

Fourth Sunday of Easter - Earth Day

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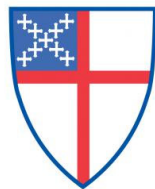


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A Community of Prayer for All People

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Organ Prelude

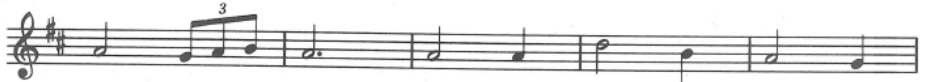
We STAND for the Opening Hymn.

Processional Hymn (vs 1-6)

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1 The King of love my shep-herd is, whose good-ness
2 Where streams of liv-ing wa-ter flow, my ran-somed
*3 Per-verse and fool-ish oft I strayed, but yet in
*4 In death's dark vale I fear no ill with thee, dear
5 Thou spread'st a ta-ble in my sight; thy unc-tion
6 And so through all the length of days thy good-ness



1 fail-eth nev-er; I noth-ing lack if
2 soul he lead-eth, and where the ver-dant
3 love he sought me, and on his shoul-der
4 Lord, be-side me; thy rod and staff my
5 grace be-stow-eth; and oh, what trans-port
6 fail-eth nev-er: Good Shep-herd, may I



1 I am his, and he is mine for ev-er.
2 pas-tures grow, with food ce-less-tial feed-eth.
3 gent-ly laid, and home, re-joic-ing, brought me.
4 com-fort still, thy cross be-fore to guide me.
5 of de-light from thy pure chal-ice flow-eth!
6 sing thy praise with-in thy house for ev-er.

Celebrant Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.
People **And blessed be God's kingdom, now and
for ever. Amen.**

Gloria (vs 3)



- 1 Glo-ry be to God in heav-en; peace, good-will to all the earth.
- 2 Glo-ry be to Christ for - ev - er, Lamb of God and Lord of love.
- 3 Ho - ly One we now ac-claim you; Lord a - lone, to you we call;



Might-y God of all cre - a - tion, Fa - ther of sur - pass - ing worth:
Son of God and gra - cious Sav - ior, you have come from heav'n a - bove;
Ho - ly One in faith we name you, God most high, yet near to all:



we ex - alt you, we a - dore you, we lift high our thanks and praise.
on the cross you died to save us; now you reign at God's right hand.
Je - sus Christ, with God the Spir - it, in the Fa - ther's splen - dor bright.



Saints and an - gels bow be - fore you; here on earth our songs we raise.
Hear our prayer; re - store, for - give us; in your prom - ise firm we stand.
For the peace that we in - her - it, glo - ry be to God on high!

Collect of the Day

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Celebrant Let us pray.

Celebrant O God, whose Son Jesus is the good shepherd of your people: Grant that when we hear his voice we may know him who calls us each by name, and follow where he leads; who, with you and the Holy Spirit, lives and reigns, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

First Lesson

Acts 4:5-12

The rulers, elders, and scribes assembled in Jerusalem, with Annas the high priest, Caiaphas, John, and Alexander, and all who were of the high-priestly family. When they had made the prisoners stand in their midst, they inquired, “By what power or by what name did you do this?” Then Peter, filled with the Holy Spirit, said to them, “Rulers of the people and elders, if we are questioned today because of a good deed done to someone who was sick and are asked how this man has been healed, let it be known to all of you, and to all the people of Israel, that this man is standing before you in good health by the name of Jesus Christ of Nazareth, whom you crucified, whom God raised from the dead. This Jesus is `the stone that was rejected by you, the builders; it has become the cornerstone.’

There is salvation in no one else, for there is no other name under heaven given among mortals by which we must be saved.”

Lector The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

Psalm 23

Dominus regit me

1 The Lord is my shepherd; *

I shall not be in want.

2 He makes me lie down in green pastures *

and leads me beside still waters.

3 He revives my soul *

and guides me along right pathways for his Name’s sake.

4 Though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death,
I shall fear no evil; *

for you are with me; your rod and your staff, they comfort me.

5 You spread a table before me in the presence of those who
trouble me; *

**you have anointed my head with oil, and my cup is
running over.**

6 Surely your goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of
my life, *

and I will dwell in the house of the Lord for ever.

Second Lesson

1 John 3:16-24

We know love by this, that he laid down his life for us-- and we ought to lay down our lives for one another. How does God's love abide in anyone who has the world's goods and sees a brother or sister in need and yet refuses help?

Little children, let us love, not in word or speech, but in truth and action. And by this we will know that we are from the truth and will reassure our hearts before him whenever our hearts condemn us; for God is greater than our hearts, and he knows everything. Beloved, if our hearts do not condemn us, we have boldness before God; and we receive from him whatever we ask, because we obey his commandments and do what pleases him.

And this is his commandment, that we should believe in the name of his Son Jesus Christ and love one another, just as he has commanded us. All who obey his commandments abide in him, and he abides in them. And by this we know that he abides in us, by the Spirit that he has given us.

Lector The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.** 6

*We STAND for the singing of the GOSPEL HYMN
and the proclamation of the GOSPEL.*

Gospel Hymn (vs 1-2)

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1 Shep-herd of souls, re-fresh and bless thy cho-sen
2 We would not live by bread a-lone, but by thy
3 Be known to us in break-ing bread, and do not
4 Lord, sup with us in love di-vine, thy Bo-dy

pil-grim flock with man-na in the
word of grace, in strength of which we
then de-part; Sa-rior, a-bide with
and thy Blood, that liv-ing bread, that

wil-der-ness, with wa-ter from the rock.
trav-el on to our a-bid-ing-place.
us, and spread thy ta-ble in our heart.
heaven-ly wine, be our im-mor-tal food.

The Holy Gospel

John 10:11-18

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

Congregation **Glory to you, Lord Christ!**

Jesus said, “I am the good shepherd. The good shepherd lays down his life for the sheep. The hired hand, who is not the shepherd and does not own the sheep, sees the wolf coming and leaves the sheep and runs away—and the wolf snatches them and scatters them. The hired hand runs away because a hired hand does not care for the sheep. I am the good shepherd. I know my own and my own know me, just as the Father knows me and I know the Father. And I lay down my life for the sheep. I have other sheep that do not belong to this fold. I must bring them also, and they will listen to my voice. So there will be one flock, one shepherd. For this reason the Father loves me, because I lay down my life in order to take it up again. No one takes it from me, but I lay it down of my own accord. I have power to lay it down, and I have power to take it up again. I have received this command from my Father.”

After the Gospel, our Gospeller says The Gospel of the Lord.

Congregation **Praise to you, Lord Christ!**

Gospel Hymn (vs 3-4)

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Homily

Fr. Gregory +

After the message those who are able STAND for the prayers.

The Nicene Creed

Presider Let us reaffirm our faith in the words of the Nicene Creed.

We believe in one God, 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, 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.

The Prayers of the People

Form III

Father, we pray for your holy Catholic Church;

That we all may be one.

Grant that every member of the Church may truly and humbly serve you;

That your Name may be glorified by all people.

We pray for all bishops, priests, and deacons;

That they may be faithful ministers of your Word and Sacraments.

We pray for all who govern and hold authority in the nations of the world;

That there may be justice and peace on the earth.

Give us grace to do your will in all that we undertake;

That our works may find favor in your sight.

Have compassion on those who suffer from any grief or trouble;

That they may be delivered from their distress.

Give to the departed eternal rest.

Let light perpetual shine upon them.

We praise you for your saints who have entered into joy;

May we also come to share in your heavenly kingdom.

Let us pray for our own needs and those of others.

Silence

Confession

The Deacon or Celebrant says

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

Silence may be kept.

Minister and People

Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your Name. Amen.

The Queen's Prayer

Sung by all

1. O kou a - lo - ha no, A -
2. Ko - u no - ho mi - hi 'a - na A
3. Mai na - na 'i - no - 'i - no Na
4. No lai - la e ka ha - ku, Ma

i - a - i ka la - - - ni, A
pa - 'a - ha o - ka 'i - - - a, O
la - wa - o kou 'e - - - he - - - u, A
Ko

'o kou 'oi - a - 'i - 'o, He
ka - e ku - 'u la - - - ma, Kou
ma - e hu - i - ka - - - la, A
kou ma - lu hi - - - a, A

he - mo - le - le ho - 'i.
na - ni ko - 'u ko
ma - e - ma - 'e no.
mau loa a - ku no. A - - - me - ne.

Translation (Hui Hanai)

1. Your love is there in heaven, And your truth is filled with sanctity.
2. As I reflect on wrongs in my imprisonment, You are my light, Your glory my support.
3. Look not negatively upon the sins of men, but forgive, that we shall be pure.
4. O Lord thy loving mercy, is high as the heavens, it tells us of thy truth, and 'tis filled with holiness.

Absolution of Sins

Celebrant Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. **Amen.**

The Peace + *We greet one another as the body of Christ.*

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.
People **And also with you.**

We are SEATED after the Peace for
Celebrations & Announcements

Life Celebrations

Online Giving Option



The Holy Communion

Offertory Sentence

Offertory Music

Ilokano Choir

Doxology

Ho'onani i ka Makua mau
Ke Keiki me ke ka 'Uthane nō
Ke Akua mau, ho'omaika'i pū
Ko kēia ao ko kēlā ao.

Let us give praise to the eternal Father,
To the Son and to the Holy Ghost.
To God everlasting, let there ring praise
Both in this world as well as the kingdom

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Ho'o - na - ni i ka Ma - ku - a mau,

Ke Kei - ki me ka 'U ha - ne nō,

Ke Aku - a mau ho'o - mai - ka'i pū,

Ko kē - ia ao, ko kē - lā ao. 'Ā - mene.

The Great Thanksgiving

Eucharistic Prayer C

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Celebrant Lift up your hearts.

People **We lift them to the Lord.**

Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People **It is right to give him thanks and praise.**

God of all power, Ruler of the Universe, you are worthy of glory and praise.

Glory to you for ever and ever.

At your command all things came to be: the vast expanse of interstellar space, galaxies, suns, the planets in their courses, and this fragile earth, our island home.

By your will they were created and have their being.

From the primal elements you brought forth the human race, and blessed us with memory, reason, and skill. You made us the rulers of creation. But we turned against you, and betrayed your trust; and we turned against one another.

Have mercy, Lord, for we are sinners in your sight.

Again and again, you called us to return. Through prophets and sages you revealed your righteous Law. And in the fullness of time you sent your only Son, born of a woman, to fulfill your Law, to open for us the way of freedom and peace.

By his blood, he reconciled us.

By his wounds, we are healed.

And therefore we praise you, joining with the heavenly chorus, with prophets, apostles, and martyrs, and with all those in every generation who have looked to you in hope, to proclaim with them your glory, in their unending hymn:

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of power and might,_____

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of power and might._____

Hea - ven and earth are full_____ full_____ of your Glo - ry. Ho -

-san - nah in the high - est, Ho - san - nah in the High - est.

Bless - ed is he who comes_____ in the name of the Lord._____ Ho -

-san - nah in the high - est, ho - san - nah in the high - est.

The Celebrant continues

And so, Father, we who have been redeemed by him, and made a new people by water and the Spirit, now bring before you these gifts. Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be the Body and Blood of Jesus Christ our Lord.

On the night he was betrayed he took bread, said the blessing, broke the bread, and gave it to his friends, 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, gave thanks, 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.”

Remembering now his work of redemption, and offering to you this sacrifice of thanksgiving,
**We celebrate his death and resurrection,
as we await the day of his coming.**

Lord God of our Fathers: God of Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob; God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ: Open our eyes to see your hand at work in the world about us. Deliver us from the presumption of coming to this Table for solace only, and not for strength; for pardon only, and not for renewal. Let the grace of this Holy Communion make us one body, one spirit in Christ, that we may worthily serve the world in his name. Risen Lord, be known to us in the breaking of the Bread.

Accept these prayers and praises, Father, through Jesus Christ our great High Priest, to whom, with you and the Holy Spirit, your Church gives honor, glory, and worship, from generation to generation. **AMEN.**

The Lord's Prayer

Celebrant And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say:

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. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.

The Breaking of the Bread

Celebrant Alleluia! Christ lives on in the Word Made Flesh!

Congregation Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia!

Lamb of God

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Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the world; have
mer-cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the
world; have mer - cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a - way the
sin of the world; grant us peace.

Invitation

Celebrant These are the gifts of God for the people of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on him in your heart by faith, with thanksgiving.

All the Baptized, young and old, are invited to come forward for HOLY COMMUNION.

Communion Music


Prayer of Thanksgiving

In Unison

LORD of ALL Creation, you have fed us with spiritual food, and raised us to new life in Christ Jesus. Send us now into the world in peace to love and serve you, with gladness and singleness of heart; for the good of your Church, and the joy of your eternal Kingdom. AMEN!

Blessing +

We STAND for our Closing Hymn



1 Sa - vior, like a shep-herd lead us; much we need thy
2 Ear - ly let us seek thy fa - vor, ear - ly let us



ten - der care; in thy plea - sant pas - tures feed us;
learn thy will; do thou, Lord, our on - ly Sa - vior,



for our use thy folds pre - pare. Bless - ed Je - sus!
with thy love our bos - oms fill. Bless - ed Je - sus!



Bless - ed Je - sus! Thou hast bought us, thine we are.
Bless - ed Je - sus! Thou hast loved us: love us still.

Until We Meet Again

Deacon Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

People Thanks be to God. Alleluia, Alleluia!

Organ Postlude

WORSHIP SERVICES

Sunday Eucharist	Sundays	9:00 AM
Sunday School	Sundays	9:00 AM
Ilokano Eucharist	1st Sunday	11:00 AM
Healing Eucharist	Wednesdays	9:30 AM

Fifth Sunday in Easter April 28 9:00 AM

Compassion Sunday

Vestry Meeting

Sixth Sunday in Easter May 5 9:00 AM

Ascension Sunday

ST. ELIZABETH'S OPPORTUNITIES

Spring Cleaning Let's welcome all new beginnings

Saturday, April 27 9am - Pau

MINISTRY & OUTREACH OPPORTUNITIES

Wallyhouse	Monday, Friday	8:00 am - Noon
	Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday	8:00 am - 10:30 am
	Saturday	9:00 am - Noon

Hot Meals: Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday
11:00 am - Noon

- + Help Making Bags
- + Help Distributing Bags
- + Help Sort FoodBank/Aloha Harvest Delivery

Loaves & Fishes/ Hot Breakfast Saturdays 6:30–9:00 am