



SAINT MARK'S
EPISCOPAL CATHEDRAL
SEATTLE, WASHINGTON

THE HOLY EUCHARIST

THE SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER
THE SUNDAY AFTER ASCENSION DAY

May 16, 2021 ♦ 11:00 AM

Today's Preacher: The Rev. Mark Miller

The sermon this Sunday will be offered by The Rev. Mark Miller, who retired from St. John's in Snohomish several years ago and is now a Priest Associate of Saint Mark's. Welcome!

Virtual Coffee Hour

EVERY SUNDAY AFTER MORNING WORSHIP, VIA ZOOM

Coffee hour will happen as usual following today's special 9 a.m. service. Find the link at:

saintmarks.org/coffeehour

DEEPER DIVE: The Breath of God

TODAY, SUNDAY, MAY 16, 12:30 P.M.

In the second installment of this series on faith, spirituality, and the Church, Canon Nancy Ross will present on the Holy Spirit. saintmarks.org/events

COVID Vaccine Clinic (with Organ Music!) in the Cathedral Nave

MAY 20 & 27; JUNE 3 & 10, 9 A.M. TO 3:45 P.M.

Saint Mark's is thrilled to be hosting a pop-up clinic distributing COVID-19 vaccines to the community. Already over 1000 people have been vaccinated here! Some appointments will feature live organ music. Learn more at: saintmarks.org/vaccine (and please spread the word!)

Final Event of the Mideast Focus Film Series

DISCUSSION: FRIDAY, MAY 21, 7 P.M., VIA ZOOM

As the situation in Palestine again grows more and more horrifying, the MEFM presents a selection of short films about life in the West Bank, including the Oscar-nominated *The Present*. saintmarks.org/mideast

Pentecost at Saint Mark's

NEXT SUNDAY, MAY 23, 11 A.M.

Pentecost is a principal feast of the church year, celebrating the gift of the Holy Spirit. Incense will be used at the 11 a.m. Eucharist service, and many parishioners like to wear red to mark this special day.

A Pentecost "Way of Love" Revival Weekend

LITURGY: SUNDAY, MAY 23, 1 P.M., STREAMING ONLINE

The Episcopal Church presents a series of events around the Feast of Pentecost, including a special online liturgy at 1 p.m., to which Saint Mark's was invited to contribute. saintmarks.org/revival

Compline

EVERY SUNDAY AT 9:30 P.M.

A Seattle tradition since 1956, broadcast on KING 98.1 FM, and now livestreamed: saintmarks.org/compline

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SAINT MARK'S
EPISCOPAL CATHEDRAL

Saint Mark's Cathedral acknowledges that we gather on the traditional land of the first people of Seattle, the Duwamish People, who are still here, and we honor with gratitude the land itself and the life of the Duwamish Tribe.

Welcome to Saint Mark's Cathedral's service of worship. Wherever you are on your spiritual journey, you are welcome here! We are connected, spiritually and emotionally, and visually, even when we cannot all gather in person. This liturgy is structured with the common good in mind—distanced, masked, and many connecting via livestream—while also honoring the patterns of traditional worship and common prayer, even as we experience spiritual communion with God and one another.

For those joining from home, you are encouraged to participate fully—sing the hymns heartily, speak the prayers intentionally, and engage physically by sitting and standing as a form of “body prayer.”

For those gathering in the cathedral, know that hundreds more are gathering with you by livestream. Thank you for following the guidelines designed with your safety in mind.

Hospitality ministers are available during the liturgy should you have any questions or concerns.

Hearing assist devices are available for any who need one, just speak to a hospitality minister.

If you are new to Saint Mark's and would like to learn more, please consider completing a newcomer form at saintmarks.org/newcomers or simply contact one of the clergy. Grace and peace to you!

A brief organ voluntary offered a few minutes before the hour invites all into quiet prayer and preparation.

PRELUDE *Alleluias sereins d'une ame qui desire le ciel, from L'Ascension*
(Serene Alleluias of a soul longing for heaven)

Olivier Messiaen (1908-1992)

Grant, we pray, Almighty God, that as we believe your only-begotten Son our Lord Jesus Christ to have ascended into heaven, so we may also in heart and mind there ascend, and with him continually dwell; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.
- Collect for Ascension Day

WELCOME, LAND ACKNOWLEDGMENT, & BRIEF ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE ENTRANCE RITE

All stand, as able.

OPENING HYMN *All praise to thee, for thou, O King divine* ♦ sung by all

TUNE: Engelberg



1 All praise to thee, for thou, O King di - vine,
2 Thou cam'st to us in low - li - ness of thought;
3 Let this mind be in us which was in thee,
4 Where - fore, by God's e - ter - nal pur - pose, thou
5 Let ev - ery tongue con - fess with one ac - cord



1 didst yield the glo - ry that of right was thine,
2 by thee the out - cast and the poor were sought;
3 who wast a ser - vant that we might be free,
4 art high ex - alt - ed o'er all crea - tures now,
5 in heaven and earth that Je - sus Christ is Lord;



1 that in our dark - ened hearts thy grace might shine.
2 and by thy death was God's sal - va - tion wrought.
3 hum - bling thy - self to death on Cal - va - ry.
4 and given the Name to which all knees shall bow.
5 and God the Fa - ther be by all a - dored.



Al - le - lu - ia! A - men.

OPENING ACCLAMATION

The Book of Common Prayer, p. 355

Presider Alleluia. Christ is risen.
Assembly **The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia.**

COLLECT FOR PURITY

Presider 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.
All Amen.

GLORIA IN EXCELSIS ♦ *sung by all*

William Mathias (1934-1992)

Organ: *Everyone:*

Glo-ry to God in the highest, and peace to God's peo-ple on earth.

Lord God, heav'nly King, al-might-y God and Fa-ther, we wor-ship you, we give you thanks, we

praise you for your glo - ry. Lord Je - sus Christ, on - ly Son of the Fa-ther,

Lord God, Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world: have mer - cy on us;

you are seat - ed at the right hand of the Fa - ther: re - ceive our prayer.

For you a-lone are the Ho - ly One, you a-lone are the Lord,

you a-lone are the Most High, Je-sus Christ, with the Ho - ly Spi - rit,

in the glo - ry of God the Fa - ther. A - - men.

Presider The Lord be with you.

Assembly **And also with you.**

Presider Let us pray.

O GOD, the King of glory, you have exalted your only Son Jesus Christ with great triumph to your kingdom in heaven: Do not leave us comfortless, but send us your Holy Spirit to strengthen us, and exalt us to that place where our Savior Christ has gone before; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, in glory everlasting.

All **Amen.**

Please be seated for the readings.



THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

READING *Acts 1:15-17, 21-26*

IN THOSE days Peter stood up among the believers (together the crowd numbered about one hundred twenty persons) and said, “Friends, the scripture had to be fulfilled, which the Holy Spirit through David foretold concerning Judas, who became a guide for those who arrested Jesus—for he was numbered among us and was allotted his share in this ministry. So one of the men who have accompanied us during all the time that the Lord Jesus went in and out among us, beginning from the baptism of John until the day when he was taken up from us—one of these must become a witness with us to his resurrection.” So they proposed two, Joseph called Barsabbas, who was also known as Justus, and Matthias. Then they prayed and said, “Lord, you know everyone’s heart. Show us which one of these two you have chosen to take the place in this ministry and apostleship from which Judas turned aside to go to his own place.” And they cast lots for them, and the lot fell on Matthias; and he was added to the eleven apostles.

Reader Hear what the Spirit is saying to God’s people.

Assembly **Thanks be to God.**

A cantor will introduce the Antiphon; all repeat. The choir will chant the verses; all repeat the Antiphon as indicated.



Happy are they—whose de - light is in the law of the LORD.

Beatus vir qui non abiit

Happy are they who have not walked in the counsel of the wicked, *
nor lingered in the way of sinners,
nor sat in the seats of the scornful!

- 2 Their delight is in the law of the LORD, *
and they meditate on his law day and night. **ANTIPHON**
- 3 They are like trees planted by streams of water,
bearing fruit in due season, with leaves that do not wither; *
everything they do shall prosper.
- 4 It is not so with the wicked; *
they are like chaff which the wind blows away. **ANTIPHON**
- 5 Therefore the wicked shall not stand upright when judgment comes, *
nor the sinner in the council of the righteous.
- 6 For the LORD knows the way of the righteous, *
but the way of the wicked is doomed. **ANTIPHON**

READING

1 John 5:9-13

IF WE receive human testimony, the testimony of God is greater; for this is the testimony of God that he has testified to his Son. Those who believe in the Son of God have the testimony in their hearts. Those who do not believe in God have made him a liar by not believing in the testimony that God has given concerning his Son. And this is the testimony: God gave us eternal life, and this life is in his Son. Whoever has the Son has life; whoever does not have the Son of God does not have life.

I write these things to you who believe in the name of the Son of God, so that you may know that you have eternal life.

Reader Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people.

Assembly **Thanks be to God.**

After a brief silence the Presider stands; all rise, as able, for the proclamation of the Gospel.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Melchior Vulpius (1570–1615), arr. John L. Hooker

A Cantor introduces the alleluias, all repeat them. The Cantor chants the verse below, then all repeat the alleluias.



Verse: The Lord said, I will not leave you desolate;
I will come back to you and your hearts will rejoice.

THE HOLY GOSPEL *John 17:6-19*

Deacon The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.

Assembly **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

JESUS prayed for his disciples, “I have made your name known to those whom you gave me from the world. They were yours, and you gave them to me, and they have kept your word. Now they know that everything you have given me is from you; for the words that you gave to me I have given to them, and they have received them and know in truth that I came from you; and they have believed that you sent me. I am asking on their behalf; I am not asking on behalf of the world, but on behalf of those whom you gave me, because they are yours. All mine are yours, and yours are mine; and I have been glorified in them. And now I am no longer in the world, but they are in the world, and I am coming to you. Holy Father, protect them in your name that you have given me, so that they may be one, as we are one. While I was with them, I protected them in your name that you have given me. I guarded them, and not one of them was lost except the one destined to be lost, so that the scripture might be fulfilled. But now I am coming to you, and I speak these things in the world so that they may have my joy made complete in themselves. I have given them your word, and the world has hated them because they do not belong to the world, just as I do not belong to the world. I am not asking you to take them out of the world, but I ask you to protect them from the evil one. They do not belong to the world, just as I do not belong to the world. Sanctify them in the truth; your word is truth. As you have sent me into the world, so I have sent them into the world. And for their sakes I sanctify myself, so that they also may be sanctified in truth.”

Deacon The Gospel of the Lord.

Assembly **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

HOMILY

The Reverend Mark Miller

THE NICENE CREED

Presider We believe in one God,

All 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

After each petition:

Intercessor Risen Lord,

Assembly Hear our prayer.

The Presider concludes the prayers with a collect. All respond: Amen.

THE PEACE

Presider The peace of the Lord be always with you.

Assembly And also with you.

Those in the nave exchange a sign of peace while remaining safely distanced from one another. Those participating from home are invited to take a moment at this point in the service to text or email someone with whom you would like to share the peace of Christ.

THE HOLY EUCHARIST

OFFERTORY

An offering of money is received. Everyone participating in Saint Mark's Cathedral's worship at this time in any way is invited to make an offering as an expression of gratitude for God's generosity. Together, our gifts make possible this community of welcome, reconciliation and service. Due to COVID precautions, the offertory plates will not be passed at this time. All worshipping in person are invited to place their offering in baskets at the head of the aisles when you come to Communion.

*Links to donate to Saint Mark's online are located on the livestream page. Visit saintmarks.org/give, or use the Venmo mobile app (@SaintMarksCathedralSeattle, or scan the code at right), or visit this link on your mobile device: <https://venmo.com/saintmarkscathedralseattle>. If Venmo asks you for a four-digit code, enter **2076**.*



You may also mail your gift to the cathedral: 1245 10th Ave. E, Seattle, WA 98102.

All stand, as able, to sing the hymn.

OFFERTORY HYMN Alleluia! sing to Jesus ♦ sung by all

TUNE: Hyfrydol

1. Al - le - lu - ia! sing to Je - sus! his the scep - ter, his the throne;
2. Al - le - lu - ia! not as or - phans are we left in sor - row now;
4. Al - le - lu - ia! King e - ter - nal, thee the Lord of lords we own:

Al - le - lu - ia! his the tri - umph, his the vic - to - ry a - lone;
Al - le - lu - ia! he is near us, faith be - lieves, nor ques - tions how:
Al - le - lu - ia! born of Ma - ry, earth thy foot - stool, heav'n thy throne:

Hark! the songs of peace - ful Zi - on thun - der like a might - y flood;
though the cloud from sight re - ceived him, when the for - ty days were o'er,
thou with - in the veil hast en - tered, robed in flesh, our great High Priest:

Je - sus out of ev - ery na - tion hath re - deemed us by his blood.
shall our hearts for - get his prom - ise, "I am with you ev - er more"?
thou on earth both Priest and Vic - tim in the eu - cha - ris - tic feast.

The Hymnal 1982 #460 (stanzas 1, 2, & 4), WORDS: William Chatterton Dix (1837-1898), public domain;
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Father, you loved the world so much that in the fullness of time you sent your only Son to be our Savior. Incarnate by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, he lived as one of us, yet without sin. To the poor he proclaimed the good news of salvation; to prisoners, freedom; to the sorrowful, joy. To fulfill your purpose he gave himself up to death; and, rising from the grave, destroyed death, and made the whole creation new.

And, that we might live no longer for ourselves, but for him who died and rose for us, he sent the Holy Spirit, his own first gift for those who believe, to complete his work in the world, and to bring to fulfillment the sanctification of all.

When the hour had come for him to be glorified by you, his heavenly Father, having loved his own who were in the world, he loved them to the end; at supper with them he 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."

Father, we now celebrate this memorial of our redemption. Recalling Christ's death and his descent among the dead, proclaiming his resurrection and ascension to your right hand, awaiting his coming in glory; and offering to you, from the gifts you have given us, this bread and this cup, we praise you and we bless you.

**All We praise you,
we bless you,
we give thanks to you,
and we pray to you, Lord our God.**

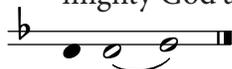
Presider Lord, we pray that in your goodness and mercy your Holy Spirit may descend upon us, and upon these gifts, sanctifying them and showing them to be holy gifts for your holy people, the bread of life and the cup of salvation, the Body and Blood of your Son Jesus Christ.

Grant that all who share this bread and cup may become one body and one spirit, a living sacrifice in Christ, to the praise of your Name.

Remember, Lord, your one holy catholic and apostolic Church, redeemed by the blood of your Christ. Reveal its unity, guard its faith, and preserve it in peace.

And grant that we may find our inheritance with the Blessed Virgin Mary, with patriarchs, prophets, apostles, and martyrs, with Mark and all the saints who have found favor with you in ages past. We praise you in union with them and give you glory through your Son Jesus Christ our Lord.

Through Christ, and with Christ, and in Christ, all honor and glory are yours, Almighty God and Father, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, for ever and ever.



All A - MEN.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

All Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your Name,
your kingdom come,
your will be done,
on earth as in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread.
Forgive us our sins
as we forgive those
who sin against 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.

In silence, the Presider breaks the consecrated bread.

THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD

A period of silence is kept. Then may be said:

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

INVITATION TO COMMUNION

Presider The Gifts of God for the People of God.

All seeking God are welcome at Christ's Table.

For those worshipping in person, please follow the directions of the Liturgical Ministers. Wafers are distributed by priests at standing stations at the head of the two aisles. Before receiving a wafer, please sanitize your hands. The priest will place the wafer into your outstretched palm taking care not to touch your hand. After being given a wafer, take it back to your seat while remaining masked. Once you have returned to your seat, you are invited to remove your mask, receive Communion, and replace your mask.

- ◆ *If you prefer a gluten-free wafer, simply ask the priest for one at the time of Communion.*
- ◆ *Communion is currently being offered in one kind. The full grace of the sacrament is received with only the bread.*

All may be seated for the time of communion.

Those worshiping at home are invited to pray:

PRAYER AT THE TIME OF COMMUNION

from *Saint Augustine's Prayer Book* (Forward Movement, 2014)

O Christ,
I believe that you are truly present in the Holy Sacrament,
and, since I cannot at this time receive communion,
I pray you to come into my heart.
I unite myself with you and embrace you
with all my heart, my soul, and my mind.
Let nothing separate me from you;
let me serve you in this life
until, by your grace, I come to your glorious kingdom
and unending peace. Amen.

ANTHEM *The Lord ascendeth up on high*

WORDS: Arthur T. Russell (1806-1874),
MUSIC: Michael Praetorius (1571-1621)

The Lord ascendeth up on high,
the Lord hath triumphed gloriously,
in power and might excelling;
the grave and hell are captive led.
Lo! he returns, our glorious Head,
to his eternal dwelling.

The heavens with joy receive their Lord,
by saints, by angel hosts adored;
O day of exultation!
O earth, adore thy glorious King!
His rising, his ascension sing
with grateful adoration!

Our great High Priest hath gone before,
upon his Church his grace to pour;
and still his love he giveth.
O may our hearts to him ascend;
may all within us upward tend
to him who ever liveth!

All stand, as able.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Presider Eternal God,

All 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.**

Immediately following the service, join us for Virtual Coffee Hour!
All are welcome. To access the Zoom link, visit www.saintmarks.org/coffeehour.

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Morning Prayer via Zoom

THURSDAY, 7 A.M.

Morning Prayer via Zoom

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