

April 14, 2024

10am

THE THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER



Loving God. Loving People.  
Growing in Christ Together.

*Presiding:* The Reverend Dr. Patrick McManus  
*Preaching::* The Reverend Rob Petkau  
*Assisting:* The Reverend Brian Suggs  
Natania Friesen

# THE GATHERING OF THE COMMUNITY

We gather with song and prayer as the People of God

*We are a Christian community which celebrates and enacts the love of God in our common life of prayer and service in this neighbourhood.*

*Children are full members of our church and we welcome their presence and participation in our worship.*

*Please feel free to sit at any time during the celebration.*

Prelude:

Chorale Prelude on Easter Hymn

*H. Willan*

Opening Hymn:

**Rejoice, the Lord Is King (379)**

*Tune: Darwall*

*It's during the singing of this hymn that we would normally be giving our offerings. A reminder for those present in person that offering boxes are available in the narthex to make your offering. If online, you can click here to give your offering through Canada Helps.*

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**Rejoice, the Lord is King;  
Your Lord and King adore!  
Rejoice, give thanks and sing,  
And triumph evermore.  
Lift up your heart,  
Lift up your voice!  
Rejoice, again I say, rejoice!**

**Jesus, the Saviour, reigns,  
The God of truth and love;  
When He had purged our stains,**

He took his seat above;  
Lift up your heart,  
Lift up your voice!  
Rejoice, again I say, rejoice!

His kingdom cannot fail,  
He rules o'er earth and heaven;  
The keys of death and hell  
Are to our Jesus given:  
Lift up your heart,  
Lift up your voice!  
Rejoice, again I say, rejoice!

Rejoice in glorious hope!  
Jesus the judge shall come  
And take His servants up  
To their eternal home:  
We soon shall hear  
The archangel's voice;  
The trump of God shall sound, rejoice!

Welcome:

The Easter Greeting:

*Presider:* Alleluia! Christ is risen!

*People:* **The Lord is risen indeed, alleluia!**

*Presider:* May his grace and peace be with you!

*People:* **May he fill our hearts with joy.**

Collect for Purity:

*Presider:* 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.**

Prayer of the Day:

*Presider:* Let us pray.

*Silence is kept*

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.**

Prayer for our Young People:

*Children and Youth leave for their Faith Formation programmes.*

*Presider:* May our Lord Jesus bless you as you meet him in the  
Scriptures.

*Please be seated.*

## THE PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD OF GOD

*We read and respond to God's message in  
Scripture*

First Reading:

**Acts 3:12-19**

*Reader: Anne Layton*

*Reader:* A reading from the Book of Acts.

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 this man walk? The 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. But you rejected the Holy and Righteous One and asked to have a murderer given to you, and you killed the Author of life, whom God raised from the dead. To this we are witnesses. And 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. And now, friends, I know that you acted in ignorance, as did also your rulers. In this way God fulfilled what he had foretold through all the prophets, that his Messiah would suffer. Repent therefore, and turn to God so that your sins may be wiped out."

*Please keep a period of silence for reflection.*

*Reader:* The word of the Lord.

*People:* **Thanks be to God.**

Psalm 4

**Confitemini Domino**

*Jacques Berthier (1923-1994)*

*Please remain seated.*

*Refrain (R):*

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia,  
lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!

Music: J. Berthier  
Taizé Community  
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*Verses:*

Answer 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.  
"You mortals, how long will you dis-honor my glory?"

Know that the Lord does wonders for the faithful;  
when I call upon the Lord, he will hear me.  
Tremble, then, and do not sin;  
speak to your heart in silence upon your bed.

Offer the appointed sacrifices,  
and put your trust in the Lord.  
Many are saying, "Oh, that we might see better times!"  
Lift up the light of your countenance upon us, O Lord.

You have put gladness in my heart,  
more than when grain and wine and oil increase.  
I lie down in peace; at once I fall a-sleep;  
for only you, Lord, make me dwell in safety.

Second Reading:

**1 John 3:1-7**

Reader: *Jamie Isbister*

*Reader:* A reading from the first letter from John.

See 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. Beloved, 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. And all who have this hope in him purify themselves, just as he is pure. Everyone who commits sins is guilty of lawlessness; sin is lawlessness. You know that he was revealed to take away sins, and in him there is no sin. No one who abides in him sins; no one who sins has either seen him or known him. Little children, let no one deceive you. Everyone who does what is right is righteous, just as he is righteous.

*Please keep a period of silence for reflection.*

*Reader:* The word of the Lord.

*People:* **Thanks be to God.**

Gospel Acclamation 715:

**Alleluia**

*(v. 1 and 2)*

*Refrain:*

**Alleluia, Alleluia...**

**The Word of the Lord lasts forever,**

**What is the Word that is living?**

**It is brought to us through His Son Jesus Christ. *(Refrain)***

**God brings the world to himself,**

**Now through his Christ reconciling;**

**He has trusted us with the news of redeeming love. *(Refrain)***

The Gospel:

**Luke 24:36b-48**

*Gospeller: Natania Friesen*

*Gospeller:* The Lord be with you.

*People:* **And also with you.**

*Gospeller:* The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ,  
according to Luke.

*People:* **Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

*Gospeller:* Jesus himself stood among the disciples and said to them, "Peace be with you." They were startled and terrified, and thought that they were seeing a ghost. He said to them, "Why are you frightened, and why do doubts arise in your hearts? Look 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." And when he had said this, he showed them his hands and his feet. While in their joy they were disbelieving and still wondering, he said to them, "Have you anything here to eat?" They gave him a piece of broiled fish, and he took it and ate in their presence. Then 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." Then he opened their minds to understand the scriptures, and he said to them, "Thus it is written, that the Messiah is to suffer and to rise from the dead on the third day, and that repentance and forgiveness of sins is to be proclaimed in his name to all nations, beginning from Jerusalem. You are witnesses of these things."

*Gospeller:* The Gospel of Christ.

*People:* **Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**



**Refrain:**  
**Alleluia, Alleluia...**

Sermon:  
*The Reverend Rob Petkau*

*Please keep a period of silence for reflection.*

*Please stand as you are able.*

The Apostles' Creed:

*Presider:* I invite those who would like to make a profession of Christian faith to join with me in the Apostles' Creed.

**All:**     **I believe in God,  
the Father almighty,  
creator of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord.  
He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit  
and born of the Virgin Mary.  
He suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
was crucified, died, and was buried.  
He descended to the dead.  
On the third day he rose again.  
He ascended into heaven,  
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.  
He will come again  
to judge the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit,  
the holy catholic Church,  
the communion of saints,**

**the forgiveness of sins,  
the resurrection of the body,  
and the life everlasting. Amen.**

*Presider:* Having reaffirmed our faith, let us prepare to offer our prayers to God.

Prayers of the People:

*Intercessor: Helen Skippon*

*For the Church, those in authority, the world, our community,  
the sick and those in need, for the departed,  
and for the forgiveness of our sins.*

Confession and Absolution:

*Please kneel as you are able.*

*Leader:* The grace of God has dawned upon the world  
through our Saviour Jesus Christ, who sacrificed  
himself for us to purify a people as his own.  
Let us confess our sins.

*cf. Titus 2.11-14*

*Leader:* Father eternal,  
*People:* **Giver of light and grace,  
we have sinned against you  
and against our neighbour,  
in what we have thought,  
in what we have said and done,  
through ignorance, through weakness,  
through our own deliberate fault.  
We have wounded your love,  
and marred your image in us.  
We are sorry and repent of all our sins.**

**For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ,  
who died for us,  
forgive us all that is past;  
and lead us out from darkness  
to walk as children of light.  
Amen.**

*Presider:* May the Father of all mercies  
cleans you from your sins,  
and restore you in his image  
to the praise and glory of his name,  
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

The Peace:

*Having prayed for God's grace and peace for us and the world,  
we offer an exchange of peace with one another  
as you are comfortable, saying "Peace be with you" or making a sign of peace.*

*Presider:* The risen Christ came and stood among his disciples  
and said, 'Peace be with you. 'Then were they glad  
when they saw the Lord. Alleluia.

*John 20.19, 20*

The peace of the Lord be always with you.

*People:* **And also with you.**

## THE CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST

*We share God's banquet of love for this community of faith*

Offertory Hymn:

**At the Lamb's High Feast We Sing (207)**

*Tune: Salzburg*

*It's during the singing of this hymn that we give back to God from what God has given us. You can use an offering envelope or give via e-transfer: [etransfer@allsaintskingsway.ca](mailto:etransfer@allsaintskingsway.ca)*

**At the Lamb's high feast we sing  
Praise to our victorious King,  
Who hath washed us in the tide  
Flowing from His piercèd side;  
Praise we Him whose love divine  
Gives His sacred blood for wine,  
Gives His body for the feast,  
Christ the Victim, Christ the Priest.**

**Where the paschal blood is poured,  
Death's dark angel sheathes his sword;  
Israel's hosts triumphant go  
Through the wave that drowns the foe.  
Praise we Christ, whose blood was shed,  
Paschal Victim, Paschal Bread;  
With sincerity and love  
Eat we manna from above.**

**Mighty Victim from on high,  
Hell's fierce powers beneath Thee lie;  
Death is broken in the fight,  
Thou hast brought us life and light;  
Now no more can death appal,  
Now no more the grave enthral!  
Thou hast opened paradise,  
And in Thee Thy saints shall rise.**

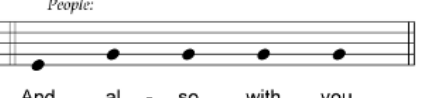
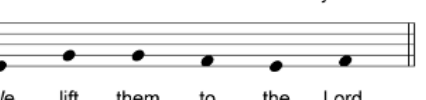
**This, our gift of Easter joy,  
Sin alone can now destroy;  
From sin's power do Thou set free**

Souls new-born, O Lord in Thee.  
 Hymns of glory and of praise,  
 Father, unto Thee we raise;  
 Risen Lord, all praise to Thee,  
 With the Spirit, ever be.

Prayer over the Gifts:

*Presider:* Creator of all,  
 you wash away our sins in water,  
 you give us new birth by the Spirit,  
 and redeem us in the blood of Christ.  
 As we celebrate the resurrection,  
 renew your gift of life within us.  
 We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ the risen Lord.  
**Amen.**

The Great Thanksgiving:

<i>Presider:</i>	<i>People:</i>
	
The Lord be with you.	And al - so with you.
	
Lift up your hearts.	We lift them to the Lord.
	
Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. It is right to give our thanks and praise	

*Presider:* Blessed are you, gracious God,  
 creator of heaven and earth;  
 we give you thanks and praise  
 for the glorious resurrection of your Son Jesus  
 Christ our Lord;

for he is the true paschal lamb  
who has taken away the sin of the world. By his  
death he destroyed death,  
and by his rising to life again  
he has won for us eternal life.  
Therefore, joining our voices  
with the whole company of heaven,  
we sing our joyful hymn of praise  
to proclaim the glory of your name.

Sanctus:  
**Holy, Holy, Holy (732)**  
*R. Proulx*

**Holy, holy, holy Lord,  
God of power and might,  
Heaven and earth are 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.**

*Presider:* We give thanks to you, Lord our God,  
for the goodness and love  
you have made known to us in creation;  
in calling Israel to be your people;  
in your Word spoken through the prophets; and  
above all in the Word made flesh,  
Jesus your Son.  
For in these last days you sent him  
to be incarnate from the Virgin Mary,  
to be the Saviour and Redeemer of the world. In  
him, you have delivered us from evil,  
and made us worthy to stand before you.

In him, you have brought us  
out of error into truth,  
out of sin into righteousness,  
out of death into life.

On the night he was handed over  
to suffering and death,  
a death he freely accepted,  
our Lord Jesus Christ took bread;  
and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it,  
and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat:  
this is my body which is given for you. Do this for  
the remembrance of me."

After supper he 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 shed  
for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins.  
Whenever you drink it,  
do this for the remembrance of me."

*Presider:* Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith.

*All:* **Christ has died.**  
**Christ is risen.**  
**Christ will come again.**

*Presider:* And we offer our sacrifice of praise and  
thanksgiving to you, Lord of all;  
presenting to you, from your creation, this bread  
and this wine.

We pray you, gracious God,  
to send your Holy Spirit upon these gifts,  
that they may be the sacrament  
of the body of Christ  
and his blood of the new covenant.  
Unite us to your Son in his sacrifice,  
that we, made acceptable in him,  
may be sanctified by the Holy Spirit.


In the fullness of time,  
reconcile all things in Christ,  
and make them new,  
and bring us to that city of light  
where you dwell with all your sons and daughters;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord,  
the firstborn of all creation,  
the head of the Church,  
and the author of our salvation;  
by whom, and with whom, and in whom,  
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
all honour and glory are yours, almighty Father,  
now and forever. **Amen.**

The Lord's Prayer:  
**Mass for the King of Glory**  
*Betty Pulkingham (b.1928)*


*Presider:* As our Saviour taught us, let us pray:








heaven, Hall-ow'd be your name, your kingdom




come, your will be done on earth as it is in




heaven, Give us this day our daily bread, for



give us our sins as we forgive those who sin a-



gainst 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. Amen.

## Breaking of the Bread:

*Presider:* Lord, we died with you on the cross.

*People:* **Now we are raised to new life.**

*Presider:* We were buried in your tomb.

*People:* **Now we share in your resurrection.**

*Presider:* Live in us, that we may live in you.

*Presider:* The gifts of God for the People of God.

*People:* **Thanks be to God.**

## Song for the Breaking of Bread:

### **All Shall Be Well (222)**

*Tune: Song 46*

**All shall be well,  
For on our Easter skies.  
See Christ the sun of righteousness arise.**

**Jesus alive!  
Rejoice and sing again;  
All shall be well forevermore, Amen!**

*Please be seated.*

## The Communion:

*As we come to communion, we have reintroduced the common cup. No one should feel any pressure to partake; we just ask that as you come up, you either touch the base of the chalice as an act of acknowledgement or simply cross your arms across your chest and the chalice bearer will proclaim the words of acknowledgement. You are all welcome to the Lord's table. Please come knowing it is Christ himself who welcomes you and feeds you here.*

Choral Anthem  
**Come, Christians Join to Sing**  
*Carl F. Mueller*

Prayer after Communion:

*Please stand as you are able.*

*Presider:* 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.**

THE SENDING OUT

*We now go into the world declaring the good news of Jesus Christ*

The Doxology:

*Presider:* Glory to God  
*All:* **Whose power, working in us,  
can do infinitely more  
than we can ask or imagine.  
Glory to God from generation to generation,  
in the Church and in Christ Jesus,  
forever and ever. Amen.**

*Please be seated.*

Parish Announcements:

Sending Out:

*Presider:* The mission of the Lay Pastoral Communion Visitors is to bring the presence of Christ in the sacrament to those who are sick or shut-in in our parish. As you go out, share the light and hope of Christ with those you meet and go with our blessing. **Amen.**

*Please stand as you are able.*

The Blessing:

*Presider:* The God of peace,  
who brought again from the dead our Lord Jesus,  
that great shepherd of the sheep,  
make you perfect in every good work to do his will;  
and the blessing of God Almighty,  
Father, Son, and Holy Spirit be with you  
And remain with you always.  
**Amen.**

Closing Hymn:

**Crown Him with Many Crowns (378)**

*Tune: Diademata*

*Please stand as you are able.*

**Crown him with many crowns,  
The Lamb upon his throne.  
Hark! how the heavenly anthem drowns  
All music but its own.  
Awake, my soul, and sing  
Of him who died for thee,  
And hail him as thy matchless king  
through all eternity.**

Crown him the Lord of life,  
Who triumphed o'er the grave,  
And rose victorious in the strife  
For those he came to save;  
His glories now we sing  
Who died and rose on high,  
Who died eternal life to bring,  
And lives that death may die.

Crown him the Lord of peace,  
Whose power a sceptre sways  
From pole to pole, that wars may cease  
Absorbed in prayer and praise.  
His reign shall know no end;  
And round his pierced feet  
Fair flowers of paradise extend  
Their fragrance ever sweet.

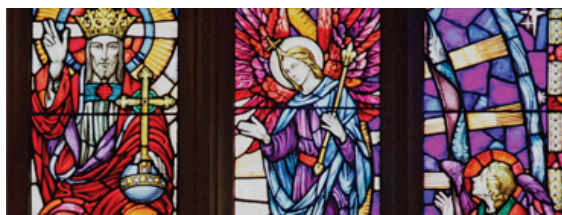
Crown him the Lord of love;  
Behold his hands and side,  
Rich wounds, yet visible above,  
In beauty glorified;  
All hail, Redeemer, hail!  
For Thou Hast died for me;  
Thy praise shall never, never fail  
Throughout eternity.

The Dismissal:

*Deacon:* Let us go forth in the name of Christ. Alleluia! Alleluia!

*All:* Thanks be to God. Alleluia! Alleluia!

Postlude:  
Finale Jubilante  
*H. Willan*



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to the glory of God*

*and in loving memory of her husband, Robert Rushowy by Susan.*

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if you know of anyone who is ill  
or otherwise in need of pastoral care.  
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as they endeavour to minister to parishioners.*

*Reader:* Anne Layton and Jamie Isbister

*Sides Team:* 3

*Chancel Team:* 1

*Chalice:* Donna Quance and Jim Rayner

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*Intercessor:* Helen Skippon

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