

St. Dunstan's Episcopal Church



The Fourth Sunday of Easter

May 8, 2022

The Holy Eucharist

STREAMING FACEBOOK LIVE AT 10:45 A.M.

Prelude

Meditation on "The Lord's My Shepherd"

Crimond
Arr. Mary McDonald

1 Christ the Lord is risen a - gain! Christ has bro - ken ev - ery chain!
 2 He who gave for us his life, who for us en - dured the strife,
 3 He who bore all pain and loss com - fort - less up - on the cross

Now through all the world it rings that the Lamb is King of kings.
 takes our sin and guilt a - way that with an - gels we may say:
 is ex - alt - ed now to save, wrest - ing vic - tory from the grave.

Refrain

Al - le - lu - ial
 Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia,
 Al - le - lu - ial

al - le - lu - ia! Christ, our Pas - chal Lamb in - deed,
 Christ, to - day your peo - ple feed. Al - le - lu - ia!

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The Word of God

Opening Acclamation

Celebrant Alleluia! Christ is risen!
People **The Lord is risen indeed! Alleluia!**

Collect for Purity *said by the Celebrant*

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.**

Song of Praise S 278 Glory to God

Gloria in excelsis

William Mathias

Celebrant The Lord be with you.
People **And also with you.**
Celebrant Let us pray.

The Collect *said by all*

Eternal God, from whose gentle hands none can snatch us away: give us faith to believe that we are known and loved with a passion strong enough to bring the whole world back to you; through Jesus Christ, who is one with the source of life. Amen.

The First Lesson

Acts 9:36-43

Now in Joppa there was a disciple whose name was Tabitha, which in Greek is Dorcas. She was devoted to good works and acts of charity. At that time she became ill and died. When they had washed her, they laid her in a room upstairs. Since Lydda was near Joppa, the disciples, who heard that Peter was there, sent two men to him with the request, "Please come to us without delay." So Peter got up and went with them; and when he arrived, they took him to the room upstairs. All the widows stood beside him, weeping and showing tunics and other clothing that Dorcas had made while she was with them. Peter put all of them outside, and then he knelt down and prayed. He turned to the body and said, "Tabitha, get up." Then she opened her eyes, and seeing Peter, she sat up. He gave her his hand and helped her up. Then calling the saints and widows, he showed her to be alive. This became known throughout Joppa, and many believed in the Lord. Meanwhile he stayed in Joppa for some time with a certain Simon, a tanner.

Lector The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

Psalm *Dominus regit me*

Psalm 23

The Lord is my shepherd; *

I shall not be in want.

He makes me lie down in green pastures *

and leads me beside still waters.

He revives my soul *

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

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.

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.

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.

The Second Lesson

Revelation 7:9-17

I looked, and there was a great multitude that no one could count, from every nation, from all tribes and peoples and languages, standing before the throne and before the Lamb, robed in white, with palm branches in their hands. They cried out in a loud voice, saying, "Salvation belongs to our God who is seated on the throne, and to the Lamb!" And all the angels stood around the throne and around the elders and the four living creatures, and they fell on their faces before the throne and worshiped God, singing, "Amen! Blessing and glory and wisdom and thanksgiving and honor and power and might be to our God forever and ever! Amen." Then one of the elders addressed me, saying, "Who are these, robed in white, and where have they come from?" I said to him, "Sir, you are the one that knows." Then he said to me, "These are they who have come out of the great ordeal; they have washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the Lamb. For this reason they are before the throne of God, and worship him day and night within his temple, and the one who is seated on the throne will shelter them. They will hunger no more, and thirst no more; the sun will not strike them, nor any scorching heat; for the Lamb at the center of the throne will be their shepherd, and he will guide them to springs of the water of life, and God will wipe away every tear from their eyes."

Lector The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

1 My Shep-herd will sup-ply my need, Je-ho-vah;
 2 When I walk through the shades of death, thy pres-ence;
 3 The sure pro-vi-sions of my God at-tend me.

is his Name; in pas-tures fresh he
 is my stay; one word of thy sup-
 all my days; oh, may thy house be

makes me feed be-side the liv-ing stream.
 port-ing breath drives all my fears a-way.
 mine a-bode and all my work be praise.

He brings my wan-dering spi-rit back when I for-
 Thy hand, in sight of all my foes, doth still my
 There would I find a sett-led rest, while o-thers

sake his ways, and leads me, for his
 ta-ble spread; my cup with bless-ings
 go and come; no more a stran-ger

mer-cy's sake, in paths of truth and grace.
 o-ver-flows, thy oil a-noints my head.
 or a guest, but like a child at home.

Words: Isaac Watts (1674-1748); para. of Psalm 23

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The Gospel

John 10:22-30

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

People **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

At that time the festival of the Dedication took place in Jerusalem. It was winter, and Jesus was walking in the temple, in the portico of Solomon. So the Jews gathered around him and said to him, "How long will you keep us in suspense? If you are the Messiah, tell us plainly." Jesus answered, "I have told you, and you do not believe. The works that I do in my Father's name testify to me; but you do not believe, because you do not belong to my sheep. My sheep hear my voice. I know them, and they follow me. I give them eternal life, and they will never perish. No one will snatch them out of my hand. What my Father has given me is greater than all else, and no one can snatch it out of the Father's hand. The Father and I are one."

Priest The Gospel of the Lord.

People **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

Sermon

The Reverend Patricia Templeton

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,
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,
who with the Father and the Son 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, Form III

Lord, 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; remembering especially **Fred Gimson**, uncle of John Gimson, and **Irmgard Tatic**, friend of Priscilla Davis, **the Rev. Lori Lowe**, friend of Maggie & Tricia, and **the Rev. Suzanne Metz**, friend of Tricia and Joe.

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, remembering those on our prayer list especially our parishioners: **Wallis Kaltenbach; Nancy Knight Latimore; Lee Morris; John Maloney; Susan Glenz-Pierce; Beth & Alan Zimmerman;** and **Bishop Keith Whitmore.**

We thank you, Lord, for all the blessings of this life, including our parish community, especially **Gwen McAlpine & Paul Zimmer; Eileen Zimmer; Beth Zimmerman;** and **David Abner.**

The Peace

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People **And also with you.**

Announcements

The Holy Communion

Offertory Anthem Offertory Anthem

“Alleluia! He Lives Today”

Lithuanian Folk Song

Arr. Lucy A. Hirt

Sing now in gladness, Gone is all sadness, Christ the Lord is risen!

Let all Creation share jubilation, Christ the Lord is risen!

Blue is the sky and bright is the morning,

Fair is the earth with blossoms adorning,

Christ the Lord is risen, from the grave is risen,

Alleluia, He lives today!

Death could not hold Him, now we behold Him in His might resplendent!

Angels adore Him, men kneel before Him, on His love dependent.

Sing of His triumph, Sing to His glory; Let all who hear re-ech-o the story,

Christ the Lord is risen, Christ the Lord is risen,

Alleluia, He lives today!

Hymn 492

Sing ye faithful, sing with gladness

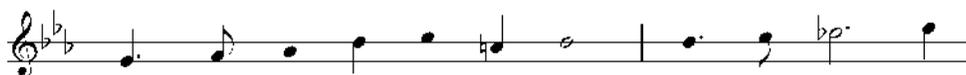
Finnian



1 Sing, ye faith - ful, sing with glad - ness, wake your no - blest,
2 Sing how he came forth from hea - ven, bowed him - self to
3 So, he tast - ed death for mor - tals, he, of hu - man -
4 Now on high, yet ev - er with us, from his Fa - ther's



sweet - est strain, with the prais - es of your Sa - viour
Beth - lehem's cave, stooped to wear the ser - vant's ves - ture,
kind the head, sin - less one, a - mong the sin - ful,
throne the Son rules and guides the world he ran - somed,



let his house res - ound a - gain; him let all your
bore the pain, the cross, the grave, passed with - in the
Prince of life, a - mong the dead; thus he wrought the
till the ap - point - ed work be done, till he see, re -



mu - sic hon - or, and your songs ex - alt his reign.
gates of dark - ness, thence his ban - ished ones to save.
full re - demp - tion, and the cap - tor cap - tive led.
newed and per - fect, all things gath - ered in - to one.

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The Great Thanksgiving (Eucharistic Prayer A)

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 God thanks and praise.**

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth through Jesus Christ our Lord; who rose victorious from the dead, and comforts us with the blessed hope of everlasting life. For to your faithful people, O Lord, life is changed, not ended; and when our mortal body lies in death, there is prepared for us a dwelling place eternal in the heavens.

Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

Sanctus *Celebrant and People*

S. 128 Holy, holy, holy Lord

Ho - ly, ho - ly,
ho - ly Lord, God of power and might,
heaven and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho-san-na in the
high - est. Bless - ed is the one who
comes in the name of the Lord. Ho-san-na in the high-est.

The people stand or kneel.

Then the Celebrant continues

Holy and gracious God: In your infinite love you made us for yourself; and, when we had fallen into sin and become subject to evil and death, you, in your mercy, sent Jesus Christ, your only and eternal Son, to share our human nature, to live and die as one of us, to reconcile us to you, the God and Father of all.

He stretched out his arms upon the cross, and offered himself, in obedience to your will, a perfect sacrifice for the whole world.

On the night he was handed over to suffering and death, 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 all for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

Christ has died.

Christ is risen.

Christ will come again.

Celebrant continues

We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O God, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving. Recalling his death, resurrection, and ascension, we offer you these gifts.

Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of your Son, the holy food and drink of new and unending life in him, Sanctify us also that we may faithfully receive this holy Sacrament, and serve you in unity, constancy, and peace and at the last day bring us with all your saints into the joy of your eternal kingdom.

All this we ask through your Son Jesus Christ. By Him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever. **AMEN.**

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

The Lord's Prayer

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.

The Breaking of the Bread

Fraction Anthem S. 154

Christ our Passover

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.
Christ our Pass - o - ver is sac - ri - ficed for us;
there - fore let us keep the feast.
Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

The Communion of the People *All people are invited to receive Communion.*

The gifts of God for the people of God.



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-les-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.

Words: Henry Williams Baker (1821-1877); para. of Psalm 23 Music: St. Columba, Irish melody; harmon. *Hymnal 1932*

Prayer after Communion *Celebrant and People*

O God, you made us in your image and redeemed us through Jesus your son: Look with compassion on the whole human family; take away the arrogance and hatred which infect our hearts; break down the walls that separate us; unite us in bonds of love; and work through our struggle and confusion to accomplish your purposes on earth; that in your good time, all nations, races, and creeds may serve you in harmony. Amen.

Easter Blessing

The blessing of God who creates life,
 Be upon you as you celebrate life.

The blessing of God who restores life,
 Be upon you as you seek new life.

The blessing of God, who sanctifies life,
 Be upon you as you give life to others.

Amen.

Recessional Hymn 205

Good Christians all, rejoice and sing!

Gelobt sei Gott

On following page

Postlude

"Come, Christians, Join to Sing"

Madrid

Christian H. Bateman (1813-1889)

Arr. Mark Hayes

1 Good Chris - tians all, re - joi - ce and sing! Now is the
 *2 The Lord of life is risen to - day! Sing songs of
 3 Praise we in songs of vic - to - ry that love, that
 4 Your Name we bless, O ris - en Lord, and sing to -
 5 To God the Fa - ther, God the Son, to God the

1 tri - umph of our King! To all the world glad news we bring:
 2 praise a - long his way; let all the earth re - joi - ce and say:
 3 life which can - not die, and sing with hearts up - lift - ed high:
 4 day with one ac - cord the life laid down, the life re - stored:
 5 Spi - rit, al - ways One, we sing for life in us be - gun:

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!
 Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!
 Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!

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Ministry Schedule

	May 8 – EASTER 3	May 15 – EASTER 4	May 22 – EASTER 5
Vestry on Duty	Bob Longino	Lynn Hood	
Lay Reader 8:30.	Peg Maloney	Claudia Gimson	Bruce Lafitte
10:45 a.m.	Bob Longino	Lynn Hood	
Lector 1st Lesson	Luis Ottley	Nancy Dillon	Andrea P-Weerakoon
Lector 2 nd Lesson	Andrea P-Weerakoon	John Morgan	Shirley Morgan
Ushers	Wayne Hood	Wayne Hood	Gwen McAlpine
			Paul Zimmer
Altar Guild	Priscilla Davis / Cathy Leake/ Mary Jane Hannah	Elizabeth Wong Mark / Cathy Leake / Mary Jane Hannah	
Flower Guild	Suzanne Van de Mark	Kate Gaul	Nancy Dillon
Coffee Hosts	Delores Waye		
Videographer			

Announcements

Hidden Gems of the Prayer Book

The adult Sunday school class is focusing on the hidden gems of the Book of Common Prayer, those services and prayers that we do not use on Sundays. Come join us to learn what the treasure of our prayer book has to offer. Class is at 9:30 in the Founders' Room.

Prayers

Parishioners: Alan & Beth Zimmerman; Wallis Kaltenbach; Nancy Knight Latimore; Lee Morris; John Maloney; Susan Glenz-Pierce; and Bishop Keith Whitmore.

Family: Ronnie & Lucinda Stein, brother and sister-in-law of Harriett Smith; **Bill Fields**, brother of Nancy Dillon; **Pamela V. Bowers**, sister of Suzanne Van de Mark; **Cheryl Morand**, sister-in-law, **Arvis Morris**, mother, and **Katy Greenawalt**, sister of Lee Morris; **Hilary Foster**, niece of Claudia Gimson; **Trina Gordon, Jack & Linda Mobley** and **Vincent Lafitte**, family of Daria Jones & Bruce Lafitte; **Clare Richardson**, sister-in-law of Penny France; **Danny Woodard**, son of Sheila Woodard; **Tiffany Lucas**, niece, **Linda Johnson**, sister of Vivian Siggers; **Deborah Ellis-Williams**, mother of Jackie O'Connell; **Aaron Atkinson**, family of Bob Longino; **Gloria DeSilva**, cousin of Anil Weerakoon; **Martha Springer**, mother of Randy Springer; **Priscilla Williams**, sister of Bessie Holland; **Jeannette Davis**, sister-in-law of Priscilla Davis; **Mary Jane Hobbs**, sister of Sara Thomas; **Barbara Martello**, niece of Mimi Gold; **Deni Omundson & Gary Dorsey, Sydney Cortez & Family**, relatives of Jeanne & Josh Taylor.

Friends: Abigail Ludwig (Lindsey Reece); **Angela Mattson**, (Lee Morris); **Loretta Roberts** (Cathy Leake); **The Snider & Poll Families** (Jackie & Mark O'Connell); **Cas Smith** (Jace Kaltenbach); **Anne Henry, Tim Embry**, (Davis Family); **Wade Hansard, Sam Sterling Mitchell**, (Sandra & Joe Dobbs); **Gladys Pfaff** (Andrea Patten-Weerakoon & Anil Weerakoon); **Mike Carscaddon** (Bob Longino); **Sherrel Howard**, (Mimi Gold); **Paul Deater, Don & Pat Buffington, Sonny, Sona, Mary Ann Yeargin, Eric Copeland, Beth, Tabitha & Max Wagner, Anna Marie Soper-O'rouke**, (Rhea Hannah); **Benjamin Banas**, (Cathy Leake); **Tammy McCullough, Michellene Tipton, Joshua Dowd, Debbie Bogard, James Bogard**, (Jeanne and Josh Taylor).

We pray for those who have died, remembering especially **Fred Gimson**, uncle of John Gimson; **Irmgard Tatic**, friend of Priscilla Davis, **the Rev. Lori Lowe**, friend of Maggie & Tricia, and **the Rev. Suzanne Metz**, friend of Tricia and Joe. ✠

We give thanks for our parish community, especially **Gwen McAlpine & Paul Zimmer; Eileen Zimmer; Beth Zimmerman; and David Abner.** ✠

Vestry 2022 – 2023

Bob Longino, Sr. Warden;
Lynn Hood; Gwen McAlpine; Elizabeth Wong Mark;
Vivian Siggers; Michele Smither;
Justin Camara; Max Changus; Susie Throop

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The Reverend Maggie Harney, Priest Associate
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