

 **The
Chapel of the Cross**
A Reformed Episcopal Church



Easter Day

Morning Prayer & Holy Communion

Sunday, April 20, A.D. 2025 ~ 10:30 a.m.

Welcome

Welcome to The Chapel of the Cross. This service will alternate between the BOOK OF COMMON PRAYER, the HYMNAL, and this bulletin. In general, we stand (*) to sing, sit to listen, and kneel (†) to pray. **Boldface** indicates congregational participation. At Holy Communion, all baptized Christians are invited to the Lord's Table. To receive a blessing without communing, still come forward and cross your arms over your chest.



Announcements

Christ is Risen!

This greeting is the "Good morning" of Christianity, especially during Eastertide; we are children of the day and called to a new life.

Easter Egg Hunt

Children 10 and under are invited to gather under the awning at the back of the church following service for an Easter Egg Hunt.

No school tomorrow. The parish office will also be closed tomorrow. There will be choir rehearsal on Wednesday, followed by a choir party.

Give Him a Hundred! Lenten offering/REC 100

Children will return mite boxes on the Sunday After Easter. Each Reformed Episcopal adult is asked to contribute \$100 for planting new churches.

Christ Church Jerusalem

Good Friday offerings will be sent to Christ Church, Jerusalem, upholding a longstanding tradition in the church. Pray for the peace of Jerusalem!

Trail Life will meet this Thursday at 6:45.

Birthdays

Andrew Dittman	April 20
Kathryn Johnson	April 24
Brittany Dean	April 25

Easter Flowers are Given to the Glory of God

In Memory of Lara Roth-Biester
*by Mr. & Mrs. Duncan Frissell &
The Saunders Family*

In Memory of Forrest Moore
& Winifred Smith
by Judy Moore

In Memory of Dolores McClellan
& Marguerite Carver
by The Fruins

In Memory of Ray H. Smith,
Irene Smith, & Pat Keller
by Nola Rae Smith

In Honor of Fr. Ed & Melissa Fruin
by The Bridwells

In Memory of Jane D. Simpson,
Art & Marilyn Simpson,
Donald & Virginia Gay
by Bill & Caroline Simpson

In Memory of Elizabeth Parker Reid, Estelle
Lowe Parker, Kenneth Hodgeson Parker, Dan
Rhodes, Shirley Bucy, & Charles Bucy
by David & Cynthia Bucy

In Memory of Violet Evans
by the Gagie Family

The Order of Service

Prelude

Prelude in A major

BWV 536

Johann Sebastian Bach

(1685-1750)

Paschal Greeting

Minister. Alleluia! The Lord is risen!

Answer. He is risen indeed! Alleluia!

Introit

An Anthem for Easter

THE CHAPEL CHOIR

William Billings

(1746-1800)

The Lord is risen indeed! Hallelujah!

Now is Christ risen from the dead,

And become the first fruit of them that slept.

Hallelujah!

* **Processional Hymn**

Jesus Christ is ris'n today

HYMN 85

¶ *The Junior Altar Guild will bring the folded linens from the empty sepulcher to the altar during the procession.*



The Order for Daily Morning Prayer

begins on page 3 of the Book of Common Prayer

* Opening Sentences

* Preces

Minister. O Lord, open thou our lips.

Answer. **And our mouth shall show forth thy praise.**

Minister. Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost.

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

Minister. Praise ye the Lord.

Answer. **The Lord's Name be praised.**

* For the Venite

BCP 162

Christ our Passover

THE CHAPEL CHOIR

Andrew Dittman

(b. 1987)

*Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us: therefore let us keep the feast,
Not with old leaven, neither with the leaven of malice and wickedness;
but with the unleavened bread of sincerity and truth.* - 1 Corinthians 5: 7

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.* - Romans 6: 9

*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 of the dead.*

*For as in Adam all die, even so in Christ
shall all be made alive.* - 1 Corinthians 15: 20

*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.*



CHRISTUS re-surgens ex mortuis

- B**E merciful unto me, O God, be merciful unto me; for my soul trusteth in thee;
* and under the shadow of thy wings shall be my refuge, until this tyranny be overpast.
- 2 **I will call unto the Most High God,**
* **even unto the God that shall perform the cause which I have in hand.**
- 3 He shall send from heaven,
* and save me from the reproof of him that would eat me up.
- 4 **God shall send forth his mercy and truth:**
* **my soul is among lions;**
- 5 And I lie even among the children of men, that are set on fire,
* whose teeth are spears and arrows, and their tongue a sharp sword.
- 6 **Set up thyself, O God, above the heavens;**
* **and thy glory above all the earth.**
- 7 They have laid a net for my feet, and pressed down my soul;
* they have digged a pit before me, and are fallen into the midst of it themselves.
- 8 **My heart is fixed, O God, my heart is fixed;**
* **I will sing and give praise.**
- 9 Awake up, my glory; awake, lute and harp:
* I myself will awake right early.
- 10 **I will give thanks unto thee, O Lord, among the peoples;**
* **and I will sing unto thee among the nations.**
- 11 For the greatness of thy mercy reacheth unto the heavens,
* and thy truth unto the clouds.
- 12 **Set up thyself, O God, above the heavens;**
* **and thy glory above all the earth.**

* *Gloria Patri*

THE CHAPEL CHOIR

Dittman

Old Testament Lesson

Isaiah 25: 1-9

* Canticle

Te Deum laudamus

HYMN 614 & 618



The Order for Holy Communion

begins on page 67 of the Book of Common Prayer

† The Lord's Prayer

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. Amen.

† Collect for Purity

† Summary of the Law

† *Kyrie eleison*

Missa de Sancta Maria Magdalena

Healey Willan
(1880-1968)

Lord, have mer - cy up - on us. Lord, have mer - cy up - on us. Lord, have mer - cy up - on us. Christ, have mer - cy up - on us. Christ, have mer - cy up - on us. Christ, have mer - cy up - on us. Lord, have mer - cy up - on us. Lord, have mer - cy up - on us.

† Collect for the Day

The Epistle

1 Corinthians v. 6.

* Gradual Hymn

Come, ye faithful, raise the strain

HYMN 94 (2nd tune)

* The Holy Gospel



Glory be to thee, O Lord.

St. Mark xvi. 1.



Praise be to thee, O Christ.

* The Nicene Creed

I BELIEVE in one God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, And of all things visible and invisible:

And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God; Begotten of his Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, Very God of very God; Begotten, not made; Being of one substance with the Father; By whom all things were made: Who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven, And was incarnate by the Holy Ghost of the Virgin Mary, And was made man: And was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate; He suffered and was buried: And the third day he rose again according to the Scriptures: And ascended into heaven, And sitteth on the right hand of the Father: And he shall come again, with glory, to judge both the quick and the dead; Whose kingdom shall have no end.

And I believe in the Holy Ghost, The Lord, and Giver of Life, Who proceedeth from the Father and the Son; Who with the Father and the Son together is worshipped and glorified; Who spake by the Prophets: And I believe one Catholic and Apostolic Church: I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins: And I look for the Resurrection of the dead: And the Life of the world to come. Amen.

Welcome & Announcements

* Sermon Hymn

Christ the Lord is ris'n today

HYMN 95 (2nd tune)

¶ *All children are invited to flower the cross during the sermon hymn.*

Sermon

The Rector

Offertory

Most glorious Lord of life

John Ebenezer West

THE CHAPEL CHOIR

(1863-1929)

*Most glorious Lord of life, that on this day,
Didst make thy triumph over death and sin:
And having harrow'd hell, didst bring away
Captivity thence captive, us to win:
This joyous day, dear Lord, with joy begin,
And grant that we for whom thou diddest die,
Being with thy dear blood clean wash'd from sin,
May live for ever in felicity.*

- Edmund Spenser (c. 1552-1599)

* Presentation

Old Hundredth

HYMN 139

† Prayer for the Whole State of Christ's Church

† Confession

ALMIGHTY God, Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, Maker of all things, Judge of all men; We acknowledge and bewail our manifold sins and wickedness, Which we, from time to time, most grievously have committed, By thought, word, and deed, Against thy Divine Majesty, Provoking most justly thy wrath and indignation against us. We do earnestly repent, And are heartily sorry for these our misdoings; The remembrance of them is grievous unto us; The burden of them is intolerable. Have mercy upon us, Have mercy upon us, most merciful Father; For thy Son our Lord Jesus Christ's sake, Forgive us all that is past; And grant that we may ever hereafter Serve and please thee In newness of life, To the honour and glory of thy Name; Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

† Absolution

† Comfortable Words

† *Sursum corda* & Proper Preface

Priest. Lift up your hearts.

Answer. **We lift them up unto the Lord.**

Priest. Let us give thanks to our Lord God.

Answer. **It is meet and right so to do.**

† *Sanctus & Benedictus* *Missa de Sancta Maria Magdalena*

Willan

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly, Lord God of hosts,
 Hea - ven and earth are full of thy glo - ry: Glo - ry be to
 thee, O Lord Most High. Bles - sed is he that com - eth in the
 name of the Lord, Ho - san - na in the high - est.

† Prayer of Consecration

† The Lord's Prayer

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† Prayer of Humble Access

† *Agnus Dei*

Missa de Sancta Maria Magdalena

Willan



O Lamb of God, that tak - est a - way the sins of the world,
have mer - cy up - on us. O Lamb of God, that
tak - est a - way the sins of the world, have mer - cy up -
on us. O Lamb of God, that tak - est a - way the
sins of the world, grant us thy peace.



The Holy Communion

All baptized Christians are invited to the Lord's Table. To receive a blessing without communing, still come forward and cross your arms over your chest.

† **Communion Hymns** *At the Lamb's high feast we sing*

HYMN 89

Come, risen Lord, and deign to be our guest

HYMN 207



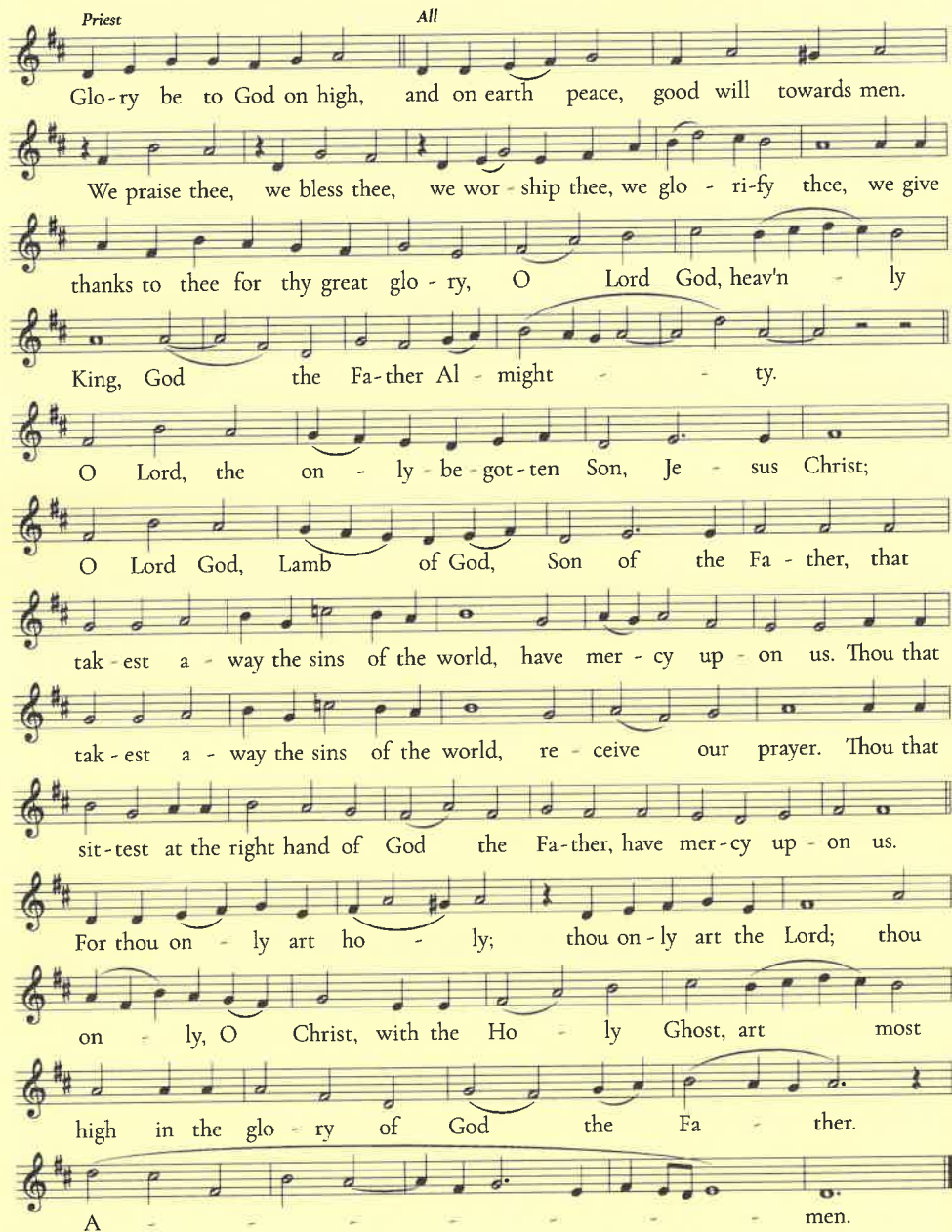
† Prayer of Thanksgiving

* *Gloria in excelsis*

Missae de Sancta Maria Magdalena

Willan

Priest *All*



Glo-ry be to God on high, and on earth peace, good will towards men.
We praise thee, we bless thee, we wor-ship thee, we glo-ri-fy thee, we give
thanks to thee for thy great glo-ry, O Lord God, heav'n-ly
King, God the Fa-ther Al-might-ty.
O Lord, the on-ly-be-got-ten Son, Je-sus Christ;
O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Fa-ther, that
tak-est a-way the sins of the world, have mer-cy up-on us. Thou that
tak-est a-way the sins of the world, re-ceive our prayer. Thou that
sit-test at the right hand of God the Fa-ther, have mer-cy up-on us.
For thou on-ly art ho-ly; thou on-ly art the Lord; thou
on-ly, O Christ, with the Ho-ly Ghost, art most
high in the glo-ry of God the Fa-ther.
A men.

† Blessing

* *Recessional Hymn*

Hail thee, festival day!

HYMN 86

† Closing Prayer *Please remain kneeling until the candles are extinguished.*



Serving Today

Celebrant	The Rt. Rev. John P. Boonzaaijer
Assisting	The Rev. Edward G. Fruin
Deacon	The Rev. Dcn. Roberto Cruz
Lay Reader	Norris Murray
Lector	Karl Boonzaaijer V
Altar Guild	Cathy Morton, <i>captain</i> Monette Gregory, Catherine Shiveley
Choirmaster	Andrew Dittman
Organist	Stephen Williams
Acolytes	Edwin Archbold & Joaquín Archbold
Ushers	John Morton, <i>captain</i> & Bradley Lives
Nursery	Hired
Counters	Sam Cole & Ryan Davis
Broadcaster	Trevor Woolsey
Coffee Hour	Hospitality Committee

Eastertide Services

Easter Monday

Morning Prayer, 8:00 a.m.
Holy Communion, 12:00 p.m.

Easter Tuesday

Morning Prayer & Holy Communion, 8:00 a.m.

Tuesday-Friday

Daily Prayer, 8:00 a.m. & 3:05 p.m.

Easter Wednesday

Evensong, 6:30 p.m.

Easter Saturday

Morning Prayer, 9:00 a.m.

First Sunday after Easter

Holy Communion, 8:00 a.m.
Catechesis, 9:25 a.m.
Lessons & Carols followed by Holy Communion, 10:30 a.m.



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The Most Rev. Stephen D. Wood, *ACNA Archbishop*

The Most Rev. Dr. Ray R. Sutton, *Bishop Ordinary, and Presiding*

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The Rt. Rev. Dr. Charles Camlin, *Suffragan Bishop*

The Rt. Rev. John P. Boonzaaijer, *Rector*

The Rev. Edward G. Fruin, *Assistant Rector*

The Rev. Garrin W. Dickinson, *Assisting Priest*

The Rev. Thomas N. Smith, *Artist-in-Residence*

The Rev. Deacon Mark W. Woolsey

The Rev. Deacon Roberto Cruz

Mr. Coleman Rafferty, *Intern*

Mr. Andrew Dittman, *Choirmaster*

Mr. Stephen Williams, *Interim Organist*

Chapel Vestry

Kenneth Bennett, *Senior Warden*

Bradley Lives, *Junior Warden*

Adam Reed, *Secretary*

Kenneth Bennett, *Treasurer*

Laura Boonzaaijer

Andrew Dittman

Ellen Grasso

Sextons

Saint Timothy Students

Niki Duval

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