

FEAST OF THE RESURRECTION

April 5, 2026

8AM Low Mass | 10AM High Mass

TRINITY CHURCH

Worship in the Beauty of Holiness ✠ Service and Hospitality in the Name of Christ

THE HOLY EUCHARIST

PROCESSION AND LITURGY OF THE WORD

☞ *Please stand as you are able and join us in singing the hymns, prayers which reflect on the theological themes of the day and season, and can be found in the blue hymnal in your pew, ordered by the numbers listed in the bulletin below. Service music can be found in the paper booklet in your pew.*

Celebrant: Let us go forth in peace, alleluia!

People: *In the name of Christ, alleluia!*

PROCESSIONAL HYMN *Jesus Christ is risen today!* Hymn 207

GLORIA (*found in service music booklet*).

OPENING ACCLAMATION

Celebrant: Alleluia! Christ is risen!

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

COLLECT OF THE DAY

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

People: *And also with you.*

Celebrant: Let us pray.

O God, who for our redemption gave your only-begotten Son to the death of the cross, and by his glorious resurrection delivered us from the power of our enemy: Grant us so to die daily to sin, that we may ever more live with him in the joy of his resurrection; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. *Amen.*

All may be seated.

A Reading from the Acts of the Apostles

Then Peter began to speak to them: ‘I truly understand that God shows no partiality, but in every nation anyone who fears him and does what is right is acceptable to him. You know the message he sent to the people of Israel, preaching peace by Jesus Christ—he is Lord of all. That message spread throughout Judea, beginning in Galilee after the baptism that John announced: how God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and with power; how he went about doing good and healing all who were oppressed by the devil, for God was with him. We are witnesses to all that he did both in Judea and in Jerusalem. They put him to death by hanging him on a tree; but God raised him on the third day and allowed him to appear, not to all the people but to us who were chosen by God as witnesses, and who ate and drank with him after he rose from the dead. He commanded us to preach to the people and to testify that he is the one ordained by God as judge of the living and the dead. All the prophets testify about him that everyone who believes in him receives forgiveness of sins through his name.’

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

People: *Thanks be to God.*

PSALM 118:1-2, 14-24

Confitemini Domino

- 1 Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good, *
and his mercy endures for ever.
- 2 Let Israel now proclaim, *
“His mercy endures for ever.”
- 14 The Lord is my strength and my song, *
and he has become my salvation.
- 15 There is a sound of exultation and victory *
in the tents of the righteous:
- 16 “The right hand of the Lord has triumphed! *
the right hand of the Lord is exalted!
the right hand of the Lord has triumphed!”
- 17 I shall not die, but live, *
and declare the works of the Lord.
- 18 The Lord has punished me sorely, *
but he did not hand me over to death.
- 19 Open for me the gates of righteousness, *
I will enter them;
I will offer thanks to the Lord.

- 20 “This is the gate of the Lord; *
he who is righteous may enter.”
- 21 I will give thanks to you, for you answered me, *
and have become my salvation
- 22 The same stone which the builders rejected *
has become the chief cornerstone.
- 23 This is the Lord’s doing, *
and it is marvelous in our eyes.
- 24 On this day the Lord has acted; *
we will rejoice and be glad in it.

SECOND READING

Colossians 3:1-4

A reading from the letter of St. Paul to the Colossians.

If you have been raised with Christ, seek the things that are above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God. Set your minds on things that are above, not on things that are on earth, for you have died, and your life is hidden with Christ in God. When Christ who is your life is revealed, then you also will be revealed with him in glory.

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

People: *Thanks be to God.*

SEQUENCE HYMN

Lord of all being, throned afar

Hymn 419

GREAT ALLELUIA

The Great Alleluia of Easter is repeated 3 times.

V: Al- le- lu- ia, al- le- lu ia, al- le- lu ia!

R: Al- le- lu- ia, al- le- lu ia, al- le- lu- ia!

HOLY GOSPEL

John 20:1-18

Celebrant: ✠ The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to St. John
People: *Glory to you, Lord Christ.*

Early on the first day of the week, while it was still dark, Mary Magdalene came to the tomb and saw that the stone had been removed from the tomb. So she ran and went to Simon Peter and the other disciple, the one whom Jesus loved, and said to them, 'They have taken the Lord out of the tomb, and we do not know where they have laid him.' Then Peter and the other disciple set out and went toward the tomb. The two were running together, but the other disciple outran Peter and reached the tomb first. He bent down to look in and saw the linen wrappings lying there, but he did not go in. Then Simon Peter came, following him, and went into the tomb. He saw the linen wrappings lying there, and the cloth that had been on Jesus' head, not lying with the linen wrappings but rolled up in a place by itself. Then the other disciple, who reached the tomb first, also went in, and he saw and believed; for as yet they did not understand the scripture, that he must rise from the dead. Then the disciples returned to their homes. But Mary stood weeping outside the tomb. As she wept, she bent over to look into the tomb; and she saw two angels in white, sitting where the body of Jesus had been lying, one at the head and the other at the feet. They said to her, 'Woman, why are you weeping?' She said to them, 'They have taken away my Lord, and I do not know where they have laid him.' When she had said this, she turned around and saw Jesus standing there, but she did not know that it was Jesus. Jesus said to her, 'Woman, why are you weeping? Whom are you looking for?' Supposing him to be the gardener, she said to him, 'Sir, if you have carried him away, tell me where you have laid him, and I will take him away.' Jesus said to her, 'Mary!' She turned and said to him in Hebrew, 'Rabbouni!' (which means Teacher). Jesus said to her, 'Do not hold on to me, because I have not yet ascended to the Father. But go to my brothers and say to them, 'I am ascending to my Father and your Father, to my God and your God.'" Mary Magdalene went and announced to the disciples, 'I have seen the Lord'; and she told them that he had said these things to her.

Celebrant: The Gospel of the Lord.
People: *Praise to you, Lord Christ.*

All may be seated.

HOMILY

Fr. Raul, Rector

All stand as are able.

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.*

PRAYER BIDDINGS

☞ **The Church:** Pray for *Sarah*, Archbishop of Canterbury, for *Sean*, our Presiding Bishop, and *Carlye*, our Bishop, and for all the Anglican Communion. Pray for *Leo*, Bishop of Rome, and our siblings in the Roman Church. Pray for *Bartholomew*, Patriarch of Constantinople, and our siblings in the Orthodox Churches. Pray for all of Christ's Holy Catholic Church. Pray for our Parish, our Wardens and Vestry, for *Gia*, our Director of Music, *Karen*, our Treasurer, *Lana*, our Administrator, and *Laura*, our Sexton, for all who serve and minister here and for all who come to this place to seek God. Pray for God's help as we seek to spread his Gospel, grow his Church, and serve him in our various ministries. In our Anglican Cycle of Prayer, pray for the peace of Jerusalem; in our Diocesan Cycle of Prayer, pray for the Church of St. Andrew & Holy Communion in South Orange. In a special way, let us hold in prayer our Christian siblings in the Holy Land, Lebanon, Nigeria, and in every place where Christ's Church is persecuted.

☞ **The Nation & the World:** Pray for *Donald*, President of the United States, for the Congress, and for the Supreme Court, for *Mikie* our Governor, and *Amy* our Mayor. Pray for peace and justice in our Nation, and for the relief of all who are vulnerable and afraid, for the hungry, the poor, and the captive. Pray for all who have died by State violence or in detention. Pray for the peoples and nations of the world, especially for peace in Ukraine, Nigeria, Iran, the Middle East, Venezuela, Ecuador, and Cuba. Pray for the people of Palestine and for an end to all genocide. Pray for an end to violence and war, that all peoples and nations may be gathered together under the banner of the Prince of Peace.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE (FORM III)

Father, we pray for your Holy Catholic Church;
That we all may be one.

Grant that every member of the Church may truly and humbly serve you;
That your name may be glorified by all people.

We pray for all bishops, priests, and deacons;
That they may be faithful ministers of your Word and Sacraments.

We pray for all who govern and hold authority in the nations of the world;
That there may be justice and peace on the earth.

Give us grace to do your will in all that we undertake;
That our works may find favor in your sight.

Have compassion on those who suffer from any grief or trouble, especially *Nicole*, *Martie*, *Michael*, *Jim*, *Bridget*, *Ed*, *Joanne*, *Lynette*, *Jana*, *Margie*, *Russ*, *Ed*, *Carol*, *Nancy*, *Bob*, *Debby*, *Michael*, *Deirdre*, *Mandy*, *Jacqui*, *Braden*, *Lydia*, *Tom*, *Rich*, *Bruce*, *Marilyn*, *Wayne*, *Joe* and *Donna*;
That they may be delivered from their distress.

We pray for all service members, including Nick, Jason, Elizabeth, Quintin and Matt, and canines that are serving in this country's armed services.

That they may be shielded and guided, and safely brought home.

We offer our prayers of thanksgiving and supplication to you, lifting up our petitions and praises either silently or aloud. *A brief pause is held for the offering of prayers.*

Give to the departed eternal rest ☩;

Let light perpetual shine upon them.

We praise you for your saints who have entered into joy;

May we also come to share in your heavenly kingdom.

The Celebrant concludes:

O God of unchangeable power and eternal light: Look favorably on your whole Church, and especially on this parish community. As we prepare for a time of change, remind us that you are the Shepherd who ever watches over his flock. Bless our Vestry and Leadership with clarity of mind and unity of spirit as they discern the path ahead. Quiet our anxieties, strengthen our faith, and help us to trust that you are already at work among us. May we walk this next leg of our journey not with trepidation, but in the certainty of your abiding love; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

All kneel for the confession.

CONFESSION OF SIN

Celebrant: Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

ALL: *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 our 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.**

All stand after the absolution.

THE PEACE

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

People: **And also with you.**

All may share with one another a sign of peace.

THE LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

All may be seated.

ANNOUNCEMENTS & OFFERTORY SENTENCE

All stand.

OFFERTORY HYMN

He is risen!

Hymn 180

During the offertory hymn, you are invited to bring forward your offering for the support of Christ's Holy Church and place it in the plate in front of the altar.

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

Prayer B



The Lord be with you. **And al- so with you.** Lift up your
hearts. **We lift them to the Lord.** Let us give thanks to
the Lord our God. **It is right to give him thanks and praise.**

The Celebrant continues

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth;

But chiefly are we bound to praise you for the glorious resurrection of your Son Jesus Christ our Lord; for he is the true Paschal Lamb, who was sacrificed for us, and has taken away the sin of the world. By his death he has destroyed death, and by his rising to life again he has won for us everlasting life.

Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your name:

SANCTUS (*found in service music booklet*).

All kneel as the Celebrant continues,

We give thanks to you, O God, for the goodness and love which you have made known to us in creation; in the calling of Israel to be your people; in your Word spoken through the prophets; and above all in the Word made flesh, Jesus, your Son.

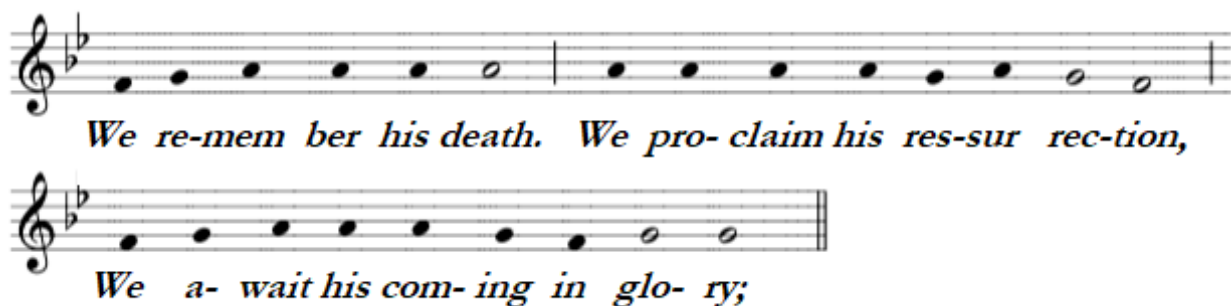
For in these last days you sent him to be incarnate from the Virgin Mary, to be the Savior and Redeemer of the world.

In him, you have delivered us from evil, and made us worthy to stand before you. In him, you have brought us out of error into truth, out of sin into righteousness, out of death into life.

On the night before he died for us, Our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and give it to his disciples, and said, “TAKE, EAT: THIS IS MY BODY, WHICH IS GIVEN FOR YOU. DO THIS FOR THE REMEMBRANCE OF ME.”

After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, “DRINK THIS, ALL OF YOU: 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 FOR THE REMEMBRANCE OF ME.”

Therefore, according to his command, O Father:



And we offer our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving to you, O Lord of all; presenting to you from your creation, this bread and this wine.

We pray you, gracious God, to send your Holy Spirit upon these gifts that they may be the Sacrament of the Body of Christ and his Blood of the new Covenant. Unite us to your Son in his sacrifice that we may be acceptable through him, being sanctified by the Holy Spirit.

In the fullness of time, put all things in subjection under your Christ, and bring us to that heavenly country where with the Blessed Virgin Mary and all your saints, we may enter the everlasting heritage of your sons and daughters; through Jesus Christ our Lord, the firstborn of all creation, the head of the Church, and the author of our salvation.

By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and forever. **AMEN.**

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Celebrant: And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,

People & Celebrant: *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.
For thine is the kingdom,
 and the power, and the glory,
 for ever and ever. Amen.*

THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD

The Celebrant breaks the consecrated Host and, after a moment of silence, continues,

Celebrant: Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us.

People: *Therefore let us keep the feast.*

AGNUS DEI *(found in service music booklet).*

The Celebrant says the following invitation:

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.

COMMUNION

☞ *All baptized Christians, regardless of their church affiliation, status, or standing, are invited to come forward to receive the Blessed Sacrament of Our Lord's Body and Blood.*

☞ *If you do not wish to or are not able to receive the Blessed Sacrament, you are welcome and invited to participate, regardless of denomination or religion, by coming forward with your arms crossed over your chest in order to indicate that you would like to receive a blessing from the Priest.*

You are always very welcome to inquire about receiving the Sacrament of Baptism.

POSTCOMMUNION PRAYER

The people may kneel.

Let us pray.

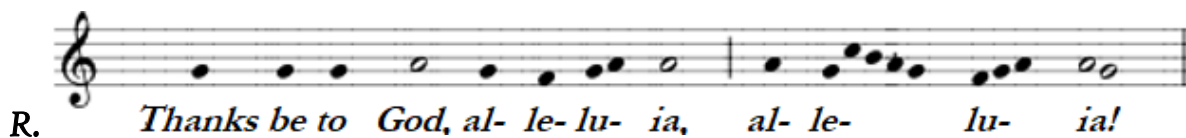
Celebrant & People: *Almighty and everliving God,
we thank you for feeding us with the spiritual food of the most
precious Body and Blood of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and
for assuring us in these holy mysteries that we are living members
of the Body of your Son, and heirs of your eternal kingdom. 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
for ever. Amen.*

PASCHAL BLESSING

The people respond to each blessing by singing, "Amen."

PASCHAL DISMISSAL

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord, alleluia, alleluia!



PROCESSIONAL HYMN *Alleluia! The strife is o'er* Hymn 208

The ministers proceed to the Shrine of Our Lady in the Lady Chapel.

REGINA CAELI

Once the altar party arrives at the Chapel of St. Mary the Virgin, please join in praying the Regina Caeli, which can be found on the laminated card in your pew (1st stanza).

POSTLUDE

After the closing hymn, our Director of Music will offer a musical voluntary for the congregation.



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Mr. Geoff Ramsey & Mrs. Nancy Schneberger, Vestry Class of 2028

Ms. Amanda Roy & Ms. Stephanie Teng, Vestry Class of 2029

Easter Flower Thanksgivings and Memorials

*Our Easter Flowers have been given to the Glory of Our
Lord Jesus Christ by:*

Bernie and Sharon Pierson in loving memory of Joseph and Mildred Milano, Eilene
Crawley Pierson and Col. Earl. F. Pierson

Fr. Raul and Laura AUSA in thanksgiving for the people of Trinity Church and our
years of ministry together

Bob Schulze in Loving Memory of Ruth Schulze

Dawn J. Byrnes-Miklas in memory of Michael G. Miklas, (passed 9/17/2019),
MaryEllen Toczko, Michael's Godmother, (passed 9/26/2025), Lewis Patton,
Brother In-Law, (passed 3/28/2026).

Janet and John Zacco in Thanksgiving for our family and friends.

Mimi Brauch in memory of Ted & Suzy Hirsch and in thanksgiving for Peter's
birthday, April 16

Penny and Bob Eufer In thanksgiving for all God's Blessings

Gail and Brian Scanlan in thanksgiving for family and friends

The Restivo family in Memory of Loved Ones

Karen Roy in loving memory of Gregory Roy, Denise Roy, Charles Roy, Clare Roy,
Jean Lukert, and Howard Lukert

Peg Patterson in thanksgiving for the blessing of family and friends.

Wayne and Lynn Friedman in memory of Alexander Friedman, Walter Sidor,
Gary Kammerer, Helen Manhart, Frank Manhart and all of our beloved family &
friends we remember this season

Priscilla and Kevin Henry in thanksgiving for family and friends

Stephani Tenghi in loving memory of Daniel Tenghi and all our loved ones.

