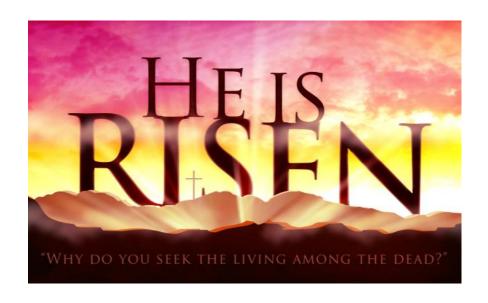


EASTER SUNDAY 2021



APRIL 4, 2021 9:30 AM & 11:30 AM

THE CHURCH OF THE REDEEMER

An Episcopal Parish in the Diocese of Upper South Carolina

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Celebration of Easter The Word Of God

Processional Please stand (as you are able)

Opening Acclamation

Celebrant: Alleluia, Christ is Risen.

People: The Lord is Risen Indeed. Alleluia.

Collect of Purity

Celebrant: Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires

known, and from you no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ

our Lord.

People: Amen.

Gloria

Glory to God in the highest, and peace to his people on earth.

Lord God, heavenly King, almighty God and Father,

we worship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glory.

Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father,

Lord God. Lamb of God.

you take away the sin of the world: have mercy on us; you are seated at the right hand of the Father:

receive our prayer.

For you alone are the Holy One,

you alone are the Lord,

You alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ,

with the Holy Spirit,

in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

Collect of the Day

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Celebrant: Let us pray. (People may kneel or stand)

O God, who made this most holy day to shine with the glory of the Lord's resurrection: Stir up in your Church that Spirit of adoption which is given to us in Baptism, that we, being renewed both in body and mind, may worship you in sincerity and truth; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

People: Amen.

The Lessons

Please be seated

The First Reading

Acts 10:34-43

Peter began to speak to Cornelius and the other Gentiles: "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 "

Lector: The Word of the Lord. *People: Thanks be to God.*

The Psalm

Psalm 118:1-2,14-24

- Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good; * his mercy endures for ever.
- 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:
- "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.
- 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.
- The same stone which the builders rejected * has become the chief cornerstone.
- This is the Lord's doing, * and it is marvelous in our eyes.
- On this day the LORD has acted; * we will rejoice and be glad in it.

The Second Reading

1 Corinthians 15:1-11

I would remind you, brothers and sisters, of the good news that I proclaimed to you, which you in turn received, in which also you stand, through which also you are being saved, if you hold firmly to the message that I proclaimed to you--unless you have come to believe in vain. For I handed on to you as of first importance what I in turn had received: that Christ died for our sins in

accordance with the scriptures, and that he was buried, and that he was raised on the third day in accordance with the scriptures, and that he appeared to Cephas, then to the twelve. Then he appeared to more than five hundred brothers and sisters at one time, most of whom are still alive, though some have died. Then he appeared to James, then to all the apostles. Last of all, as to one untimely born, he appeared also to me. For I am the least of the apostles, unfit to be called an apostle, because I persecuted the church of God. But by the grace of God I am what I am, and his grace toward me has not been in vain. On the contrary, I worked harder than any of them--though it was not I, but the grace of God that is with me. Whether then it was I or they, so we proclaim and so you have come to believe.

Lector: The Word of the Lord. *People: Thanks be to God.*

Please stand

The Gospel John 20: 1-18

Celebrant: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according

to 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 vet 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.*

Please be seated

Sermon

The Rev. Catherine Tatem

Please stand and say together.

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

Prayers of the People Form IV

Lector: Lord, in your mercy *People: Hear our prayer*

The Peace

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

People: And also with you.

The people are Invited to greet those around them with words of peace such as "God's peace" or "Peace be with you."

The Holy Eucharist

Offertory

Celebrant: Ascribe to the Lord the honor due his Name; bring offerings and come into his courts.

Please stand while the people's gifts are brought forward.

People: All things come of thee, O Lord, and of thine own have

we given thee.

The Great Thanksgiving Eucharistic Prayer #1 in Enriching Our Worship 1

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Celebrant: Lift up your hearts.

People: We lift them to the Lord.

Celebrant: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. *People: It is right to give our thanks and praise.*

Celebrant: You have filled us and all creation with your blessing and

fed us with your constant love; you have redeemed us in Jesus Christ and knit us into one body. Through your Spirit you replenish us and call us to fullness of life. 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, joining with Angels and Archangels and with the faithful of every generation, we lift our voices with all creation as we say:

Sanctus

Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

Please kneel (as you are able).

Celebrant:

Blessed are you, gracious God, creator of the universe and giver of life. You formed us in your own image and called us to dwell in your infinite love. You gave the world into our care that we might be your faithful stewards and show forth your bountiful grace. But we failed to honor your image in one another and in ourselves; we would not see your goodness in the world around us; and so we violated your creation, abused one another, and rejected your love. Yet you never ceased to care for us, and prepared the way of salvation for all people. Through Abraham and Sarah you called us into covenant with you.

Celebrant:

You delivered us from slavery, sustained us in the wilderness, and raised up prophets to renew your promise of salvation. Then, in the fullness of time, you sent your eternal Word, made mortal flesh in Jesus. Born into the human family, and dwelling among us, he revealed your glory. Giving himself freely to death on the cross, he triumphed over evil, opening the way of freedom and life.

On the night before he died for us, Our Savior Jesus Christ took bread, and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his friends, and said: "Take, eat: This is my Body which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me." As supper was ending, Jesus 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 poured out for you and for all for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Celebrant: Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

People: Christ has died.

Christ is risen.

Christ will come again.

Celebrant:

Remembering his death and resurrection, we now present to you from your creation this bread and this wine. By your Holy Spirit may they be for us the Body and Blood of our Savior Jesus Christ. Grant that we who share these gifts may be filled with the Holy Spirit and live as Christ's Body in the world. Bring us into the everlasting heritage of your daughters and sons, that with all your saints, past, present, and yet to come, we may praise your Name for ever. Through Christ and with Christ and in Christ, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, to you be honor, glory, and praise, for ever and ever.

All: AMEN.

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

Celebrant and People

The Lord's Prayer

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,

forever and ever. Amen.

The Breaking of the Bread

Celebrant: Alleluia, Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;

People: Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia. Celebrant: The gifts of God for the people of God.

Spiritual Communion Prayer for those worshipping at home

Faithful God, in the wonder of your wisdom and love, you fed your people in the wilderness with the bread of angels, and you sent Jesus to be the bread of life. Though I cannot physically consume these gifts of bread and wine, I thank you that I have received the sacrament of Christ's presence, the forgiveness of sins, and all other benefits of Christ's passion. By the power of the Holy Spirit, may I embody your desire, and be renewed for your service, through Jesus Christ our Savior. Amen.

Communion Music

Postcommunion Prayer

Celebrant: Let us pray.

All: Eternal God, heavenly Father,
you have graciously accepted us as living members
of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ,
and you have fed us with spiritual food
in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood.
Send us now into the world in peace,
and grant us strength and courage
to love and serve you
with gladness and singleness of heart;
through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Blessing

Celebrant: May Almighty God, who has redeemed us and

made us his children through the resurrection of his Son our Lord, bestow upon you the riches of his

blessing.

People: Amen.

Celebrant: May God, who through the water of baptism has

raised us from sin into newness of life, make you holy and worthy to be united with Christ for ever.

People: Amen.

Celebrant: May God, who has brought us out of bondage to sin

into true and lasting freedom in the Redeemer,

bring you to your eternal inheritance.

People: Amen.

Celebrant: And the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the

Son, and the Holy Spirit, be upon you and remain

with you for ever.

People: Amen.

Please stand

Dismissal

Celebrant: Let us go forth into the world, rejoicing in the

power of the Spirit. Alleluia, Alleluia.

People: Thanks be to God. Alleluia, Alleluia.

Postlude

Remain in your pews until the ministers of the service leave the nave.



WELCOME VISITORS!

PLEASE STOP BY THE VISITOR TABLE

On your way out to sign the Guest Book and take a Welcome Bag as our gift to you.

Thank you to all who served at our services throughout Holy Week.

The Rector, Staff and Vestry of The Church of the Redeemer wish you a very Happy Easter.

Special thanks to our organist Robert Powell and our Trumpeters Annalie King and Bobby Mattaliano for providing the beautiful music.



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Easter Flowers 2021

GIVEN TO THE GLORY OF GOD

by Pat & Jack Blackburn

In Thanksgiving for The Church of the Redeemer.

by Betsy Chiles

In Thanksgiving for church, family and friends.

by A friend

In Thanksgiving for Catherine Tatem our priest and what she has to do for our church.

by Tom Gange

In Memory of my wife Judy Gange and my son Lee Thomas Gange.

by Josh & Lori Hawkins

In Memory of Pop
In Thanksgiving for Riley, Joseph Ethan,
and our families.

by Louise & Bill Heizer

In Thanksgiving for Meg and Chuck, Caroline and Billy, and our seven grandchildren.

by Betty Herrin

In Memory of Joe Herrin.

by Bill & Dinah Johnson

In Memory of our parents and grandparents
In Thanksgiving for Riley Caroline, our children, and
grandchildren.

by Terry Landreth

In Thanksgiving for God's presence, mercy and grace. Family, and friends, and church family.



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GIVEN TO THE GLORY OF GOD

by The Meade Famíly

In Thanksgiving for our church family.

by June Moore

In Memory of Win Moore
In Thanksgiving for children, grandchildren,
and all my many blessings.

by Joanie Mullin

In Memory of Joseph J. Mullin, beloved husband.

by Janet & David Poleski

In Memory of our Parents
In Thanksgiving for George
and our families.

by Edward & Waynne Roberts

In Thanksgiving for *The Lord's blessings for ourselves* and our families.

by Ted & Dot Sanders

In Memory of family members who are now angels
In Thanksgiving for family and friends who have
avoided or survived COVID.

by Sue & Hooper Skardon

In Memory of Margaret and Hooper Skardon, Nan and John Wagner, Faye Wagner, and Norton Skardon In Thanksgiving for Asheton, Trey, and John.

