, 2011

8 am

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A gift in support of this celebration of Christ's resurrection is made to the glory of God and in thanksgiving for the William Carter Dulin and Maurine Stuart Dulin families.

CARILLON PRELUDE

He is risen, he is risen! At the Lamb's high feast we sing Hallelujah! for carillon The strife is o'er, the battle done Christ is alive! Let Christians sing Jesus Christ is risen today

ORGAN VOLUNTARY

Repons pour le temps du Pâques Partita:O Lamm Gottes unschuldig, BWV 656 Coelestis Urbs Jerusalem, from Le Tombeau de Titelouze, Op. 38

American Sign Language interpretation of the service is offered by Nancy Connors in the north transept. Please ask an usher for direction.

INTROIT

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. Unser Herrscher; arr. Frank P. Law (1917–1985) Salzburg; arr. Edward M. Nassor (b. 1957) Hilton J. Rufty (1904–1974) Victory; arr. F.P. Law Truro; arr. Edward M. Nassor Easter Hymn; arr. F.P. Law

> Jeanne Demessieux (1921–1968) Johann Sebastian Bach (1685–1750) Marcel Dupré (1886–1971)

> > Charles Wood (1866–1926)

George R. Woodward

The people stand to sing the processional hymn.

HYMN AT THE PROCESSION

Jesus Christ is risen today!

Easter Hymn



EASTER ACCLAMATION

Presider Alleluia! Christ is risen.

People The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia!

HYMN OF PRAISE

Christ is alive! Let Christians sing



Sung by all.

Truro

COLLECT OF EASTER DAY

PresiderThe Lord be with you.PeopleAnd also with you.

The presider prays the collect. The people respond Amen.

The Liturgy of the Word

The people are seated for the lessons.

THE FIRST LESSON

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."

ReaderThe Word of the Lord.PeopleThanks be to God.

ANTHEM

Antiphon from Five Mystical Songs

Let all the world in every corner sing, *My God and King.*

The heavens are not too high, His praise may thither fly: The earth is not too low, His praises there may grow.

Let all the world in every corner sing, *My God and King.*

The Church with psalms must shout, No door can keep them out: But above all, the heart Must bear the longest part.

Let all the world in every corner sing, My God and King.

THE SECOND LESSON

If you have been raised with Christ, seek the things that are above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God. Set your minds on things that are above, not on things that are on earth, for you have died, and your life is hidden with Christ in God. When Christ who is your life is revealed, then you also will be revealed with him in glory.

ReaderThe Word of the Lord.PeopleThanks be to God.

The people stand to sing the hymn.

Acts 10:34-43

Ralph Vaughan Williams (1872–1958)

George Herbert (1593–1633)

Colossians 3:1-4

HYMN AT THE SEQUENCE

The strife is o'er, the battle done



Victory

THE GOSPEL

GospellerThe Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.PeopleGlory to you, Lord Christ.

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 toward 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 around and saw Jesus standing there, but she did not know that it was Jesus. Jesus said to her, "Woman, why are you weeping? Whom are you looking for?" 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.

GospellerThe Gospel of the Lord.PeoplePraise to you, Lord Christ.

The people are seated at the invitation of the preacher.

THE SERMONat 8 AMat 11 AM	Bishop Chane Dean Lloyd
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The people stand.

THE NICENE CREED

Said by all.

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 worshipped 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.

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

- *Intercessor* Sisters and brothers in Christ, we, like Mary Magdalene and the disciples, are witnesses to the resurrection. We have seen the empty tomb and, joyfully believing, run to share the good news. We proclaim the resurrection light!
- *People* Alleluia! We have seen the risen Lord.

Intercessor	Believing that the holy church of God may show forth by word and example the Good News of Christ, we proclaim the resurrection light!
People	Alleluia! We have seen the risen Lord.
Intercessor	Believing that all the peoples and nations of the earth may be transformed by mercy and live together in hope, we proclaim the resurrection light!
People	Alleluia! We have seen the risen Lord.
Intercessor	Believing that all in authority may be guided by wisdom to serve the nations of the world with justice and peace, we proclaim the resurrection light!
People	Alleluia! We have seen the risen Lord.
Intercessor	Believing that the wars of this world will one day be reconciled through the love of Christ, we proclaim the resurrection light!
People	Alleluia! We have seen the risen Lord.
Intercessor	Believing that all who suffer in poverty, sickness, or any other adversity may be healed by the presence of Christ, we proclaim the resurrection light!
People	Alleluia! We have seen the risen Lord.
Intercessor	Believing that all who have died will be restored to everlasting life, we proclaim the resurrection light!
People	Alleluia! We have seen the risen Lord.

CONCLUDING COLLECT

Presider Holy God, long ago faithful men and women first proclaimed the good news of the Resurrection and the world was changed forever. May we keep faith with them, that our witness may be bold, our love deep, and our faith true.

Amen. People

THE PEACE

The peace of the Lord be always with you. Presider And also with you. People

The people greet one another with a sign of God's peace.

THE HOLY COMMUNION

THE OFFERTORY SENTENCE

The people remain seated while an offering is received to support the Cathedral's work of sharing God's love with the world.

ANTHEM AT THE OFFERTORY

Sing ye to the Lord	Edward Bairstow (1874–1946)

Sing ye to the Lord, for he hath triumphed gloriously. Pharaoh's chariots and his host hath he cast into the sea. Mighty victim from the sky, Hell's fierce powers beneath thee lie; Thou hast conquered in the fight, Thou hast brought us life and light; Now no more can death appall, Now no more the grave enthrall; Thou hast opened paradise, And in thee thy saints shall rise. Alleluia. Amen.

Exodus 15:21, 4



THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

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

The presider offers our thanks to God for the grace and mercy made available to us in Christ, and in response all sing:

SANCTUS & BENEDICTUS



The presider gives thanks to God for the reconciling work of Christ's passion and resurrection and prays over the bread and wine.

MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION

PresiderTherefore, according to his command, O Father,AllWe remember his death,We proclaim his resurrection,We await his coming in glory;

The presider concludes with prayer for the coming of God's realm. The people affirm the Great Thanksgiving with AMEN.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Presider And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,

People 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 breaking of the bread $\dot{\mathscr{C}}$ the fraction anthem



INVITATION TO COMMUNION

All who seek God and a deeper life in Christ are welcome to receive Holy Eucharist.

To receive communion, come to a communion station at the direction of the ushers. Receive the bread in the palm of your hand. Eat the bread and then drink from the cup when it is offered to you, or, if you wish, you may hold the bread and dip it into the wine when the cup is offered to you.

Gluten-free wafers are available; please make your need known to the minister.

If you wish to receive a blessing rather than receive communion, please join in the movement to the communion station and cross your arms over your chest. This will alert the priest of your desire to be blessed.

COMMUNION ANTHEM

My beloved spake

My beloved spake, and said unto me, Rise up, my love, my fair one, and come away. For, lo, the winter is past, the rain is over and gone; the flowers appear on the earth; the time of the singing of birds is come, and the voice of the turtle is heard in our land; the fig-tree putteth forth her green figs, and the vines with the tender grape give a good smell. Arise, my love, my fair one, and come away.

COMMUNION ANTHEM

Hæc dies

Hac dies quam fecit Dominus. Exultemus et latemur in ea. Alleluia.

This is the day which the Lord hath made. Let us rejoice and be glad in it. Alleluia.

Patrick Hadley (1899–1973)

Song of Solomon 2:10–13

William Byrd (1540–1623)

Psalm 118:24

HYMN

At the Lamb's high feast we sing



Salzburg

THE POSTCOMMUNION PRAYER

Said by all.

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.

THE EASTER BLESSING

The bishop blesses the people, and the people respond Amen.

He is risen, he is risen!

Unser Herrscher



DISMISSAL

GospellerLet us go forth in the name of Christ. Alleluia! Alleluia!PeopleThanks be to God. Alleluia! Alleluia!

ORGAN VOLUNTARY

Toccata, from *Symphonie V*, *Op.* 42

Charles-Marie Widor (1844–1937)

Following the eleven o'clock service the Washington Ringing Society will attempt a quarter-peal to announce the Resurrection.

Flowers throughout the Cathedral are given to the glory of God.

Flowers at the high altar are given in memory of Hibbard G. James, Sita Finkenstaedt Gibson, August M. and Harriett MacDonald Stromberg, William Tyndale Knox III, Bishop Robert Brewster Board, and Bishop James de Wolf Perry, on the anniversary of his installation as presiding bishop, 1930; flowers on candelabra at the high altar are given in loving memory of Mary Russell and Charles Bounds; flowers at the organ console are given in honor of Michael T. Hosang, Esq. and in memory of Ruth D. and Paul Lieber; flowers at the platform altar in the crossing are given in memory of the Yenulevich/Johnson family; flowers at the Paschal Candle and at the mid-nave font are given in loving memory of Catherine Elizabeth Fowler; flowers at the altar in St. Mary's Chapel are given in memory of Mr. and Mrs. Larz Anderson, Mary Agnes Todd, Robert Marsden Goodchild and the Reverend and Mrs. Norman Egerton, and in honor of Martha H. Lacey; flowers at the St. Mary's Chapel gates are given in memory of Anne Raines Stout; flowers at the Anderson tomb are given in memory of Mr. and Mrs. Larz Anderson; flowers at the altar in Holy Spirit Chapel are given in memory of Frederick James, Bertha Elise Wildman, and Vera D. Graf on the anniversary of her birthday, and in honor of Jean Schnell Auchincloss; flowers at the altar in St. John's Chapel are given in memory of Jean and Edwin Heid, Irene McKay, Lillian Knox, Philip H. Hulley, and Margaret Hulley Watzek, and in thanksgiving for Dr. Byron Simmons; flowers at the altar in Children's Chapel are given in memory of Jennie May Mathis Malloy, Carroll Stansbury, Bronaugh Woodland, and Margaret Aldridge Deringer, and in honor of Peter McCallum Griffiths; flowers at the font in Children's Chapel are given in honor of Michael Gaines Semler and Alexander Horatio Semler; flowers at the Christ Child statue are given in loving memory of Adriana Lusk Van der Steenhoven; flowers at the altar in War Memorial Chapel are given in loving memory of Bertha R. "Bert" Pence, Edwin H.B. Pratt, John Estes Daughtrey, and the Norristown High School, Norristown, Pennsylvania, Class of 1941 veterans of World War II; flowers at the altar in Bethlehem Chapel are given in memory of Marion G. Lemon, Stella E. Emerson, Margaret Sisson, Bertha M. Gordon, Virginia Berrier, Jessie Johnson Whitaker, and Mr. and Mrs. Ferdinand Turton Schneider; flowers at the lectern in Bethlehem Chapel are given in loving memory of and in thanksgiving for the preaching of God's Holy Word through the Reverend Dr. Ronald Parks Conner; flowers at the altar in Resurrection Chapel are given in memory of Rhoda Paxton Boggs, Mary K. Randolph, and the Reverend Dr. Michael Wyatt; flowers at the altar in St. Joseph's Chapel are given in memory of Joseph Wilson, Katharine Monks, and in commemoration of 30 years of folk Eucharist worship by Charlotte and Ron Skorepa; flowers at the columbarium gates in St. Joseph's Chapel are given in memory of Constantine and Marion Seferlis; flowers in Dulin Bay and in Folger Bay are given in memory of J. Clifford Folger, and in memory of and thanksgiving for Blanche Scott Dulin, Edward Milton Dulin Sr., and Dr. William C. Dulin; flowers in Good Shepherd Chapel are given in honor of the Very Reverend Francis B. Sayre; flowers in the baptistry are given in loving memory of Harry and Harriet Rogstad, and Edmond and Jeanette Arseneault, and in thanksgiving for Barry K. and Lorraine A. Rogstad from the Guidera family; the ushers' carnations are given in memory of Charles Sidney Forbes, Lieut. James Norbert Matthews and in honor of the Cathedral ushers; and flowers are given in honor of and thanksgiving for all flower arrangers.

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