

EASTER SUNDAY

March 31, 2024

GATHERING: *Litany of Welcome*

Yes, you belong to us, for you belong to Christ!
With Christ we welcome you as part of his Body!

GLORIA: *Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people of good will!*

LITURGY OF THE WORD – see [Readings](#)

Responsorial Psalm 118: Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

1. This is the day the Lord has made. Let us rejoice, be glad, and sing!
Thanks and praise to our God for his mercy endures forevermore.
2. The right hand of God has come with power. The Lord our God is lifted high.
I shall not die, but I shall live and rejoice in the works of the Lord.
3. The stone which the builders once denied has become the cornerstone.
By the Lord has this been done. It had brought wonders to our eyes.

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Renewal of Baptism Promises: *Say “I do!”*

Prayer of the Faithful: *You may un-mute and share your prayers.*

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

Preparation of the Gifts *All Things New*

Refrain: Sing a new song! Rejoice! The dawn is breaking, the earth is waking,
its dreams come true. And do you hear the voice, darkness surprising,
sing in its rising: “See, I’m making all things new!”

1. Whom shall we live for? Whose mighty hand made the moon, the sun and stars on high?
Who made a way for us through water and the sand, brought us out of slavery
and fed us from the sky?
2. Who found us wanderers and made us into one? Who is ever near with strength to save?
Whose love adopted us as daughters and as sons, family to the Firstborn
who is risen from the grave?
3. Who is known to every heart and called by many names? Who has called the lowly ones
“My own”? Breathes a dream of justice into us like tongues of flame?
Who is tender mercy? Only God and God alone.

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Spiritual Communion Prayer

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.

Communion Song:

Resucito

Resucitó, resucitó, resucitó, aleluya.

Aleluya, aleluya, aleluya, resucitó.

1. And death now, vanished is the fear now,
banished are my tears now, death has passed away.
2. The kingdom, praise to God, the kingdom!
Raised up to the kingdom, we shall live in love.
3. Our gladness, blissful in our gladness,
this will be our gladness, that he is alive.
4. With him then, die and live with him then,
rise and sing our hymn then, sing alleluia.

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Solemn Dismissal: *“Go in peace, Alleluia! Alleluia!”*

“Thanks be to God, Alleluia! Alleluia!”

Sending Forth Song

Jesus Christ Is Risen Today

1. Jesus Christ is ris'n today, Alleluia! our triumphant holy day, Alleluia!
Who did once upon the cross, Alleluia! suffer to redeem our loss. Alleluia!
2. Hymns of praise then let us sing, Alleluia! unto Christ our heav'nly King, Alleluia!
who endured the cross and grave, Alleluia! sinners to redeem and save. Alleluia!
3. But the pains which he endured, Alleluia! our salvation have procured; Alleluia!
now above the sky he's King, Alleluia! where the angels ever sing. Alleluia!