



16th April 2017



Easter Sunday

Welcome!

We bid you a very warm welcome to our worship. As we gather in this sacred space, silent prayer and reflection helps us to prepare for the service. We acknowledge our presence is on the traditional, ancestral, and unceded territory of the Coast Salish Peoples. Listening devices are available for the hearing impaired during the service; please contact one of our greeters.

Introit When It Was Yet Dark Stephen Hatfield

Please rise as you are able to sing our opening Hymn No 203 in Common Praise.

- 1 Jesus Christ is risen today, alleluia!
our triumphant holy day, alleluia!
who did once, upon the cross, alleluia!
suffer to redeem our loss. Alleluia!**
- 2 Hymns of praise then let us sing, alleluia!
unto Christ our heavenly King, alleluia!
who endured the cross and grave, alleluia!
sinners to redeem and save. Alleluia!**
- 3 But the pains which he endured, alleluia!
our salvation have procured; alleluia!
now above the sky he's king, alleluia!
where the angels ever sing. Alleluia!**

Priest Alleluia! Christ is risen.

All **The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia!**

Priest May his grace and peace be with you.

All **May he fill our hearts with joy.**

All **Almighty God, to you all hearts are open,
all desires known,**

**and from you no secrets are hidden.
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.**

We sing together the 'Gloria in Excelsis.' A fanfare is sounded as bells ring.

Vivo

(org.)

Glo - ry to God in the
high - est, and peace to his peo-ple on earth, Lord God, hea-ven-ly King, al - migh-ty God and
Fa - ther, we wor-ship you we give you thanks, we praise you for your glo - ry.

poco meno mosso

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Lord Je-sus Christ, on - ly Son of the Fa - ther, Lord God, Lamb of God, you
take a-way the sin of the world: have mer - cy on us; you are sea - ted at the

Tempo Primo

f

right hand of the Fa - ther, re - ceive our prayer. For you a-lone are the Ho - ly One,
you a - lone are the Lord, you a - lone are the Most High, Je-sus Christ, with the Ho - ly
ff
Spi - rit, in the glo - ry of God the Fa - ther, A - men.

Priest

Let us pray.

All

**God of glory, by the raising of your Son
you have broken the chains of death:
fill your church with faith and hope,
for a new day has dawned
and the way of life stands before us;
through Jesus Christ, our risen Saviour. Amen.**

Children's focus

We sit to listen to a reading from the Acts of the Apostles (Chapter 10: 34-43)

Then Peter began to speak to them: “I truly understand that God shows no partiality, but in every nation anyone who fears him and does what is right is acceptable to him. You know the message he sent to the people of Israel, preaching peace by Jesus Christ — he is Lord of all. That message spread throughout Judea, beginning in Galilee after the baptism that John announced: how God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and with power; how he went about doing good and healing all who were oppressed by the devil, for God was with him.

We are witnesses to all that he did both in Judea and in Jerusalem. They put him to death by hanging him on a tree; but God raised him on the third day and allowed him to appear, not to all the people but to us who were chosen by God as witnesses, and who ate and drank with him after he rose from the dead. He commanded us to preach to the people and to testify that he is the one ordained by God as judge of the living and the dead. All the prophets testify about him that everyone who believes in him receives forgiveness of sins through his name.”

Reader
All

Hear what the Spirit is saying to God’s people.
Thanks be to God.

Please rise as you are able to chant the Easter Anthems.



- 1 Christ our passover has been ¹ sacri·ficed ¹ for us:
so let us ¹ cele·brate the ¹ feast,
- 2 not with the old leaven of cor·ruption · and ¹ wickedness:
but with the unleavened ¹ bread of · sin·cerity · and ¹ truth.
- 3 Christ once raised from the dead ¹ dies no ¹ more:
death has no ¹ more do·minion ¹ over him.
- 4 In dying he died to sin ¹ once for ¹ all:
in ¹ living · he ¹ lives to ¹ God.
- 5 See yourselves therefore as ¹ dead to ¹ sin:
and alive to God in ¹ Jesus ¹ Christ our ¹ Lord.
- 6 Christ has been ¹ raised · from the ¹ dead:
the ¹ firstfruits · of ¹ those who ¹ sleep.
- 7 For as by ¹ man came ¹ death:
by man has come also the resur·rection ¹ of the ¹ dead;
- 8 for as in ¹ Adam · all ¹ die:
even so in Christ shall ¹ all be ¹ made al·live.

Glory to the Father and ¹ to the ¹ Son:
and ¹ to the ¹ Holy ¹ Spirit;
as it was in the be·ginning is ¹ now:
and shall be for ¹ ever. ¹ A·men.

Please sit for a reading from the Letter of Paul to the Colossians (Chapter 3.1-4)

So if you have been raised with Christ, seek the things that are above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God. Set your minds on things that are above, not on things that are on earth, for you have died, and your life is hidden with Christ in God. When Christ who is your life is revealed, then you also will be revealed with him in glory.

Reader

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

All

Thanks be to God.

Please rise as you are able to sing our Gradual Hymn No 206 in Common Praise

- I Christ the Lord is risen today, alleluia!
earth and heaven in chorus say, alleluia!
Raise your joys and triumphs high; alleluia!
sing, ye heavens and earth reply: alleluia!**
 - 2 Love's redeeming work is done, alleluia!
fought the fight, the battle won, alleluia!
Death in vain forbids him rise, alleluia!
Christ has opened paradise, alleluia!**
 - 3 Lives again our glorious King, alleluia!
Where, O death, is now thy sting? Alleluia!
Once he died our souls to save, alleluia!
Where's thy victory, boasting grave? Alleluia!**
 - 4 Soar we now where Christ has led, alleluia!
following our exalted head, alleluia!
Made like him, like him we rise, alleluia!
Ours the cross, the grave, the skies, alleluia!**

We turn to face the Deacon

A musical score for a single melodic line. The key signature is one sharp (F#). The melody consists of eighth and sixteenth notes. The lyrics "Al - le - lu - ia." are written below the notes, with a breve rest preceding the first note.

Deacon

Early on the first day of the week, while it was still dark, Mary Magdalene came to the tomb and saw that the stone had been removed from the tomb. So she ran and went to Simon Peter and the other disciple, the one whom Jesus loved, and said to them, ‘They have taken the Lord out of the tomb, and we do not know where they have laid him.’ Then Peter and the other disciple set out and went towards the tomb. The two were running together, but the other disciple outran Peter and reached the tomb first. He bent down to look in and saw the linen wrappings lying there, but he did not go in. Then Simon Peter came, following him, and went into the tomb. He saw the linen wrappings lying there, and the cloth that had been on Jesus’ head, not lying with the linen wrappings but rolled up in a place by itself. Then the other disciple, who reached the tomb first, also went in, and he saw and believed; for as yet they did not understand the scripture, that he must rise from the dead. Then the disciples returned to their homes.

But Mary stood weeping outside the tomb. As she wept, she bent over to look into the tomb; and she saw two angels in white, sitting where the body of Jesus had been lying, one at the head and the other at the feet. They said to her, ‘Woman, why are you weeping?’ She said to them, ‘They have taken away my Lord, and I do not know where they have laid him.’ When she had said this, she turned round and saw Jesus standing there, but she did not know that it was Jesus. Jesus said to her, ‘Woman, why are you weeping? For whom are you looking?’ Supposing him to be the gardener, she said to him, ‘Sir, if you have carried him away, tell me where you have laid him, and I will take him away.’ Jesus said to her, ‘Mary!’ She turned and said to him in Hebrew, ‘Rabbouni!’ (which means Teacher). Jesus said to her, ‘Do not hold on to me, because I have not yet ascended to the Father. But go to my brothers and say to them, “I am ascending to my Father and your Father, to my God and your God.”’ Mary Magdalene went and

announced to the disciples, ‘I have seen the Lord’; and she told them that he had said these things to her.

At the conclusion of the Gospel,

Deacon The Gospel of Christ.

All **Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

5 Hail, the Lord of earth and heaven, alleluia!
Praise to thee by both be given, alleluia!
Thee we greet triumphant now, alleluia!
Hail the Resurrection, thou, alleluia!

Priest Alleluia! Christ is risen!

All **The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia!**

Sermon The Venerable John Stephens

Please rise as you are able as we affirm our faith

All **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 from the Holy Spirit
and 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,
who with the Father and the Son is
worshipped 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.**

Please remain standing or kneel for our prayers

At the conclusion of the Prayers of the People:

Intercessor Rejoicing in the fellowship of Mary the mother of Jesus, and St John the Beloved, our patron and all the saints we commend ourselves and all people to your unfailing love.
Merciful Father:
All **Accept these our prayers for the sake of your Son
our Saviour Jesus Christ. Amen.**

Please rise as you are able for the Peace

Priest The risen Christ came and stood among his disciples and said, ‘Peace be with you.’ Then were they glad when they saw the Lord. Alleluia.
The peace of the Lord be always with you.
All **And also with you.**

All may exchange a sign of peace

During the singing of Hymn No 231 in Common Praise a collection will be taken.

- 1 That Eastertide with joy was bright;
the sun shone out with fairer light,
alleluia, alleluia!
when, to their longing eyes restored,
the apostles saw their risen Lord.
Alleluia, alleluia,
alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!**
- 2 He bade them see his hands, his side,
where yet the glorious wounds abide;
alleluia, alleluia!
the tokens true which made it plain
their Lord indeed was risen again.
Alleluia, alleluia,
alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!**
- 3 From every weapon death can wield
thine own redeemed forever shield:
alleluia, alleluia!
O Lord of all, with us abide
in this our joyful Eastertide.
Alleluia, alleluia,
alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!**
- 4 Jesus, the king of gentleness,
do thou thyself our hearts possess,
alleluia, alleluia!
that we may give thee all our days
the tribute of our grateful praise.
Alleluia, alleluia,
alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!**

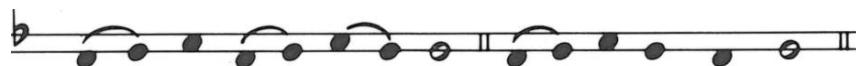
Prayer over the gifts

Priest

God our strength and salvation,
receive all we offer you this day,
and grant that we who have confessed your name,
and received new life in baptism,
may live in the joy of the resurrection,
through Jesus Christ the Lord.

All

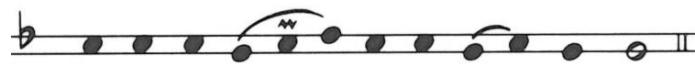
Amen.



The Lord be with you. And also with you.



Lift up your hearts. We lift them to the Lord.



Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.



It is right to give our thanks and praise.

Priest

Blessed are you, gracious God,
creator of heaven and earth;
we give you thanks and praise
for the glorious resurrection of your Son
Jesus Christ our Lord;
for he is the true paschal lamb
who has taken away the sin of the world.
By his death he destroyed death,
and by his rising to life again
he has won for us eternal life.
Therefore, joining our voices
with the whole company of heaven,
we sing our joyful hymn of praise
to proclaim the glory of your name.

Allegretto

(org.)

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of power and
might, Hea-ven and earth are full of your glo-ry. Ho - san - na in the
High - est. Bles - sed is he who comes in the name of the
Lord. Ho - san - na in the High - est.

Priest

We give thanks to you, Lord our God,
for the goodness and love
you have made known to us in creation;
in calling Israel to be your people;
in your Word spoken through the prophets;
and above all in the Word made flesh,
Jesus your Son.
For in these last days you sent him
to be incarnate from the Virgin Mary,
to be the Saviour and Redeemer of the world.
In him, you have delivered us from evil,
and made us worthy to stand before you.
In him, you have brought us
out of error into truth,
out of sin into righteousness,
out of death into life.

On the night he was handed over
to suffering and death,
a death he freely accepted,
our Lord Jesus Christ took bread;
and when he had given thanks to you,

he broke it, and gave it to his disciples,
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;
and when he had given thanks,
he gave it to them,
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.”

All

Therefore, Father, according to his command,
All we remember his death,
we proclaim his resurrection,
we await his coming in glory;

Priest

and we offer our sacrifice
of praise and thanksgiving
to you, Lord of all;
presenting to you, from your creation,
this bread and this wine.
We pray you, gracious God,
to send your Holy Spirit upon these gifts,
that they may be the sacrament
of the body of Christ
and his blood of the new covenant.
Unite us to your Son in his sacrifice,
that we, made acceptable in him,
may be sanctified by the Holy Spirit.

In the fullness of time,
reconcile all things in Christ,
and make them new,
and bring us to that city of light
where you dwell with all your sons and daughters;

through Jesus Christ our Lord,
the firstborn of all creation,
the head of the Church,
and the author of our salvation;

by whom, and with whom, and in whom,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
all honour and glory are yours, almighty Father,
now and for ever.

All

Amen.

Priest

As our Saviour taught us, let us pray,

All

**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,
the power, and the glory,
for ever and ever. Amen.**

The Priest breaks the consecrated bread

Priest

Lord, we died with you on the cross.

All

Now we are raised to new life.

Priest

We were buried in your tomb.

All

Now we share in your resurrection.

Priest

Live in us, that we may live in you.

Priest

The gifts of God, for the people of God

All

Thanks be to God.

We invite all baptized Christians to receive Communion at our altar. If you wish to receive a blessing please come at the same time. Intinction is not permitted as it contaminates the wine. It is acceptable to receive either bread or wine only.

If you are unable to make your way to the altar please ask a sidesperson to have Communion brought to you. Gluten free wafers are available.

Communion Anthem Blessed be God and Father SS Wesley

Prayer after Communion

All

**God of life,
bring us to the glory of the resurrection
promised in this Easter sacrament.
We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ
the risen Lord. Amen.**

We sit for the notices

We stand for the Blessing

Priest

The God of peace, who brought again from the dead our Lord Jesus, that great shepherd of the sheep, make you perfect in every good work to do his will; and the blessing of God almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you and remain with you always.

All

Amen.

We sing our final Hymn No. 210 in Common Praise.

**I Yours be the glory,
risen, conquering Son:
endless is the victory
over death you won.
Angels robed in splendour
rolled the stone away,
kept the folded grave-clothes
where the body lay.**

Refrain:

***Yours be the glory,
risen, conquering Son:
endless is the victory
over death you won.***

**2 See! Jesus meets us,
risen from the tomb;
lovingly he greets us,
scatters fear and gloom.
Let the church with gladness
hymns of triumph sing,
for her Lord is living;
death hath lost its sting!**

Refrain:

***Yours be the glory,
risen, conquering Son:
endless is the victory
over death you won.***

**3 No more we doubt you,
glorious Prince of life;
what is life without you?
Aid us in our strife;
make us more than conquerors
through your deathless love;
bring us safe through Jordan
to your home above. Refrain**

Dismissal

Deacon Let us go forth in the name of Christ. Alleluia, alleluia!
All **Thanks be to God. Alleluia, alleluia!**

Postlude Hallelujah Chorus (sing-a-long) Handel

**Hallelujah! Hallelujah! Hallelujah! Hallelujah!
Hallelujah!**

**For the Lord God Omnipotent reigneth.
Hallelujah! Hallelujah! Hallelujah! Hallelujah!**

**For the Lord God omnipotent reigneth.
Hallelujah! Hallelujah! Hallelujah! Hallelujah!
Hallelujah! Hallelujah! Hallelujah!|**

**The kingdom of this world
Is become the kingdom of our Lord,
And of His Christ, and of His Christ;
And He shall reign for ever and ever,
For ever and ever, forever and ever,**

**King of kings, and Lord of lords,
King of kings, and Lord of lords,
And Lord of lords,
And He shall reign,
And He shall reign forever and ever,
King of kings, forever and ever,
And Lord of lords,
Hallelujah! Hallelujah!**

**And He shall reign forever and ever,
King of kings! and Lord of lords!
And He shall reign forever and ever,
King of kings! and Lord of lords!
Hallelujah! Hallelujah! Hallelujah! Hallelujah!
Hallelujah!**

Please join us in the Trendell Lounge for refreshments, or join the children for the Easter Egg Hunt in the De Pencier Garden.

The St John's Covenant Prayer, which we invite you to pray

Infinite Lord and eternal God rouse your church in this place,
restore your people's sense of Mission
and revive your work in holiness and strength.
By your Spirit teach us to give our energy,
our time, our money, our service and our prayer
that your Kingdom may be advanced here
and in the entire world;
in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.



The flowers on the Altar
are given to the Glory of God
and in Celebration of the Risen Christ

and in remembrance of **Jan Scott**
from the Scott family

and in memory of **Dr Charles** and **Mrs Ann Stewart**
and Mrs Carmen Belgrave
from Patrick and Joan Stewart

and in loving memory of my parents,
Rosemary (Jukes) Devin and **Charles "Chunky" Woodward**
from Robyn Woodward

and in loving memory of
my father and mother, **Alan and Olivia Pemberton**,
and my husband, **Bob Fulcher**,
from Karin Fulcher

and in loving memory of my husband, **Alan Frank Rudolf**
from Alberta Rudolf



and in memory of our parents **Amy and Jack Hadley**
from daughters Louise and Dyanne

and in loving memory of our eight family members
whose ashes are in the Garden of Remembrance
from Margaret Barbeau
and Philip and Brita Owen

and from Justis Greene and Judith Downes

and in loving memory of Nijole
from Robin

and in loving memory of my mother, **Laura Mary Smith**
from Susan Firus

and in loving memory of my daughter **Desireé**
from Mom

and in thanksgiving for my loving blended extended family
from Liz Hamel



and in grateful memory of my parents
Dr. Frank and Elizabeth Kline
and also **Dr. Jack and Jean Dunderdale**
from Helen Kline

and in loving memory of **Grace and Percy Symons**,
and of **Barbara and Peter Martens**
from Doug and Marge Symons

and in loving memory of **Janet and Jim Fenton**,
Bernice and Kirt Landherr
and **Penny and Henry Ehmann**
from Douglas Fenton and Keith Landherr

and in loving memory of my darling Mum,
Eleanor Sanders,
from Maggie Sanders

and in loving memory of **George and Daphne Baldwin**
from Michael and Jennifer Dezell



and in loving memory of my mother, **Rose T. Mok**
from Patricia Luk

and in memory of my parents, **Rex and Mary Barford**
and my sister and brother in law
Frank and Daphne Ann Saunders
from Sheila Barford

and in celebration of **Tex Pitfield's** birthday
from loving mother Sylvia Pitfield and sister Cathy

and in memory of the **Venerable Bill Stephens**
and **Dr. Graeme Copland**
from John, Ruth, Sarah and Matthew Stephens
and Anne Copland

and in loving memory of **Mike and Marion Warren**
from Catherine and Terry Warren

and in loving memory of my husband **Richard**
from Isabelle Jenkins



and in loving memory of **Swan**
from Grace and Heru Santoso

and in loving memory of my wife, **Addie**,
my parents, and my brothers
from Hugh Griffith

and in loving memory of our parents
Jane & Dalton and **Kathleen & Jimmy**
From Vicki and Pitman Potter

and in loving memory of my grandmother, **Silvia Pollastri**
from Amy

and in loving memory of my husband and parents
from Viola Parker

and from Nancy Southam

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Sunday services

8:00am Holy Communion (BCP)

10:00am Sung Eucharist

Wednesday service

9:30am Holy Communion

Baptisms, Funerals, Weddings and Confessions are by appointment with the Rector. Please contact us if you would like to have our weekly newsletter emailed to you.



