

*St James Episcopal Church
Cheboygan, Michigan*



*Third Sunday of Easter
April 14, 2024*

THE STRIFE IS O'ER

VICTORY

Refrain

Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!

Verses

1. The strife is o'er, the bat - tle done; Now is the Vic - tor's
2. On the third morn he rose a - gain, Glo - rious in maj - es -
3. O Ris - en Lord, all praise to thee, Who from our sin has

to Refrain

1. tri - umph won; O let the song of praise be sung: Al - le - lu - ia!
2. ty to reign; O let us swell the joy - ful strain: Al - le - lu - ia!
3. set us free, That we may live e - ter - nal - ly! Al - le - lu - ia!

Text: 888 with alleluias; *Finita iam sunt praelia*; Latin, 12th cent.; tr. by Francis Pott, 1832–1909, alt. Music: Giovanni da Palestrina, 1525–1594; adapt. by Willam H. Monk, 1823–1889.

OPENING ACCLAMATION (BCP p. 355)

Presider: Alleluia, Christ is risen
 People: Christ is risen indeed, Alleluia.

COLLECT FOR PURITY (BCP p. 355)

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.

Amen.

Gloria to God

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1. Glo - ry to God in the high - est, and



peace to his peo - ple on earth. 2. Lord God, heaven - ly



King, al - mighty God and Fa - ther, we wor - ship you, we



give you thanks, we praise you for your glo - ry. 3. Lord Je - sus



Christ, on - ly Son of the Fa - ther, Lord God, Lamb of God, 4. you



take a - way the sin of the world: have mer - cy



on us; 5. you are seat - ed at the right hand of the Fa - ther: re -



ceive our prayer. 6. For you a - lone are the Ho - ly One,

you a - lone are the Lord, 7. 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.

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THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

Presider: God be with you.
 People: And also with you.

O God, whose blessed Son made himself known to his disciples in the breaking of bread: Open the eyes of our faith, that we may behold him in all his redeeming work; who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. *Amen.*

The Lessons

The people are seated. The text of the readings is on the insert.

FIRST READING ACTS 3:12-19

At the end of the reading the Lector says:

Lector: Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people.
 People: **Thanks be to God.**

Psalm Response: Psalm 4

¹Answer me when I call, O God,
defender of my cause; * you set
me free when I am hard-pressed;
have mercy on me and hear my
prayer.

²“You mortals, how long will you
dishonor my glory; * how long
will you worship dumb idols
and run after false gods?”

³Know that the LORD does wonders for
the faithful; * when I call upon the
LORD, he will hear me.

⁴Tremble, then, and do not sin; *
speak to your heart in silence upon
your bed.

⁵Offer the appointed sacrifices, * and
put your trust in the LORD.

⁶Many are saying, “Oh, that we
might see better times!” * Lift
up the light of your countenance
upon us, O LORD.

⁷You have put gladness in my
heart, * more than when grain
and wine and oil increase.

⁸I lie down in peace; at once I fall
asleep; * for only you, LORD,
make me dwell in safety.

SECOND READING 1 John 3:1-7

At the end of the reading the Lector says:

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

People: Thanks be to God.



We Walk by Faith



1., 5. We walk by faith, and not by sight: No
 2. We may not touch his hands and side, Nor
 3. Help then, O Lord, our un - be - lief, And
 4. That when our life of faith is done In



gra - cious words we hear Of him who spoke as
 fol - low where he trod; Yet in his prom - ise
 may our faith a - bound; To call on you when
 realms of clear - er light We may be - hold you



none e'er spoke, But we be - lieve him near.
 we re - joice, And cry "My Lord and God!"
 you are near, And seek where you are found:
 as you are In full and end - less sight.

Text: Henry Alford, 1810-1871, alt.
 Tune: SHANTI, CM; Marty Haugen, b.1950, © 1984, GIA Publications, Inc.

GOSPEL: Luke 24: 36b-48

Priest: God be with you

People: And also with you.

Priest: A Proclamation of the Gospel of our Savior Jesus Christ according to N.
At the conclusion of the Gospel proclamation, the priest says.

Priest: The Gospel of our Savior.

People: Thanks be to God.

THE SERMON — The Very Rev. Lewis D. Crusoe, Priest-in-Charge

THE CREED (BCP p. 358)

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,
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 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;

who has spoken through the Prophets.

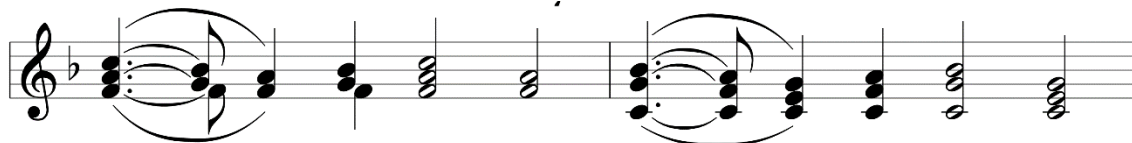
We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.

We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.

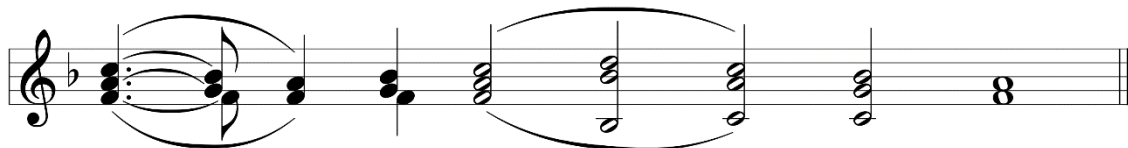
We look for the resurrection of the dead,

and the life of the world to come. Amen.

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE



1, 3 Ky - ri - e e - lei - son. Ky - ri - e e - lei - son.
2 Chris - te e - lei - son. Chris - te e - lei - son.



Ky - ri - e e - le - i - son.
Chris - te e - le - i - son.

There is no confession during the Easter Season

THE PEACE



LET US BREAK BREAD TOGETHER

Spiritual

Verses



1. Let us break bread to-gether on our knees; Let us break
2. Let us drink wine to-gether on our knees; Let us drink
3. Let us praise God to-gether on our knees; Let us praise

Refrain



1. bread to-gether on our knees; When I fall on my knees,
2. wine to-gether on our knees;
3. God to-gether on our knees;

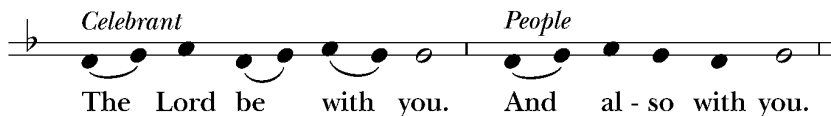


With my face to the ris-ing sun, O Lord, have mer-cy on me.

Text: 10 10 with refrain; Spiritual. Music: LET US BREAK BREAD.

The Great Thanksgiving

Celebrant *People*



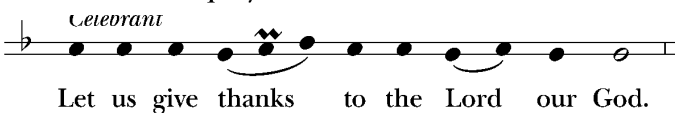
The Lord be with you. And al - so with you.

Celebrant *People*



Lift up your hearts. 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.

SANCTUS

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

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MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION

The following acclamation follows the priest's invitation: "Let us proclaim the mystery of faith."

Priest:

Let us pro-claim the mys - ter - y of faith:

All:

Christ has died, Christ is ris-en, Christ will come a - gain.

Christ has died, Christ is ris-en, Christ will come a - gain!

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THE GREAT AMEN

AMEN

A - men, a - men, a - men!

A - men, a - men, a - men!

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THE LORD'S PRAYER (BCP p. 363)

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

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 forever. Amen.

FRACTION SONG *Jesus, Lamb of God. Mass of Creation*



1. Je-sus, Lamb of
2. Je-sus, Bread of
3. Je-sus, Prince of



God,
 Life, you take a-way the sins of the world: have
 Peace,



mer-cy on us. Je-sus, Lamb of God; you



take a-way the sins of the world: grant us your peace.

DISTRIBUTION OF COMMUNION

All the baptized are invited to receive communion in the Episcopal Church. Please follow the directions of the ushers. The Bread and Wine are given to the communicants with these words:

Presider: The Body and Blood of our Lord Jesus Christ keep you in everlasting life.

Communicants Response: *Amen*

*Please join in singing the communion hymn as we receive communion.
There will be time after communion for your personal thanksgivings.*

COMMUNION SONG - *Shepherd of Souls* H-343

SHEPHERD OF SOULS

ST. AGNES



1. Shep-herd of souls, re-fresh and bless Your cho-sen pil-grim flock
2. We would not live by bread a-lone, But by your word of grace,
3. Be known to us in break-ing bread, But do not then de-part;
4. Lord, sup with us in love di-vine; Your bod-y and your blood,



1. With man-na in the wil-der-ness, With wa-ter from the rock.
2. In strength of which we trav-el on To our a-bid-ing place.
3. Sav-ior, a-bide with us, and spread Your ta-ble in our heart.
4. That liv-ing bread, that heav'n-ly wine, Be our im-mor-tal food.

Text: CM; James Montgomery, 1771–1854. Music: John B. Dykes, 1823–1876.

POST-COMMUNION PRAYER (BCP p. 365)

After Communion, the Celebrant says

Let us pray.

Celebrant and People

Loving God,
we give you thanks
for restoring us in your image
and nourishing us with spiritual food
in the Sacrament of Christ's Body and Blood.
Now send us forth
a people, forgiven, healed, renewed;
that we may proclaim your love to the world
and continue in the risen life of Christ our Savior. Amen.

Announcements

Blessing

DISMISSAL S 175D Dismissal Easter (BCP p. 366)

Deacon



Let us bless the Lord, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

People



Thanks be to God, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

RECESSIONAL HYMN

Good Christians Rejoice and Sing H-205

1 Good Chris-tians all, re - joice and sing! Now is the tri - umph
 2 The Lord of life is risen to - day; death's might - y stone is
 3 We praise in songs of vic - to - ry that love, that life, which
 4 Your name we bless, O ris - en Lord, and sing to - day with

of our King! To all the world glad news we bring:
 rolled a - way: let ev - ery tongue re - joice and say:
 can - not die, and sing with hearts up - lift - ed high:
 one ac - cord the life laid down, the life re - stored:

Refrain

“Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!”

WORDS: Cyril A. Alington (1872-1955)
 MUSIC: Melchior Vulpius (1560-1615)
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O God, our times are in your hand: Look with favor, we pray, on your servant(s) **N.**, **N.**, as *he/they* begin(s) another year. Grant that *he/they* may grow in wisdom and grace, and strengthen *his/their* trust in your goodness all the days of *his/their* life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

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