

St. Mary the Virgin

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The Right Reverend Anthony F. Rasch, Rector

The Rev. Deacon John Yeager, Assisting

The Second Sunday after Easter (“Good Shepherd Sunday”)

14 April 2024

Choral Mass

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

BCP 67

Introit

Summary of the Law

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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.

The musical score for 'Kyrie Eleison' is written in G major (one sharp) and 4/4 time. It consists of five systems of music. Each system has a vocal line and a piano accompaniment line. The lyrics are: '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.'; and '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 wor - ship thee,

we glorify thee, we give thanks to thee for thy great glo - ry,

O Lord God, heav'nly King, God the Father Al - migh - ty.

O Lord, the only-begotten Son, Je - sus Christ;

O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Fa - - - ther,

The musical score for 'Gloria in Excelsis' is written in D minor (two flats) and 4/4 time. It consists of seven systems of music. Each system has a vocal line and a piano accompaniment line. The lyrics are: 'Glory be to God on high, and on earth peace, good will towards men.'; 'We praise thee, we bless thee, we wor - ship thee,'; 'we glorify thee, we give thanks to thee for thy great glo - ry,'; 'O Lord God, heav'nly King, God the Father Al - migh - ty.'; 'O Lord, the only-begotten Son, Je - sus Christ;'; and 'O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Fa - - - ther,'.

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 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.*

Prayer for Our Country

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ALMIGHTY God, who hast given us this good land for our heritage; We humbly beseech thee that we may always prove ourselves a people mindful of thy favour and glad to do thy will. Bless our land with honourable industry, sound learning, and pure manners. Save us from violence, discord, and confusion; from pride and arrogancy, and from every evil way. Defend our liberties, and fashion into one united people the multitudes brought hither out of many kindreds and tongues. Endue with the spirit of wisdom those to whom in thy Name we entrust the authority of government, that there may be justice and peace at home, and that, through obedience to thy law, we may show forth thy praise among the nations of the earth. In the time of prosperity, fill our hearts with thankfulness, and in the day of trouble, suffer not our trust in thee to fail; all which we ask through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

The Lesson

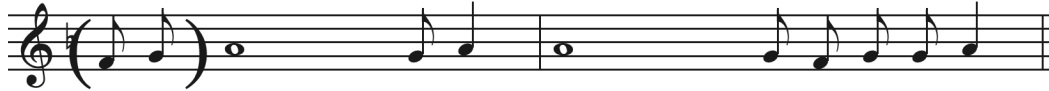
Proverbs 4:1-9

Hear, ye children, the instruction of a father, and attend to know understanding. For I give you good doctrine, forsake ye not my law. For I was my father's son, tender and only beloved in the sight of my mother. He taught me also, and said unto me, Let thine heart retain my words: keep my commandments, and live. Get wisdom, get understanding: forget it not; neither decline from the words of my mouth. Forsake her not, and she shall preserve thee: love her, and she shall keep

thee. Wisdom is the principal thing; therefore get wisdom: and with all thy getting get understanding. Exalt her, and she shall promote thee: she shall bring thee to honour, when thou dost embrace her. She shall give to thine head an ornament of grace: a crown of glory shall she deliver to thee.

Easter Day Canticle

Hymn 683/BCP 162



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

1 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.

Gradual and Alleluia

The Gospel

St. John 10:11-16

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Glo - ry be to thee, O Lord.

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.*

Announcements

Sermon Hymn

Hymn **403**

Liebster Jesu

Johann Rudolph Ahle, 1664



1. Book of ___ books, our peo - ple's strength, States - man's, teach - er's, he - ro's
2. Thank we ___ those who toiled in thought, Ma - ny di - verse scrolls com -
3. Praise we ___ God, who hath in - spired Those whose wis - dom still di -



treasure, Bring - ing ___ free - dom, spread - ing truth, Shed - ding light that none can
ple - ting, Po - ets, ___ pro - phets, schol - ars, saints, Each his word from God re -
rectus; Praise him ___ for the Word made flesh, For the Spi - rit which pro -



mea - sure; Wis - dom comes to those who know thee,
peat - ing; Till they came, who told the sto - ry
fects us. Light of know - ledge, ev - er burn - ing,



All the best we have we owe thee. A - men.
Of the Word, and showed his glo - ry.
Shed on us thy death - less learn - ing.

Percy Dearmer, 1925

Sermon

The Rt. Rev. Anthony F. Rasch

Offertory Verse and Sentences

Offertory Hymn
 Dominus Regit Me

Hymn 345, 2nd Tune
 John B. Dykes, 1868



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



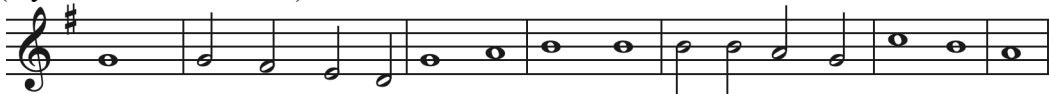
good - ness fail - eth ne - ver; I no - thing lack if
 ran - somed soul he lead - eth, And where the ver - dant
 yet in love he sought me, And on his shoul - der
 thee, dear Lord, be - side me; Thy rod and staff my
 unc - tion grace be - stow - eth; And O what trans - port
 good - ness fail - eth ne - ver: Good Shep - herd, may I



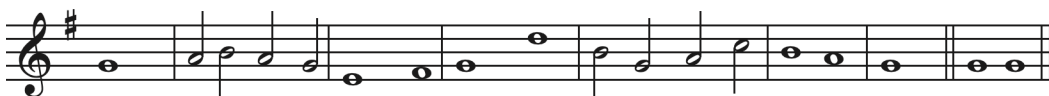
I am his, And he is mine for ev - er. A - men.
 pas - tures grow, With food ce - les - tial feed - eth.
 gent - ly laid, And home, re - joi - cing, brought me.
 com - fort still, Thy cross be - fore to guide me.
 of de - light From thy pure cha - lice flow - eth!
 sing thy praise With - in thy house 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 above, ye heav'n - ly host: Praise Father, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost. Amen.

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.*

Prayer for the Whole State of Christ's Church

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General Confession

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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

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The Comfortable Words

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Sursum Corda

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The *Priest* 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

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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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Celebrant: Let us pray : And now, as our Saviour Christ hath taught us, we are bold to say:
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 Fracture

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

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, we have resumed the custom of kneeling or standing at the Altar Rail to Receive. Here are the various Ways of Receiving:

- 1. Receive the Host into your hands, or directly onto the tongue.
Receive directly from the Chalice, guiding it gently by the base.*
- 2. Receive by Intinction, receiving the Host into your hands and leaving it there; the Deacon will take it and dip it in the Chalice and place it onto your tongue.*
- 3. You may receive only the Host of itself, either in your hands or on your tongue. Our Lord is equally present in either Form.*

As a precaution and courtesy to others and for your own safety, we respectfully request that in the event you are currently suffering from a cold or other communicable illness, please refrain from receiving from the Chalice.

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

Edsall

Hymn 207, 1st Tune

George Henry Day, 1940



1. Come, ris - en Lord, and deign to be our guest; Nay, let us be thy
2. We meet, as in that up - per room they met; Thou at the ta - ble,
3. One bo - dy we, one Bo - dy who par - take, One Church u - ni - ted
4. One with each o - ther, Lord, for one in thee, Who art one Sa - viour



guests; the feast is thine; Thy - self at thine own board make man - i - fest
bless - ing, yet dost stand; "This is my Bo - dy"; so thou giv - est yet:
in com - mun - ion blest; One name we bear, one Bread of life we break,
and one li - ving Head; Then o - pen thou our eyes, that we may see;



In this our Sac - ra - ment of Bread and Wine. A - men.
Faith still re - ceives the cup as from thy hand.
With all thy saints on earth and saints at rest.
Be known to us in break - ing of the Bread.

George Wallace Briggs, 1933

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.*

Communion Verse and Post-Communion Prayers

Dismissal

Episcopal Blessing

Bishop: Blessed be the name of the Lord

People: From this time forth forever more.

Bishop: Our help is in the name of the Lord

People: Who hath made heaven and earth.

Bishop: The Peace of God, which passeth all understanding, keep your hearts and minds in the knowledge and love of God, and of his Son Jesus Christ our Lord: And the ✠Blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Ghost, be amongst you, and remain with you always. *Amen.*

Retiring Processional:

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.

Announcements

Celebrant	The Right Reverend Anthony F. Rasch
Assisting	The Reverend Deacon John Yeager
Epistoler	Robert Jones
Lector	
Acolyte	Tony Shehata
Acolyte in Training	Robert Yeager
Zoom Wrangler	Landon Melamed
Altar Guild	Gretchen Martin

Midweek Mass will be celebrated this week on Wednesday at 10 am (2nd Sunday after Easter).

Happy Birthday!

Nico Gressis (13 April)

Gretchen Martin (18 April)

Happy 27th Wedding Anniversary – Ken & Beth Kubo (12 April)

Happy 57th Wedding Anniversary – Deacon & Jackie Yeager (15 April)

We wish to thank Deacon Yeager for officiating at last Sunday's 'Deacon's Mass.' We are truly blessed to have his Assistance at the Altar and for his Preaching of the Word.

Today: The Vestry meets following the Coffee Fellowship.

The First Quarter Missionary Mite Box Offering will be collected during April.

Several members who attended the Lenten Wednesdays Evenings during which we studied the book, *Women of the Bible – Speak* expressed a desire to continue our study until completion of the book, and suggested we meet after Coffee Fellowship on two Sundays per month until completion. We will need to schedule dates on which to meet.