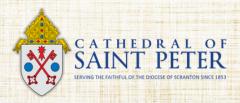


EASTER SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD

# HOLY WEEK

AND EASTER SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD





The people's responses are in **BOLD**.

## **Entrance Hymn**

Jesus Christ is Risen Today

**EASTER HYMN** 



## Greeting

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen. Peace be with you. And with your spirit.



## Collect

Almighty ever living God... Amen.

#### LITURGY OF THE WORD

First Reading

Acts 10:34A, 37-43

A reading from the Acts of the Apostles.

Peter proceeded to speak and said: "You know what has happened all over Judea, beginning in Galilee after the baptism that John preached, how God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and power. He went about doing good and healing all those oppressed by the devil, for God was with him. We are witnesses of all that he did both in the country of the Jews and in Jerusalem. They put him to death by hanging him on a tree. This man God raised on the third day and granted that he be visible, not to all the people, but to us, the witnesses chosen by God in advance, who ate and drank with him after he rose from the dead. He commissioned us to preach to the people and testify that he is the one appointed by God as judge of the living and the dead. To him all the prophets bear witness, that everyone who believes in him will receive forgiveness of sins through his name."

Thanks be to God. The Word of the Lord.

## Responsorial Psalm

Psalm 118: 1-2, 16-17, 22-23

Owen Alstott



A reading from the Letter of Saint Paul to the Colossians.

Brothers and sisters: If then you were raised with Christ, seek what is above, where Christ is seated at the right hand of God. Think of what is above, not of what is on earth. For you have died, and your life is hidden with Christ in God. When Christ your life appears, then you too will appear with him in glory.

The Word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.

-or-

1 Corinthians 5:6B-8

A reading from the First Letter of Saint Paul to the Corinthians.

Brothers and sisters: Do you not know that a little yeast leavens all the dough? Clear out the old yeast, so that you may become a fresh batch of dough, inasmuch as you are unleavened. For our paschal lamb, Christ, has been sacrificed. Therefore, let us celebrate the feast, not with the old yeast, the yeast of malice and wickedness, but with the unleavened bread of sincerity and truth.

The Word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.



## **Gospel Acclamation**

Cf. 1 Cor 5:7b-8a

Festival Alleluia James J. Chepponis



Gospel John 20: 1-9

The Lord be with you. And with your spirit.

A reading from the holy Gospel according to John. Glory to you, O Lord.

On the first day of the week, Mary of Magdala came to the tomb early in the morning, while it was still dark, and saw the stone removed from the tomb. So she ran and went to Simon Peter and to the other disciple whom Jesus loved, and told them, "They have taken the Lord from the tomb, and we don't know where they put him." So Peter and the other disciple went out and came to the tomb. They both ran, but the other disciple ran faster than Peter and arrived at the tomb first; he bent down and saw the burial cloths there, but did not go in. When Simon Peter arrived after him, he went into the tomb and saw the burial cloths there, and the cloth that had covered his head, not with the burial cloths but rolled up in a separate place. Then the other disciple also went in, the one who had arrived at the tomb first, and he saw and believed. For they did not yet understand the Scripture that he had to rise from the dead

The Gospel of the Lord. Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

## Homily

#### THE RENEWAL OF BAPTISMAL PROMISES

Bishop Bambera addresses the faithful so that we may renew the promises of baptismal faith.

Response: I do.

# Sprinkling with Baptismal Water

Springs of Water, Bless the Lord

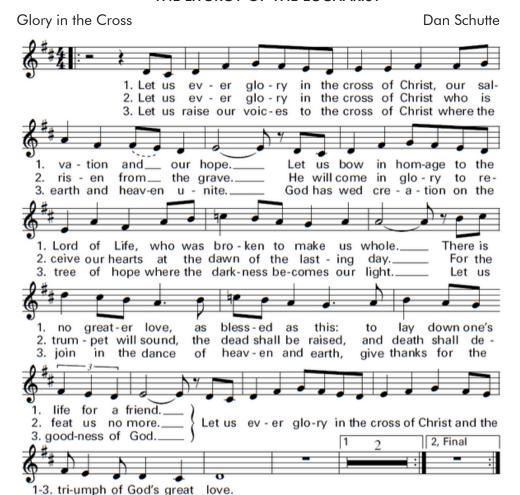
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# The Universal Prayer

We pray to the Lord. Lord, hear our prayer.

#### THE LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST



## Invitation to Prayer

Pray, brothers and sisters, that my sacrifice and yours may be acceptable to God, the almighty Father.

May the Lord accept the sacrifice at your hands for the praise and glory of his name, for our good and the good of all his holy Church.

#### **Preface**

The Lord be with you. And with your spirit.

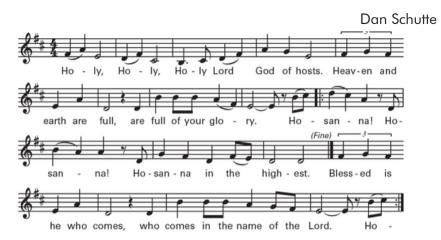
Lift up your hearts. We lift them up to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. It is right and just.

#### **Eucharistic Acclamations**

Mass of Christ the Savior

#### Sanctus



## Memorial Acclamation



#### Amen



#### THE COMMUNION RITE

## The Lord's Prayer

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. Amen.

Deliver us, Lord, we pray, from every evil...and the coming of our Savior, Jesus Christ.

For the kingdom, the power and the glory are yours now and for ever.



Behold the Lamb of God, behold him who takes away the sins of the world. Blessed are those called to the supper of the Lamb.

Lord, I am not worthy that you should enter under my roof, but only say the word and my soul shall be healed.

## An Act of Spiritual Communion

My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.

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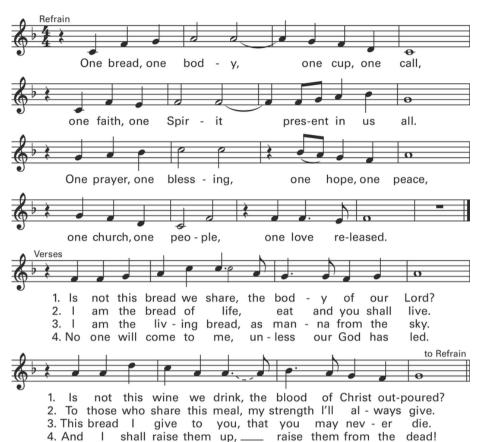
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# Prayer after Communion

## THE CONCLUDING RITES

## Greeting

The Lord be with you. And with your spirit.

Blessed be the name of the Lord. Now and forever.

Our help is in the name of the Lord. Who made heaven and earth.

## **Final Blessing**

May almighty God bless you, the Father, and the Son, and the Holy Spirit.

#### Amen.

## **Recessional Hymn**

Jesus Christ is Risen Today

**EASTER HYMN** 





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