



SAINT MARK'S  
EPISCOPAL CATHEDRAL  
SEATTLE, WASHINGTON

# THE HOLY EUCHARIST

## THE SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER

April 24, 2022 ♦ 9:00 AM

*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. Wherever you are on your spiritual journey, you are welcome here!*

*Signs in the nave indicate the distanced and undistanced sections. To protect our young children and others with health concerns, masks are required for everyone in the distanced sections. While*

*seated in the undistanced sections, masking is optional.*

*Ushers are available during the liturgy should you have any questions or concerns, or if you need a hearing assist device.*

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

*The Assembly speaks aloud the **text in boldface**.*

*A brief organ voluntary offered a few minutes before the hour bids all to keep silence for prayer and preparation.*

**PRELUDE** Choral, from *Symphonie Romane* Charles-Marie Widor (1844-1937)  
(Based on the Gregorian Chant for Easter Day, *Haec dies*:  
"This is the day which the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad in it.")

### LAND ACKNOWLEDGMENT

## THE ENTRANCE RITE

*All stand, as able.*

**HYMN 193** *That Easter day with joy was bright* (stanzas 1-3) ♦ *The Hymnal 1982* TUNE: *Puer nobis*

**OPENING ACCLAMATION** *Enriching Our Worship 1*, p. 50

Alleluia. Christ is risen. **Christ is risen indeed. Alleluia.**

**COLLECT FOR PURITY** *The Book of Common Prayer*, p. 355

**A**LMIGHTY 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.**

SONG OF PRAISE *Gloria in excelsis*

William Mathias (1934-1992)

Glo-ry to God in the highest, and peace to God's peo-ple on earth. Lord God, heav'n-ly 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 alone are the Ho - ly One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Je - sus Christ, with the  
Ho - ly Spi - rit, in the glo - ry of God the Fa - ther. A - - men.

*The Hymnal 1982 #8-278, by permission of Oxford University Press*

COLLECT OF THE DAY *Second Sunday of Easter C*

*Prayers for an Inclusive Church, adapt.*

God be with you. **And also with you.** Let us pray.

**A**LPHA AND OMEGA,  
our beginning and our end,  
you break through the barriers of closed communities and hardened hearts:  
accept our doubts, remove our desire for certainty  
and, by your Spirit's gentle touch, make us a people forgiven and forgiving;  
through Jesus Christ, the Giver of Peace. **Amen.**

*Please be seated for the readings.*



# THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

## READING *Acts 5:27-32*

WHEN the temple police had brought the apostles, they had them stand before the council. The high priest questioned them, saying, "We gave you strict orders not to teach in this name, yet here you have filled Jerusalem with your teaching and you are determined to bring this man's blood on us." But Peter and the apostles answered, "We must obey God rather than any human authority. The God of our ancestors raised up Jesus, whom you

had killed by hanging him on a tree. God exalted him at his right hand as Leader and Savior that he might give repentance to Israel and forgiveness of sins. And we are witnesses to these things, and so is the Holy Spirit whom God has given to those who obey him."

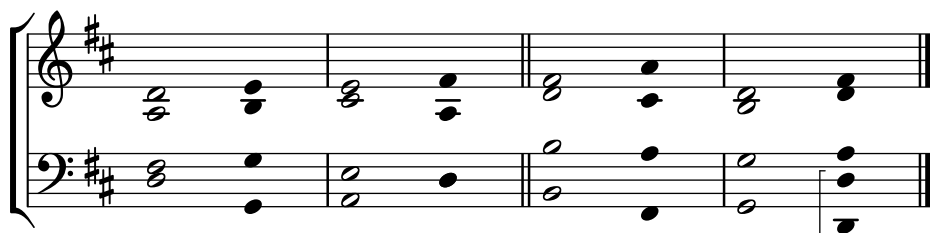
Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people.

**Thanks be to God.**

## PSALM *Psalm 150 ♦ Laudate Dominum*

Simplified Anglican Chant, Jerome Meachen (b. 1930)

*The organ will play through the chant once, then all chant the Psalm together.*



**H**ALLELUJAH! Praise God in his holy / temple; \*  
praise him in the firmament of his / power.

Praise him for his mighty / acts; \*

praise him for his excellent / greatness.

Praise him with the blast of the / ram's-horn; \*

praise him with lyre and / harp.

Praise him with timbrel and / dance; \*

praise him with strings and / pipe.

Praise him with resounding / cymbals; \*

praise him with loud-clanging / cymbals.

Let everything that has / breath \*

praise the LORD. Halle - / lujah!

*The Hymnal 1982 #8-415; © 1956, Jerome Webster Meachen.*

## READING *Revelation 1:4-8*

**J**OHN to the seven churches that are in Asia: Grace to you and peace from him who is and who was and who is to come, and from the seven spirits who are before his throne, and from Jesus Christ, the faithful witness, the firstborn of the dead, and the ruler of the kings of the earth.

To him who loves us and freed us from our sins by his blood, and made us to be a kingdom, priests serving his God and Father, to him be glory and dominion forever and ever. Amen.

Look! He is coming with the clouds; every eye will see him, even those who pierced him; and on his account all the tribes of the earth will wail. So it is to be. Amen. "I am the Alpha and the Omega," says the Lord God, who is and who was and who is to come, the Almighty.

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

**Thanks be to God.**

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

## GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

music by Melchoir Vulpius (1560?-1616)

The cantor introduces the refrain, all repeat it. The cantor chants the verse and all respond with the refrain.



Verse: You believe in me, Thomas, because you have seen me; Blessed are those who have not seen and yet believe.

Wonder, Love, & Praise #848; refrain after *Gelobt sei Gott*, © 1996 John L. Hooker.

## THE HOLY GOSPEL *John 20:19-31*

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John. **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

**W**HEN it was evening on that day, the first day of the week, and the doors of the house where the disciples had met were locked for fear of the Jews, Jesus came and stood among them and said, "Peace be with you." After he said this, he showed them his hands and his side. Then the disciples rejoiced when they saw the Lord. Jesus said to them again, "Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you." When he had said this, he breathed on them and said to them, "Receive the Holy Spirit. If you forgive the sins of any, they are forgiven them; if you retain the sins of any, they are retained."

But Thomas (who was called the Twin), one of the twelve, was not with them when Jesus came. So the other disciples told him, "We have seen the Lord." But he said to them, "Unless I see the mark of the nails in his hands, and put my finger in the mark of the nails and my hand in his side, I will not believe."

A week later his disciples were again in the house, and Thomas was with them. Although the doors were shut, Jesus came and stood among them and said, "Peace be with you." Then he said to Thomas, "Put your finger here and see my hands. Reach out your hand and put it in my side. Do not doubt but believe." Thomas answered him, "My Lord and my God!" Jesus said to him, "Have you believed because you have seen me? Blessed are those who have not seen and yet have come to believe."

Now Jesus did many other signs in the presence of his disciples, which are not written in this book. But these are written so that you may come to believe that Jesus is the Messiah, the Son of God, and that through believing you may have life in his name.

The Gospel of the Lord. **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

## HOMILY

The Reverend Linzi Stahlecker

Following the homily, the assembly is invited into a period of silence, reflecting on the scriptures and sermon.

Please stand, as able, when the Presider stands to introduce the Creed.

## THE NICENE CREED

Authorized for use by the 1997 General Convention

**We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.**

**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 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, was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary and became truly human. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in**

**We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father, who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified, who 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:*

Risen Lord, **hear our prayer.**

*The Presider concludes the prayers with a collect; all respond: Amen.*

## THE PEACE

The peace of Christ be always with you. **And also with you.**

*All exchange a sign of peace, respecting others' desires for distance to be maintained.*



# THE LITURGY OF THE TABLE

## 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. All worshipping in person are invited to place their offering in baskets as they are passed through through the rows.*

*Links to donate to Saint Mark's online are located on the livestream page. Visit [saintmarks.org/give](https://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.*

**ANTHEM** *The whole bright world rejoices now!* WORDS: Friedrich von Spee (1591-1635), tr. Percy Dearmer (1867-1936);  
MUSIC: *Hilariter*, Richard Wayne Dirksen (1921-2003)

The whole bright world rejoices now,  
*hilariter, hilariter!* \*  
The birds do sing on every bough,  
alleluia, alleluia!

Then shout beneath the racing skies,  
*hilariter, hilariter!*  
to him who rose that we might rise,  
alleluia, alleluia!

And all you living things make praise,  
*hilariter, hilariter!*  
He guideth you on all your ways,  
alleluia, alleluia!

To Father, Son, and Holy Ghost,  
*hilariter, hilariter!*  
our God most high, our joy and boast,  
Alleluia, alleluia!

\* "Hilariter" is Latin for "joyfully."

All stand, as able.

**THE GREAT THANKSGIVING**

*Prayers for an Inclusive Church, adapt.*

God be with you. **And also with you.**

Lift up your hearts. **We lift them to God.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. **It is right to give God thanks and praise.**

Eternal God, in the abundance of your love you have caused all things to be; from dust and spirit you have woven our humanity; in all our wanderings you never cease to call us to fullness of life.

You gave us Jesus, son of Mary, the bread of life broken for the world; he fed us and feasted with us, he healed us and suffered for

us; his dying and rising have set us free from the poverty of sin and the famine of death.

Therefore, with all whom you have made, with all who hunger for your kingdom, with the saints and all the choirs of angels, we take up the song of your praise.

**SANCTUS & BENEDICTUS** *A Community Mass*

Richard Proulx (b. 1937)

Ho-ly, ho-ly, ho - ly Lord, God of po-wer and might, heav'n\_ and earth\_ are full\_ of your  
 glo-ry. Ho - san - na in the high-est. Ho - san-na in the high-est. Blessed is the one who comes in the  
 name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high-est. Ho - san-na in the high-est.

*The Hymnal 1982 #s-125, © 1977 G.I.A. Publications, Inc.*

We ask that your Holy Spirit fall upon us and upon these gifts, that these fragile, earthly things may be to us the body and blood of our Lord and brother, Jesus Christ.

On the night he was betrayed, Jesus gathered with his faltering friends. He took bread, gave thanks, broke it and said: "This is my body, which is given for you. Do this in remembrance of me."

In the same way after supper, he took the cup of wine, saying, "This cup is the new covenant in my blood. Do this, whenever you drink it, in remembrance of me."

As on that night, so here and now he offers himself in touch and taste beyond all that words can hold. And so we proclaim the great mystery of faith, saying:

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

Therefore, we come in memory and hope, responding to your call and the promise that echoes from the dawn of time.

May mind and heart be held by your self-giving love as we stand before the cross, approach the empty tomb, and praise the one whose name is lifted high above all earthly power.

Receive our broken offering through Christ's grace and bind us in communion with all who share your gifts; through Jesus Christ, in whom all ages and all worlds are drawn into the undying love of God, our Mother, Lover, and Friend, now and forever. **AMEN.**

**THE LORD'S PRAYER**

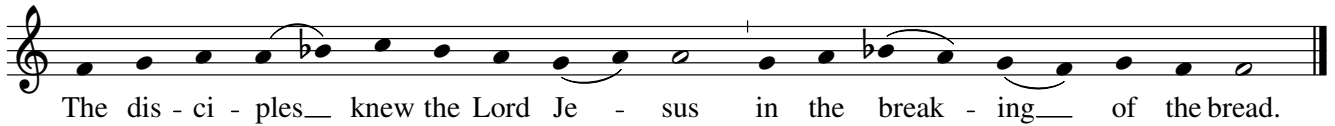
*Ambrosian chant*

Our Fa-ther in hea-ven, ha-llo-wed be your Name, your king-dom come, your will be done, on earth as in hea-ven.  
 Give us to-day our dai-ly bread. For-give us our sins as we for-give those who sin a-gainst us. Save us from the time of trial,  
 and de-li-ver us from e - vil. For the king-dom, the po-wer, and the glo-ry are yours, now and for ev - er. A - men.

*The Hymnal 1982 #s-148, adapt. Mason Martens (b. 1933) © 1971 by Mason Martens.*

*In silence, the Presider breaks the consecrated bread.*

**THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD** *The disciples knew the Lord Jesus* Mode 6 melody; adapt. Mason Martens (b. 1933)  
*All sing the antiphon. The choir sings the verses, all repeating the antiphon as indicated.*



*The Hymnal 1982 #S-167, ©1971 by Mason Martens.*

*Verse:* The bread which we break, alleluia, is the communion of the body of Christ. **ANTIPHON**

### **INVITATION TO COMMUNION**

The Gifts of God for the People of God.

*All may be seated for the time of Communion. All seeking God are welcome at Christ's Table.*

*Please follow the directions of the Liturgical Ministers. Bread and wine are distributed at standing stations at the head of three aisles. The bread will be placed into your outstretched palm taking care not to touch your hand. If you prefer a gluten-free wafer, simply ask for one at the time of Communion. If you wish to receive a blessing instead, please cross your arms in front of your chest.*

*Intinction (dipping the bread in the wine) is not available at this time. If you do not wish to drink from the common cup, please cross your arms in front of your chest as you pass by the chalice. The full grace of the sacrament is received with only the bread.*

**VOLUNTARY** *Organ improvisation*

**HYMN 209** *We walk by faith* ♦ *The Hymnal 1982*

TUNE: *St. Botolph*

*The assembly is invited to remain seated for a period of silence, contemplating the gifts of God given and received.  
Please stand, as able, when the Presider stands and returns to the Altar.*

## SENDING OF EUCHARISTIC VISITORS

*On some Sundays, ministers take Holy Communion to sick or housebound members of the community.*

One body are we. **For though many, we share one bread and one cup.**

Go in peace, bearing holy gifts for holy people.

## POSTCOMMUNION PRAYER

*Prayers for an Inclusive Church, adapt.*

Gracious God, we have broken the bread which is Christ's body; we have tasted the wine of his new life. We thank you for these gifts by which we are made one in him and drawn into that new creation which is your will for all humanity; through Christ our Savior. Amen.

**BLESSING** *The Presider asks God's blessing on the Assembly. All respond: Amen.*

**HYMN 206** *O sons and daughters (stanzas 1, 2, & 6) ♦ The Hymnal 1982*

TUNE: *O filii et filiae*

**DISMISSAL** *The Deacon dismisses the Assembly. The Assembly responds: Thanks be to God.*

**VOLUNTARY** *Christ lag in Todesbanden, BWV 625  
(Tune of Hymn 185, "Christ Jesus lay in death's strong bands")*

J. S. Bach (1685-1750)



## MINISTERS OF THE LITURGY

**PRESIDER** The Reverend Canon Eliacín Rosario-Cruz; **PREACHER** The Reverend Linzi Stahlecker; **DEACON** The Reverend Linzi Stahlecker; **EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS** Nan Sullins, Re Knack; **ASSISTING LAY MINISTER** Judy Andrews; **ALTAR GUILD** Sue Tait; **CRUCIFER** TBD; **LECTORS** Karrie Sutkus, Pamela Bradburn; **INTERCESSOR** Maris Olsen; **GREETER** Julia Reid; **USHERS** Loy Dahl, Michael Dahl; **OBLATION BEARERS** TBD; **LAND ACKNOWLEDGMENT** Kristen Kelly; **MUSICIANS** Anneka Herring, *cantor*; Saint Mark's Singers; **SOUND BOARD** Michael Perera

*Music and texts under copyright are reprinted by permission under OneLicense.net #A-706820*

*Portions of this liturgy were adapted from Prayers for an Inclusive Church by Steven Shakespeare, © 2008, Church Publishing, Inc.*