

St. Mary the Virgin Anglican Catholic Parish

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The Second Sunday after the Easter
18 April 2021

Choral Mass with Hymns and Sermon

Processional
Praise to the Lord

Hymn 279
Stralsund Gesangbuch, 1665
The Chorale Book for England, 1863



1. Praise to the Lord, the Al - migh - ty, the King of cre - a - tion;
2. Praise to the Lord, o - ver all things he glo - rious - ly reign-eth;
3. Praise to the Lord, who doth pros - per thy way and de - fend thee;
4. Praise to the Lord! O let all that is in me a - dore him!



O my soul, praise him, for he is thy health and sal - va - tion:
Borne as on ea - gle-wings, safe - ly his saints he sus - tain - eth.
Sure - ly his good - ness and mer - cy shall ev - er at - tend thee;
All that hath breath join with A - bra-ham's seed to a - dore him!



Join the great throng, Psal - ter - y, or - gan, and song,
Hast thou not seen How all thou need - est hath been
Pon - der a - new What the Al - migh - ty can do,
Let the "A - men" Sum all our prai - ses a - gain



Sound - ing in glad a - do - ra - tion. A - men.
Grant - ed in what he or - dain - eth?
Who with his love doth be - friend thee.
Now as we wor - ship be - fore him.

Joachim Neander, 1680; based on Psalms 103 and 150; *Hymnal Version*, 1939

Collect for Purity
Introit
Summary of the Law

BCP 67

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Kyrie Eleison

Hymn 710
Healey Willan, 1928

Lord, have mer-cy up - on us. Lord, have mer-cy up - on us.

Lord, have mer-cy up - on us. Christ, have mer-cy up - on us.

Christ, have mer-cy up - on us. Christ, have mer-cy up - on us.

Lord, have mer-cy up - on us. Lord, have mer-cy up - on us.

Lord, have mer-cy up - on us.

Gloria in Excelsis

Hymn 739
Old Scottish Chant

Glory be to God on high, and on earth peace, good will towards men.

We praise thee, we bless thee, we worship thee,

we glorify thee, we give thanks to thee for thy great glory,

O Lord God, heav'nly King, God the Father Almighty.

O Lord, the only-begotten Son, Jesus Christ;

O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,

that takest away the sins of the world, have mercy up - on us.

Thou that takest away the sins of the world, re - ceive our prayer.

Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Fa-ther, have mercy up-on us.

For thou on - ly art ho - ly; Thou on - ly art the Lord;

Thou only, O Christ, with the Ho-ly Ghost, art most high in the glory of God the Fa - ther.

A - men.

Collect for the Second Sunday after the Easter

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ALMIGHTY God, who hast given thine only Son to be unto us both a sacrifice for sin, and also an ensample of godly life; Give us grace that we may always most thankfully receive that his inestimable benefit, and also daily endeavour ourselves to follow the blessed steps of his most holy life; through the same thy Son Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

The Lesson

Isaiah 40:6-11

The voice said, Cry. And he said, What shall I cry? All flesh is grass, and all the goodness thereof is as the flower of the field: The grass withereth, the flower fadeth: because the spirit of the Lord bloweth upon it: surely the people is grass. The grass withereth, the flower fadeth: but the word of our God shall stand for ever. O Zion, that bringest good tidings, get thee up into the high mountain; O Jerusalem, that bringest good tidings, lift up thy voice with strength; lift it up, be not afraid; say unto the cities of Judah, Behold your God! Behold, the Lord God will come with strong hand, and his arm shall rule for him: behold, his reward is with him, and his work before him. He shall feed his flock like a shepherd: he shall gather the lambs with his arm, and carry them in his bosom, and shall gently lead those that are with young.

Easter Day Canticle

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CHRIST our Passover is sacrificed | for us: * therefore | let us keep the feast,
Not with old leaven, neither with the leaven of malice and wick|edness;
* but with the unleavened bread of sin|cerity and truth. *1 Cor. v. 7.*

CHRIST being raised from the dead dieth | no more; * death hath no more do|minion over him.
For in that he died, he died unto | sin once: * but in that he liveth, he | liveth unto God.
Likewise reckon ye also yourselves to be dead indeed un|to sin,
* but alive unto God through | Jesus Christ our Lord. *Rom. vi. 9.*

CHRIST is risen from | the dead, * and become the first|fruits of them that slept.
For since by man | came death, * by man came also the resur|rection of the dead.
For as in Adam | all die, * even so in Christ shall | all be made alive. *1 Cor. xv. 20.*

Glory be to the Father, and to | the Son, * and | to the Holy Ghost;
As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever | shall be, * world | without end. Amen.

The Epistle

I St. Peter 2:19-25

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THIS is thankworthy, if a man for conscience toward God endure grief, suffering wrongfully. For what glory is it, if, when ye be buffeted for your faults, ye shall take it patiently? but if, when ye do well, and suffer for it, ye take it patiently, this is acceptable with God. For even hereunto were ye called: because Christ also suffered for us, leaving us an example, that ye should follow his steps: who did no sin, neither was guile found in his mouth: who, when he was reviled, reviled not again; when he suffered, he threatened not; but committed himself to him that judgeth righteously: who his own self bare our sins in his own body on the tree, that we, being dead to sins, should live unto righteousness: by whose stripes ye were healed. For ye were as sheep going astray; but are now returned unto the Shepherd and Bishop of your souls.

Alleluia

The Gospel

St. John 10:11-16

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Glo - ry be to thee, O Lord.

JESUS said, I am the good shepherd: the good shepherd giveth his life for the sheep. But he that is an hireling, and not the shepherd, whose own the sheep are not, seeth the wolf coming, and leaveth the sheep, and fleeth: and the wolf catcheth them, and scattereth the sheep. The hireling fleeth, because he is an hireling, and careth not for the sheep. I am the good shepherd; and know my sheep, and am known of mine, even as the Father knoweth me, and I know the Father; and I lay down my life for the sheep. And other sheep I have, which are not of this fold: them also I must bring, and they shall hear my voice; and there shall be one flock, and one shepherd.



Praise - be to thee, O Christ.

Nicene Creed

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I BELIEVE in one God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, And of all things visible and invisible:

And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God; Begotten of his Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, Very God of very God; Begotten, not made; Being of one substance with the Father; By whom all things were made: Who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven, And was incarnate by the Holy Ghost of the Virgin Mary, And was made man: And was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate; He suffered and was buried: And the third day he rose again according to the Scriptures: And ascended into heaven, And sitteth on the right hand of the Father: And he shall come again, with glory, to judge both the quick and the dead; Whose kingdom shall have no end.

And I believe in the Holy Ghost, The Lord, and Giver of Life, Who proceedeth from the Father and the Son; Who with the Father and the Son together is worshipped and glorified; Who spake by the Prophets: And I believe one Catholic and Apostolic Church: I acknowledge one Baptism

for the remission of sins: And I look for the Resurrection of the dead: And the Life of the world to come. *Amen.*

Sermon Hymn
Sicilian Mariners

Hymn 247
Sicilian Melody, pub. 1794



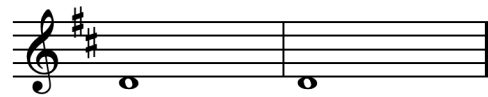
1. Sa - viour like a — shep-herd lead us, Much we need thy ten - der care;
2. Ear - ly let us seek thy fa - vor, Ear - ly let us learn thy will;



In thy plea-sant pas-tures feed us For our use thy folds pre - pare:
Do thou, Lord, our on - ly Sa - vior, With thy love our bo - soms fill:



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



A - men.

Dorothy Ann Thrupp's *Hymns for the Young*, 1836, alt.

Sermon

The Rt. Rev. Anthony F. Rasch

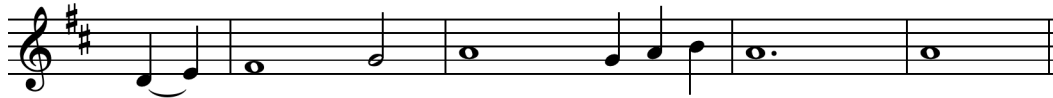
Offertory Sentences and Verse

Offertory Hymn
St. Columba

Hymn 345, 1st Tune
Traditional Irish Melody



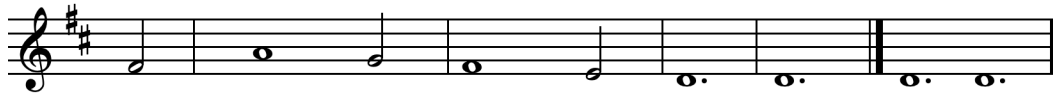
1. The King of love my shep - herd is,
2. Where streams of li - ving wa - ter flow,
3. Per - verse and fool - ish oft I strayed,
4. In death's dark vale I fear no ill
5. Thou spread'st a ta - ble in my sight;
6. And so through all the length of days



Whose good - ness fail - eth ne - ver;
My ran - somed soul he lead - eth,
But yet in love he sought me,
With thee, dear Lord, be - side me;
Thy unc - tion grace be - stow - eth;
Thy good - ness fail - eth ne - ver;



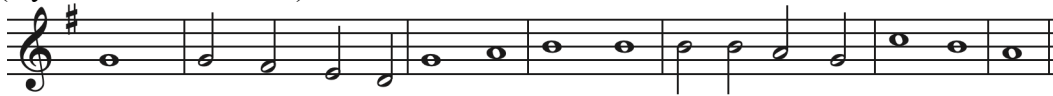
I no - thing lack if I am his,
And where the ver - dant pas - tures grow,
And on his shoul - der gent - ly laid,
Thy rod and staff my com - fort still,
And O what trans - port of de - light
Good Shep - herd, may I sing thy praise



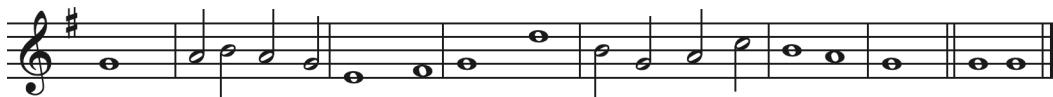
And he is mine for ev - er. A - men.
With food ce - les - tial feed - eth.
And home, re - joi - cing, brought me.
Thy cross be - fore to guide me.
From thy pure cha - lice flow - eth!
With - in thy house for ev - er.

Henry Williams Baker, 1868; based on Psalm 23

Doxology (Hymnal 139, 1st verse)



Praise God, from whom all bless - ings flow; Praise him, all crea - tures here be - low;



Praise him a - bove, ye heav'n - ly host: Praise Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost. A - men.

Bidding Prayers

Orate, Fratres

Celebrant: Brethren, pray that my sacrifice and yours may be acceptable to God the Father Almighty.

People: The Lord receive this sacrifice at thy hands, to the praise and glory of his Name; both to our benefit and that of all his holy Church. *Amen.*

General Confession

ALMIGHTY God, Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, Maker of all things, Judge of all men; We acknowledge and bewail our manifold sins and wickedness, Which we, from time to time, most grievously have committed, By thought, word, and deed, Against thy Divine Majesty, Provoking most justly thy wrath and indignation against us. We do earnestly repent, And are heartily sorry for these our misdoings; The remembrance of them is grievous unto us; The burden of them is intolerable. Have mercy upon us, Have mercy upon us, most merciful Father; For thy Son our Lord Jesus Christ's sake, Forgive us all that is past; And grant that we may ever hereafter Serve and please thee In newness of life, To the honour and glory of thy Name; Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Absolution

The Comfortable Words

Sursum Corda

Priest The Lord be with you. *All* And with thy spirit.

Priest Lift up your hearts

All We lift them up unto the Lord

Priest Let us give thanks unto our Lord God.

All It is meet and right so to do

Preface for Sundays

Sanctus and Benedictus

Hymn 797
Healey Willan, 1928

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - - - ly, Lord God of hosts,
 heav-en and earth are full _____ of thy glo - ry:
 Glo - - - ry be to thee, oh Lord most High.
 Bless - ed _____ is he that com - eth _____ in the
 name _____ of the Lord, Ho - san - na in the _____ high - est.

Prayer of Consecration

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The Lord's Prayer

Hymn 722
Traditional, very ancient

Our Fa-ther, who art in hea-ven, Hal-low-ed be thy Name. Thy king-dom come.
 Thy will be done, On earth as it _____ is _____ in hea - ven. Give us this day our dai-ly bread.
 And for-give us our tres-pass-es, As we for-give those who tres-pass a-gainst us.
 And lead us not in - to temp-ta - tion, But de-liv - er us from e - vil.
 For thine is the king-dom, And the pow'r, and the glo-ry, for ev-er and ev - er.
 A - men. _____

The Peace

Celebrant: The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People: And with thy spirit.

Agnus Dei

Hymn 712

Healey Willan, 1928

O Lamb of God, that ta-kest a-way the sins of the world, have mer-cy up-on us.

O Lamb of God, that ta-kest a-way the sins of the world, have mer-cy up-on us.

O Lamb of God, that ta-kest a-way the sins of the world, grant us thy peace.

Prayer of Humble Access

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Communion Verse

Communion of the Faithful

Celebrant: Behold the Lamb of God; behold Him that taketh away the sins of the world.

People: (3x) Lord, I am not worthy that thou shouldst come under my roof, but speak the word only and my soul shall be healed.

For those attending in person: Please line up in the center aisle, being careful to maintain appropriate distance. You will receive Communion in one species (Host only) into your hands. Please ensure that you have replaced your mask before taking your seat again.

For those attending remotely: Please take a moment of silence to realize the presence of Jesus Christ in your soul and make your spiritual communion.

In union, O Dear Lord, with the faithful at every Altar of Thy Church, where Thy blessed Body and Blood have been offered to the Father, I desire to offer Thee praise and thanksgiving. I present to Thee my soul and body, with the earnest wish that I may ever be united to Thee. And since I cannot now receive Thee sacramentally, I beseech Thee to come spiritually into my heart.

I unite myself to Thee, and embrace Thee with all the affections of my soul. O let nothing ever separate me from Thee. Let me live and die in Thy love. Amen.

Grant, O Lord Jesus Christ, that as the hem of Thy garment, touched in faith, healed the woman who could not touch Thy Body, so the soul of Thy servant may be healed by like faith in Thee, Whom I cannot now sacramentally receive; through Thy tender mercy, Who livest and reignest with the Father in the unity of the Holy Ghost ever one God. Amen.

Communion Hymn

St. Agnes

Hymn 213

John B. Dykes, 1866



1. Shep - herd of souls, re - fresh and bless Thy cho - sen pil - grim flock
2. We would not live by bread a - lone, But by thy 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; Thy Bo - dy and thy Blood,



With man - na in the wil - der-ness, With wa - ter from the rock. A - men.
In strength of which we tra - vel on To our a - bid - ing-place.
Sa - viour, a - bide with us, and spread Thy ta - ble in our heart.
That li - ving bread, that heav'n-ly wine, Be our im - mor - tal food.

James Montgomery, 1825, alt.

Prayer of Thanksgiving

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Almighty and everliving God, we most heartily thank thee, for that thou dost vouchsafe to feed us who have duly received these holy mysteries, with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of thy Son our Saviour Jesus Christ; and dost assure us thereby of thy favour and goodness towards us; and that we are very members incorporate in the mystical body of thy Son, which is the blessed company of all faithful people; and are also heirs through hope of thy everlasting kingdom, by the merits of his most precious death and passion. And we humbly beseech thee, O heavenly Father, so to assist us with thy grace, that we may continue in that holy fellowship, and do all such good works as thou hast prepared for us to walk in; through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom, with thee and the Holy Ghost, be all honour and glory, world without end. *Amen.*

Dismissal and Final Blessing

Retiring Processional:

St. Bees

Hymn 294

John B. Dykes, 1862



1. Sing my soul, his won-drous love, Who, from yon bright throne a - bove,
 2. Heav'n and earth by him were made; All is by his scep - ter swayed;
 3. God, the mer - ci - ful and good, Bought us with the Sa - viour's blood,
 4. Sing, my soul, a - dore his Name! Let his glo - ry be thy theme:



Ev - er watch - ful o'er our race, Still to man ex - tends his grace.
 What are we that he should show So much love to us be - low?
 And, to make our safe - ty sure, Guides us by the Spi - rit God,
 Praise him till he calls thee home; Trust his love for all to come.

Anonymous, 1800

Announcements

Celebrant	The Right Reverend Anthony F. Rasch
Assisting	The Reverend Deacon John Yeager
Acolyte and Lector	Robert Jones
Organist	Patrick Dempsey
Zoom Wrangler	Landon Melamed
Altar Guild	Nancy Eisenhart

Thank you for joining us for this service! Please continue to take care of yourselves and let us know if you need additional prayers or assistance.

Happy Birthday: Gretchen Martin (18 April)
 Sheldon Itzkowitz (23 April)