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THE THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

# *welcome!*

We are a community of believers seeking and sharing life in Christ through ancient-future faith. We consider it a great privilege to worship the Lord with you today. In fact, your presence today is a gift from God. Please let us know if we can do anything to help you feel at home.

## CHILDCARE

Childcare is available for children age 2 and under in the nursery, located in the classroom on the right upon entering the lobby.

Children age 3 through 5<sup>th</sup> grade will be dismissed to Godly Play after the Collect for Purity and will return prior to Communion.

## WE'D LOVE TO MEET YOU

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WELCOME

OPENING ACCLAMATION

Celebrant: Alleluia. Christ is risen.

**People: The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia.**

THE PROCESSION

***“For Your Glory Alone”***

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**CHORUS 1**

Let Your vict'ries be recounted

Let Your mighty deeds be sung

Let Your greatness be exalted

For Your glory alone

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**VERSE 1**

For ev'ry heart Your cross redeemed

For ev'ry triumph over sin

For ev'ry time You gave us strength

For ev'ry time Your love broke in

For ev'ry time You spared us

And delivered us from death

For ev'ry escape from Satan's snares

**VERSE 2**

For ev'ry slave Your pow'r has freed

For ev'ry sickness You have healed

For ev'ry taste of heaven's joy

And for Your wondrous love revealed

For grace that's working in us

And bringing forth good fruit

For forming in us Your glorious Son

***“Yet Not I But Through Christ In Me”***

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**VERSE 1**

What gift of grace is Jesus my redeemer  
There is no more for heaven now to give  
He is my joy my righteousness and freedom  
My steadfast love my deep and boundless peace  
To this I hold my hope is only Jesus  
For my life is wholly bound to his  
Oh how strange and divine I can sing all is mine  
Yet not I but through Christ in me

**VERSE 2**

The night is dark but I am not forsaken  
For by my side the Saviour he will stay  
I labour on in weakness and rejoicing  
For in my need his power is displayed  
To this I hold my Shepherd will defend me  
Through the deepest valley he will lead  
Oh the night has been won and I shall overcome  
Yet not I but through Christ in me

**VERSE 3**

No fate I dread I know I am forgiven  
The future sure the price it has been paid  
For Jesus bled and suffered for my pardon  
And he was raised to overthrow the grave  
To this I hold my sin has been defeated  
Jesus now and ever is my plea  
Oh the chains are released I can sing I am free  
Yet not I but through Christ in me

**VERSE 4**

With every breath I long to follow Jesus  
For he has said that he will bring me home  
And day by day I know he will renew me  
Until I stand with joy before the throne

To this I hold my hope is only Jesus  
All the glory evermore to him  
When the race is complete still my lips shall repeat  
Yet not I but through Christ in me

**ENDING**

When the race is complete still my lips shall repeat  
Yet not I but through Christ in me  
Yet not I but through Christ in me

**COLLECT FOR PURITY**

**Almighty God, you bring to light things hidden in darkness, and know the shadows of our hearts: Cleanse and renew us by your Spirit, that we may walk in the light and glorify your name, through Jesus Christ, the Light of the world. Amen.**

*Please be seated.*

**THE DISMISSAL OF CHILDREN (3 YEAR-OLDS THROUGH 5TH GRADE)**

***“Completely Done”***

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**CHORUS 1**

The old is gone the new has come  
What You complete is completely done  
We're heirs with Christ the victory won  
What You complete is completely done

**VERSE 1**

What reason have I to doubt  
Why would I dwell in fear  
When all I have known is grace  
My future in Christ is clear

**VERSE 2**

My sins have been paid in full  
There's no condemnation here  
I live in the good of this  
My Father has brought me near  
I'm leaving my fears behind me now

### VERSE 3

I don't know what lies ahead  
What if I fail again  
You are my confidence  
You'll keep me to the end  
I'm leaving my fears behind me now

### THE FIRST LESSON

Liturgist: *A reading from Acts 4:5-14.*

<sup>5</sup>The next day their rulers, elders, and scribes assembled in Jerusalem, <sup>6</sup>with Annas the high priest, Caiaphas, John, and Alexander, and all who were of the high-priestly family. <sup>7</sup>When they had made the prisoners stand in their midst, they inquired, "By what power or by what name did you do this?" <sup>8</sup>Then Peter, filled with the Holy Spirit, said to them, "Rulers of the people and elders, <sup>9</sup>if we are questioned today because of a good deed done to someone who was sick and are asked how this man has been healed, <sup>10</sup>let it be known to all of you, and to all the people of Israel, that this man is standing before you in good health by the name of Jesus Christ of Nazareth, whom you crucified, whom God raised from the dead. <sup>11</sup>This Jesus is 'the stone that was rejected by you, the builders; it has become the cornerstone.' <sup>12</sup>There is salvation in no one else, for there is no other name under heaven given among mortals by which we must be saved." <sup>13</sup>Now when they saw the boldness of Peter and John and realized that they were uneducated and ordinary men, they were amazed and recognized them as companions of Jesus. <sup>14</sup>When they saw the man who had been cured standing beside them, they had nothing to say in opposition.

Liturgist: The Word of the Lord.

**People: Thanks be to God.**

### PSALM

Liturgist: *A reading from Psalm 98:1-5.*

- <sup>1</sup> O sing to the LORD a new song, for he has done marvelous things. \*  
His right hand and his holy arm have gotten him victory.
- <sup>2</sup> The LORD has made known his victory; \*  
he has revealed his vindication in the sight of the nations.
- <sup>3</sup> He has remembered his steadfast love and faithfulness to the house of Israel. \*  
All the ends of the earth have seen the victory of our God.
- <sup>4</sup> Make a joyful noise to the LORD, all the earth; \*  
break forth into joyous song and sing praises.

<sup>5</sup> Sing praises to the LORD with the lyre, \*  
with the lyre and the sound of melody.

## THE SECOND LESSON

Liturgist: *A reading from 1 John 1:1-2:2.*

<sup>1</sup>We declare to you what was from the beginning, what we have heard, what we have seen with our eyes, what we have looked at and touched with our hands, concerning the word of life — <sup>2</sup>this life was revealed, and we have seen it and testify to it, and declare to you the eternal life that was with the Father and was revealed to us — <sup>3</sup>we declare to you what we have seen and heard so that you also may have fellowship with us; and truly our fellowship is with the Father and with his Son Jesus Christ. <sup>4</sup>We are writing these things so that our joy may be complete. <sup>5</sup>This is the message we have heard from him and proclaim to you, that God is light and in him there is no darkness at all. <sup>6</sup>If we say that we have fellowship with him while we are walking in darkness, we lie and do not do what is true; <sup>7</sup>but if we walk in the light as he himself is in the light, we have fellowship with one another, and the blood of Jesus his Son cleanses us from all sin. <sup>8</sup>If we say that we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. <sup>9</sup>If we confess our sins, he who is faithful and just will forgive us our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness. <sup>10</sup>If we say that we have not sinned, we make him a liar, and his word is not in us. <sup>2:1</sup>My little children, I am writing these things to you so that you may not sin. But if anyone does sin, we have an advocate with the Father, Jesus Christ the righteous; <sup>2</sup>and he is the atoning sacrifice for our sins, and not for ours only but also for the sins of the whole world.

Liturgist: The Word of the Lord.

**People: Thanks be to God.**

## THE GOSPEL PROCESSION

*Please stand and sing.*

**“Forever”**

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### BRIDGE

We sing hallelujah, we sing hallelujah

We sing hallelujah, the Lamb has overcome

We sing hallelujah, we sing hallelujah

We sing hallelujah, the Lamb has overcome

## THE GOSPEL READING

*The Gospel reading today is from Luke 24:36-49.*

Celebrant: The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke.

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

<sup>36</sup> While they were talking about this, Jesus himself stood among them and said to them, “Peace be with you.” <sup>37</sup> They were startled and terrified, and thought that they were seeing a ghost. <sup>38</sup> He said to them, “Why are you frightened, and why do doubts arise in your hearts? <sup>39</sup> Look at my hands and my feet; see that it is I myself. Touch me and see; for a ghost does not have flesh and bones as you see that I have.” <sup>40</sup> And when he had said this, he showed them his hands and his feet. <sup>41</sup> While in their joy they were disbelieving and still wondering, he said to them, “Have you anything here to eat?” <sup>42</sup> They gave him a piece of broiled fish, <sup>43</sup> and he took it and ate in their presence. <sup>44</sup> Then he said to them, “These are my words that I spoke to you while I was still with you — that everything written about me in the law of Moses, the prophets, and the psalms must be fulfilled.” <sup>45</sup> Then he opened their minds to understand the scriptures, <sup>46</sup> and he said to them, “Thus it is written, that the Messiah is to suffer and to rise from the dead on the third day, <sup>47</sup> and that repentance and forgiveness of sins is to be proclaimed in his name to all nations, beginning from Jerusalem. <sup>48</sup> You are witnesses of these things. <sup>49</sup> And see, I am sending upon you what my Father promised; so stay here in the city until you have been clothed with power from on high.”

## THE HOLY GOSPEL

Celebrant: The Holy Gospel of the Lord.

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

*Please be seated.*

## HOMILY

*Please stand.*

## 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: by the power of the Holy Spirit he became incarnate from 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. With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified. He 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 be seated.*

#### PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Leader: With all our heart and with all our mind, let us pray to the Lord, saying

"Lord, have mercy."

For the peace of the world, for the welfare of the Holy Church of God, and for the unity of all peoples, let us pray to the Lord.

**Lord, have mercy.**

For our Bishops, and for all the clergy and people, let us pray to the Lord.

**Lord, have mercy.**

For our President, for the leaders of the nations, and for all in authority, let us pray to the Lord.

**Lord, have mercy.**

For this city, for every city and community, and for those who live in them, let us pray to the Lord.

**Lord, have mercy.**

For the good earth which God has given us, and for the wisdom and will to conserve it, let us pray to the Lord.

**Lord, have mercy.**

For the aged and infirm, for the widowed and orphans, and for the sick and the suffering, let us pray to the Lord.

**Lord, have mercy.**

For the poor and the oppressed, for the unemployed and the destitute, for prisoners and captives, and for all who remember and care for them, let us pray to the Lord.

**Lord, have mercy.**

For all who have died in the hope of the resurrection, and for all the departed, let us pray to the Lord.

**Lord, have mercy.**

For deliverance from all danger, violence, oppression, and degradation, let us pray to the Lord.

**Lord, have mercy.**

That we may end our lives in faith and hope, without suffering and without reproach, let us pray to the Lord.

**Lord, have mercy.**

In the communion of all the saints, let us commend ourselves, and one another, and all our life, to Christ our God.

**To thee, O Lord our God.**

*The People may add their own petitions*

THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

**Almighty God, you gave your only Son to be for us both a sacrifice for sin and an example of godly living: Give us grace thankfully to receive his inestimable benefits, and daily to follow the blessed steps of his most holy life; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.**

THE CONFESSION OF SIN

Celebrant: Let us humbly confess our sins to Almighty God.

**Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your Name. Amen.**

Celebrant: Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. Amen.

*Please stand.*

THE PEACE

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

**People: And also with you.**

*Please be seated.*

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### THE WORDS OF INSTITUTION

Celebrant: On the night that he was betrayed, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying, “Take, eat; this is my Body which is given for you: Do this in remembrance of me.”

Likewise, after supper, Jesus took the cup, and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, saying, “Drink this, all of you; for 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 in remembrance of me.”

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

**Christ has died.**

**Christ is risen.**

**Christ will come again.**

### THE MINISTRATION OF COMMUNION

Celebrant: The gifts of God for the people of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith with thanksgiving.

*We invite you to take advantage of several opportunities:*

All baptized Christians of any age are welcome and encouraged to receive communion. Gluten-free wafers are available; grape juice is available from our acolyte. Please place your empty cup in the trash receptacle near the offering basket as you return to your seat. We ask that households maintain social distance with one another when coming forward to receive the sacrament.

### COMMUNION HYMN

#### ***“Turn Your Eyes”***

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#### **VERSE 1**

Turn your eyes upon Jesus  
Look full in His wonderful face  
And the things of earth will grow strangely dim  
In the light of His glory and grace

**VERSE 2**

Turn your eyes to the hillside  
Where justice and mercy embrace  
There the Son of God gave His life for us  
And our measureless debt was erased

**CHORUS 1**

Jesus to You we lift our eyes  
Jesus our glory and our prize  
We adore You behold You our Savior ever true  
Oh Jesus we turn our eyes to You

**VERSE 3**

Turn your eyes to the morning  
And see Christ the lion awake  
What a glorious dawn fear of death is gone  
For we carry His life in our veins

**VERSE 4**

Turn your eyes to the heavens  
Our King will return for His own  
Every knee will bow every tongue will shout  
All glory to Jesus alone

**THE DOXOLOGY**

*Please stand and sing.*

***“Doxology”***

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**INTRO:**

Praise God from whom all blessings flow  
Praise Him all creatures here below  
Praise Him above ye heav'nly hosts  
Praise Father Son and Holy Ghost  
Amen

**THE POST-COMMUNION PRAYER**

**Almighty and ever-living God, we thank you for feeding us with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and for assuring us in**

**these holy mysteries that we are living members of the Body of your Son, and heirs of your eternal kingdom. And now, Father, send us out to do the work you have given us to do, to love and serve you as faithful witnesses of Christ our Lord. To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit, be honor and glory, now and forever. Amen.**

#### THE BLESSING

Celebrant: The peace of God, which passes 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 Spirit, be among you, and remain with you always. Amen.

#### THE HYMN IN RECEPTION

##### ***“Christ Will Be My Hideaway”***

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#### VERSE 1

I will dwell within the shelter  
Of the God Who reigns above  
I will rest beneath the shadow  
Of the mighty King of love  
Though a sickness hides in darkness  
Though a plague destroys by day  
I will stand upon His promises  
Christ will be my hideaway

#### CHORUS 1

In You my God I trust  
You are strong and here with us  
In You my hope remains  
Christ will be my hideaway

#### VERSE 2

Angels gather to protect me  
When they hear my Savior call  
Sovereign hands are ever ready  
To uphold me should I fall  
Safe beneath His wings of refuge

All my fears are kept at bay  
I am shielded by His faithfulness  
Christ will be my hideaway

**VERSE 3**

Though a thousand fall around me  
Though death looks me in the eye  
Evil shall not have the vict'ry  
While the Lord is at my side  
God in power raised my Savior  
I no longer fear the grave  
Through this fragile life and evermore  
Christ will be my hideaway

**SENDING FORTH**

**Celebrant:** Go in peace to love and serve the Lord. Alleluia, alleluia.

**People:** **Thanks be to God. Alleluia, alleluia.**