

EASTER DAY  
SUNRISE SERVICE  
THE HOLY EUCHARIST



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SAINT MARK'S  
EPISCOPAL CATHEDRAL  
SEATTLE, WASHINGTON

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6:30 AM

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## THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

### READING

*Matthew 28:1-10*

**A**FTER THE SABBATH, as the first day of the week was dawning, Mary Magdalene and the other Mary went to see the tomb. And suddenly there was a great earthquake; for an angel of the Lord, descending from heaven, came and rolled back the stone and sat on it. His appearance was like lightning, and his clothing white as snow. For fear of him the guards shook and became like dead men. But the angel said to the women, "Do not be afraid; I know that you are looking for Jesus who was crucified. He is not here; for he has been raised, as he said. Come, see the place where he lay. Then go quickly and tell his disciples, 'He has been raised from the dead, and indeed he is going ahead of you to Galilee; there you will see him.' This is my message for you." So they left the tomb quickly with fear and great joy, and ran to tell his disciples. Suddenly Jesus met them and said, "Greetings!" And they came to him, took hold of his feet, and worshiped him. Then Jesus said to them, "Do not be afraid; go and tell my brothers to go to Galilee; there they will see me."

*Reader* Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people.  
**Assembly** Thanks be to God.

## GREETING

The Reverend Linzi Stahlecker

*All stand, as able.*

## OPENING ACCLAMATION

*Presider* Alleluia. Christ is risen.

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

## HYMN OF PRAISE *Welcome, happy morning*

TUNE: *Fortunatus*



1. "Wel - come, hap - py morn - ing!" age to age shall say: hell to - day is  
3. Months in due suc - ces - sion, days of length - 'ning light, hours and pass - ing



van - quished, heav'n is won to - day! Lo! the dead is liv - ing,  
mo - ments praise thee in their flight. Bright - ness of the morn - ing,



God for ev - er - more! Him their true Cre - a - tor, all his works a - dore!  
sky and fields and sea, Van - quish - er of dark - ness, bring their praise to thee.

### *Refrain*



"Wel - come, hap - py morn - ing!" age to age shall say.

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**COLLECT OF THE DAY** *Easter Day*

*The Book of Common Prayer, p. 222*

*Presider* The Lord be with you.

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

*Presider* Let us pray.

**A**Lmighty God, who through your only-begotten Son Jesus Christ overcame death and opened to us the gate of everlasting life: Grant that we, who celebrate with joy the day of the Lord's resurrection, may be raised from the death of sin by your life-giving Spirit; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

*All* **Amen.**

*Please be seated for the Poem and Reflection.*

**POEM**

*Seen: A Blessing for Easter Day*

*by: Jan Richardson*

**Y**OU had not imagined  
that something so empty  
could fill you  
to overflowing,  
and now you carry  
the knowledge  
like an awful treasure  
or like a child  
that roots itself  
beneath your heart:  
how the emptiness  
will bear forth  
a new world  
that you cannot fathom  
but on whose edge  
you stand.

So why do you linger?  
You have seen,  
and so you are  
already blessed.  
You have been seen,  
and so you are  
the blessing.  
There is no other word  
you need.  
There is simply  
to go  
and tell.  
There is simply  
to begin.

**REFLECTION**

Canon Daugherty

# THE RENEWAL OF BAPTISMAL VOWS

*All stand, as able.*

*Presider* Through the Paschal mystery, dear friends, we are buried with Christ by Baptism into his death, and raised with him to newness of life. I call upon you, therefore, now that our Lenten observance is ended, to renew the solemn promises and vows of Holy Baptism, by which we once renounced Satan and all his works, and promised to serve God faithfully in God's holy catholic Church.

## THE BAPTISMAL COVENANT

*The Book of Common Prayer, p. 292*

*Presider* Do you reaffirm your renunciation of evil and renew your commitment to Jesus Christ?

*Assembly* **I do.**

*Presider* Do you believe in God the Father?

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

*Presider* Do you believe in Jesus Christ, the Son of God?

*Assembly* **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.**

*Presider* Do you believe in God the Holy Spirit?

*Assembly* **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.**

*Presider* Will you continue in the apostles' teaching and fellowship, in the breaking of bread, and in the prayers?

*Assembly* **I will, with God's help.**

*Presider* Will you persevere in resisting evil, and, whenever you fall into sin, repent and return to the Lord?

*Assembly* **I will, with God's help.**

*Presider* Will you proclaim by word and example the Good News of God in Christ?

*Assembly* **I will, with God's help.**

*Presider* Will you seek and serve Christ in all persons, loving your neighbor as yourself?

*Assembly* **I will, with God's help.**

*Presider* Will you strive for justice and peace among all people, and respect the dignity of every human being?

*Assembly* **I will, with God's help.**

*Presider* Will you cherish the wondrous works of God, and protect the beauty and integrity of all creation?

*Assembly* **I will, with God's help.**

*Presider* May Almighty God, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has given us a new birth by water and the Holy Spirit, and bestowed upon us the forgiveness of sins, keep us in eternal life by his grace, in Christ Jesus our Lord.

*All* **Amen.**

## **BLESSING OF THE WATER**

*Presider* Almighty God, who through the water of Baptism has raised us from sin into new life, and by the power of your life-giving Spirit ever cleanses and sanctifies your people: Bless, we pray you, this water for the service of your holy Church; and grant that it may be a sign of the cleansing and refreshment of your grace; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

*All* **Amen.**

## **BAPTISMAL SPRINKLING**

*The Assembly is sprinkled with baptismal water as a sign and reminder of our Baptism.*

## **PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE**

*After each petition:*

*Intercessor* On this day God has acted;

***Assembly* we will rejoice and be glad in it.**

*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.**

*All greet one another in the name of the Lord.*



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*All stand, as able.*

## THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

*adapted from the Scottish Episcopal Church*

*Presider* The Lord be with you.

***Assembly* And also with you.**

*Presider* Lift up your hearts.

***Assembly* We lift them to God.**

*Presider* Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

***Assembly* It is right to give God thanks and praise.**

*Presider* Worship and praise belong to you, Author of all being. Your power sustains, your love restores our broken world. Christ, raised from the dead, proclaims the dawn of hope. He lives in us that we may walk in light. Your Spirit is fire in us, your breath is power to purge our sin and warm our hearts to love.

As children of your redeeming purpose, freed by him who burst from the tomb and opened the gate of life, we offer you our praise, with angels and archangels and the whole company of heaven, singing the hymn of your unending glory

***All* Holy, Holy, Holy Lord, God of power and might,  
heaven and earth are full of your glory.**

**Hosanna in the highest.**

**Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.**

**Hosanna in the highest.**



*Presider* Praise and thanksgiving be to you, God of all: In the first light of Easter glory broke from the tomb and changed the women's sorrow into joy. From the Garden the mystery dawned that he whom they had loved and lost is with us now in every place for ever.

Making himself known in the breaking of the bread, speaking peace to the fearful disciples, he renewed the promise of his presence and of new birth in the Spirit who sets the seal of freedom on your sons and daughters.

Before he was given up to suffering and death, at supper with his disciples he took bread and offered you thanks. He broke the bread, and gave it to them, saying: "Take, eat. This is my Body: it is broken for you."

After supper, he took the cup, he offered you thanks, and gave it to them saying: "Drink this, all of you. This is my Blood of the new covenant; it is poured out for you, and for all. Do this in remembrance of me."

We now obey your Son's command. We recall his blessed passion and death, his glorious resurrection and ascension; and we look for the coming of his Kingdom. Made one with him, we offer you these gifts and with them ourselves a holy living sacrifice. Hear us, most Holy One, and send your Holy Spirit upon us and upon this bread and this wine, that they may be the Body and Blood of your Son, and we may be kindled with the fire of your love and renewed for the service of your Reign.

Help us, who are gathered into the fellowship of Christ's Body to live and work to your praise and glory; may we grow together in unity and love until at last, in your new creation, we enter into our heritage in the company of Mary, Mark and all the apostles and prophets, and of all our brothers and sisters living and departed.

Through Jesus Christ, with whom, and in whom, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all honor and glory be to you, God of all creation, world without end.

***All* AMEN.**

## THE LORD'S PRAYER

*Presider* Our Father in heaven,  
*All* **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.**

## THE FRACTION

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

*Bread and wine are distributed at standing stations in front of the altar. 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.*

## MUSICAL REFLECTION

*All stand, as able.*

## PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

*Presider* Lord,

***All* we have so much to be thankful for this Easter morning.  
In the chill of the morning air, we feel the warm blessing of your Spirit.  
We are thankful that you come to greet us in a garden  
of hope, trust, and faith.  
We thank you that a dark and empty tomb  
has emerged into a garden of light and living.  
We thank you for feeding us with these holy mysteries,  
nourished for the work we are called to do in Christ's name.  
In all our days, we shall live for Christ,  
the resurrected and risen Savior. Amen.**

## BENEDICTION

*Presider* The tomb is empty, Christ has risen. As you journey in faith, may your life be full, your love be abundant, and your hope be eternal. Live this day and always for Christ Jesus because the Risen Christ lives in you.

***All* Alleluia. Christ is Risen!**

**CLOSING HYMN** *Jesus Christ is risen today*

TUNE: *Easter Hymn*



1. Je - sus Christ is ris'n to - day, Al - - le - lu - ia!  
4. Sing we to our God a - bove, Al - - le - lu - ia!

our tri - um - phant ho - ly day, Al - - le - lu - ia!  
praise e - ter - nal as his love, Al - - le - lu - ia!

who did once up - on the cross, Al - - le - lu - ia!  
praise him, all ye heav'n - ly host, Al - - le - lu - ia!

suf - fer to re - deem our loss. Al - - le - lu - ia!  
Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost. Al - - le - lu - ia!

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The Rev. Linzi Stahlecker

**PREACHER**

The Rev. Canon Jennifer King  
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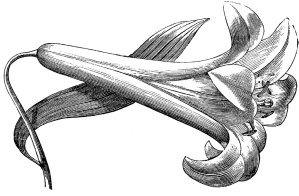
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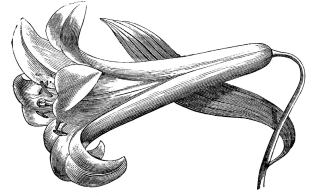
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