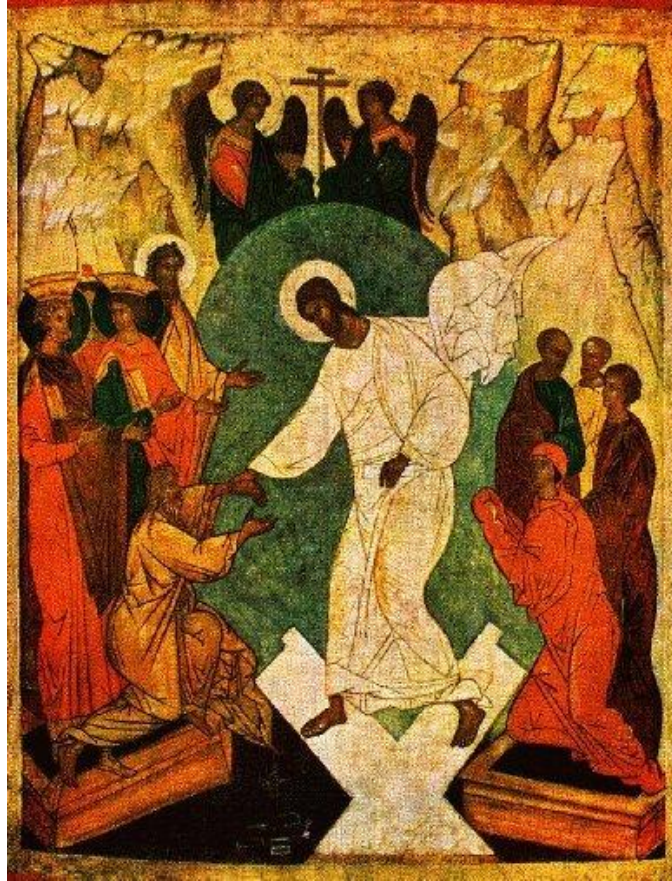


St. Thomas' Parish



March 23, 2008
The Sunday of the Resurrection: Easter Day (Year A)
11:00 a.m.

WHEREVER YOU MAY BE ON YOUR FAITH JOURNEY,
THERE IS ROOM AT GOD'S TABLE FOR YOU.

The Holy Eucharist

*Before we worship we speak to God; after worship we speak with one another.
Please observe prayerful silence before worship.*

Prelude

Praeludium D Dur, BWV 532

Johann Sebastian Bach

✦ A bell rings, all stand. The people standing, the Celebrant says

Alleluia. Christ is risen.

People The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia.

Opening Hymn

Jesus Christ is Risen Today

Hymnal 207

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Celebrant Let us pray.

The Collect of the Day

O God, who made this most holy night to shine with the glory of the Lord's resurrection: Stir up in your Church that Spirit of adoption which is given to us in Baptism, that we, being renewed both in body and mind, may worship you in sincerity and truth; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

✦ The people may be seated.

The Liturgy of the Word

First Lesson

Jeremiah 31:1-6

Psalm 118: 1-2, 14-17

Anglican Chant by Timothy Hagy

✦ *sung by all*



- 1
Give thanks to the LORD, for he is / good; *
his mercy endures for / ever.
- 2
Let Israel now pro-/ claim, *
"His mercy endures for / ever."
- 14
The LORD is my strength and my / song, *
and he has become my sal-/ vation.
- 15
There is a sound of exultation and / victory *
in the tents of the / righteous:
- 16
"The right hand of the LORD has / triumphed! *
the right hand of the LORD is exalted!
the right hand of the LORD has / triumphed!"
- 17
I shall not die, but / live, *
and declare the works of the / LORD.

Second Lesson

Colossians 3:1-4

✦ *All stand.*

Zimbabwe Alleluia

✦ *sing three times*



Al - le - lu - ia, _____ al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, _____ al - le - lu - ia.

✦ *During the singing of the Alleluia, the Celebrant will bring the Gospel book out to read the Gospel. Please turn and face the Celebrant as the Gospel is read.*

The Holy Gospel

John 20:1-18

Sermon

The Reverend Dr. Nancy Lee Jose

The Renewal of Baptismal Vows

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The Peace

The Holy Communion

*St. Thomas' invites all to share in the gifts of bread and wine from God's Holy Table.
If you do not wish to receive the bread and wine but would like a blessing, please come forward
and cross your arms with your hands on your shoulders and a priest will provide a blessing.*

Offertory Motet

Dum Transisset Sabbatum

Thomas Tallis

When the Sabbath was over, Mary Magdalene, Mary the mother of James, and Salome brought spices so that they might go to anoint Jesus' body. And very early in the morning, the first day of the week, they came unto the sepulcher at the rising of the sun. Alleluia.

✠ *All stand.*

Offertory Hymn

He is risen, he is risen!

Hymnal 180

The Great Thanksgiving, Eucharistic Prayer D

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Sanctus and Benedictus

Richard Proulx

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow - er and might,
heaven and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho -
san - na in the high - est. Ho - san - na in the high - est.
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho -
san - na in the high - est. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

The Lord's Prayer

✠ *The Celebrant continues*

As our Savior Christ has taught us, we now pray,

✠ *Celebrant and People*

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.

Fraction Anthem

Alleluia. Christ our Passover

Plainsong, Tone VII

Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia. Christ our Pas - so - ver is sa - cri - ficed for us.
There - fore let us keep the feast. Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia.

✠ *Communion will be directed by the ushers.*

Communion Anthem *Rise Up, My Love, My Fair One* *Healey Willan*

Rise up, my love, my fair one, and come away; for lo, the winter is past, the rain is over and gone; the flowers appear upon the earth; the time of the singing of birds is come; arise, my love, my fair one, and come away.

Communion Hymn *At the Lamb's high feast we sing* Hymnal 174

✘ *All stand.*

Post Communion Prayer BCP, Page 365

Blessing

Closing Hymn *The day of resurrection!* Hymnal 210

Dismissal in Eastertide

The image shows two staves of musical notation in G major (one sharp) and 4/4 time. The top staff is for the Priest and the bottom for the People. Both parts have a melody of eighth notes for the first phrase and quarter notes for the second phrase. The lyrics are: Priest: "Go in peace to love and serve the Lord, al-le-lu - ia, al-le - lu - ia.____"; People: "Thanks be to God, al-le-lu - ia, al-le - lu - ia.____".

Postlude *Prélude en si majeur, Op. 7. No. 1* *Marcel Dupré*



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A place to find and be found by God.

The People of St. Thomas'

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