

**DAILY MORNING PRAYER
RITE TWO
The Fourth Sunday of Easter
Emmanuel Church, West Roxbury
Sunday May 8, 2022**

Note: Today is Shepherds Sunday and Mother's Day

Welcome to Emmanuel Church, West Roxbury. Today's service is a lay-led service of Morning Prayer.

Processional Hymn # 492

Sing Ye Faithful, Sing with Gladness

Officiant: Alleluia! Christ is Risen.

People: The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia!

Thanks be to God, who gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ. *1 Corinthians 15:57*

If then you have been raised with Christ, seek the things that are above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God.
Colossians 3:1

Christ has entered, not into a sanctuary made with hands, a copy of the true one, but into heaven itself, now to appear in the presence of God on our behalf. *Hebrews 9:24*

You shall receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you; and you shall be my witness in Jerusalem, and in all Judea, and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth. *Acts 1:8*

Confession of Sin

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

Silence may be kept

Officiant and people all sitting or kneeling

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.*

Officiant

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

The Invitatory and Psalter

All stand

Officiant: Lord, open our lips.

People: And our mouths shall proclaim your praise.

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: as
 It was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. *Amen.*

Alleluia!

Christ our Passover Pascha nostrum
1 Corinthians 5:7-8; Romans 6:9-11; 1 Corinthians 15:20-22

Officiant and People all standing

Alleluia.

Christ our Passover has been sacrificed for us; *

therefore let us keep the feast,

Not with the old leaven, the leaven of malice and evil, *

but with the unleavened bread of sincerity and truth. Alleluia.

Christ being raised from the dead will never die again; *

death no longer has dominion over him.

The death that he died, he died to sin, once for all; *

but the life he lives, he lives to God.

So also consider yourselves dead to sin, *

and alive to God in Jesus Christ our Lord. Alleluia.

Christ has been raised from the dead, *

the first fruits of those who have fallen asleep.

For since by a man came death, *

by a man has come also the resurrection of the dead.
 For as in Adam all die, *
 so also in Christ shall all be made alive. Alleluia.

The Psalm *All seated*

Psalm 123 **Read Responsively**
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(see white insert)

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: as
 It was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. *Amen.*

The Lessons *All seated*

First Lesson: Acts 9:36-43

(see white insert)

Officiant: The word of the Lord.
People: Thanks be to God.

Canticle 17 **The Song of Simeon** *Nunc Dimittis* **Luke 2:29-32**

Officiant and People *all seated*

Lord, you now have set your servant free *
 to go in peace as you have promised;
 For these eyes of mine have seen the Savior, *
 whom you have prepared for all the world to see:
 A Light to enlighten the nations, *
 and the glory of your people Israel.

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: *
 as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. *Amen.*

The Second Lesson: Revelation 7:9-17

(see white insert)

Officiant: The word of the Lord.
People: Thanks be to God.

Canticle 18 **A Song to the Lamb** *Dignus es*
Revelation 4:11, 5:9-10, 13

Officiant and People *all seated*

Splendor and honor and kingly power *
 are yours by right, O Lord our God,

For you created everything that is, *
 and by your will they were created and have their being;
 And yours by right, O Lamb that was slain, *
 for with your blood you have redeemed for God,
 From every family, language, people, and nation, *
 a kingdom of priests to serve our God.
 And so, to him who sits upon the throne, *
 and to Christ the Lamb,
 Be worship and praise, dominion and splendor, *
 for ever and for evermore.

Third Lesson: John 10:22-30

(see white insert)

Officiant: The word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

The Apostles' Creed

Officiant and People all standing

I believe in God, the Father almighty,
 creator of heaven and earth;
 I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord.
 He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit
 and born of the Virgin Mary.
 He suffered under Pontius Pilate,
 was crucified, died, and was buried.
 He descended to the dead.
 On the third day he raise again.
 He ascended into heaven,
 and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
 He will come again to judge the living and the dead.
 I believe in the Holy Spirit,
 the holy catholic church,
 the communion of saints,
 the forgiveness of sins,
 the resurrection of the body,
 and the life everlasting. *Amen.*

Officiant: May the peace of the lord be always with you.

People: And also with you *(the people greet one another)*

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Offertory Hymn *O' God Who's Steadfast Love**(see print out)***The Prayers***All stand**Officiant:* The Lord be with you.*People:* And also with you.*Officiant:* Let us pray.*Officiant and People* *all sitting or kneeling*

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

Suffrages**B** *Responsively* *all seated or kneeling*

- V. Save your people, Lord, and bless your inheritance;
 R. Govern and uphold them, now and always.
 V. Day by day we bless you;
 R. We praise your name for ever.
 V. Lord, keep us from all sin today;
 R. Have mercy upon us, Lord, have mercy.
 V. Lord, show us your love and mercy;
 R. For we put our trust in you.
 V. In you, Lord, is our hope;
 R. And we shall never hope in vain.

Remain seated or kneeling for the Collects

Collect of the Day (*contemporary*)

O GOD, whose son Jesus is the good shepherd of the people; Grant that when we hear his voice we may know him who Calls us each by name, and follow where he leads; who, with You and the Holy Spirit, lives and reigns, one God for ever And ever. *Amen.*

A Collect for Peace

O God, the author of peace and lover of concord, to know you is eternal life and to serve you is perfect freedom: Defend us, your humble servants, in all assaults of our enemies; that we, surely trusting in your defense, may not fear the power of any adversaries; through the might of Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

A Collect for Guidance

Heavenly Father, in you we live and move and have our being: We humbly pray you so to guide and govern us by your Holy Spirit, that in all the cares and occupations of our life we may not forget you, but may remember that we are ever walking in your sight; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

Prayers for Mission

Lord Jesus Christ, you stretched out your arms of love on the hard wood of the cross that everyone might come within the reach of your saving embrace: So clothe us in your Spirit that we, reaching forth our hands in love, may bring those who do not know you to the knowledge and love of you; for the honor of your Name. *Amen.*

Remain seated or kneeling through the prayers

Sunday, May 8, 2022

The Fourth Sunday of Easter

*We pray for the Parishes of the Concord River Deanery
St. Mark's Chapel, St. Mark's School, Southborough
St. Elizabeth's Church, Sudbury
St. Peter's Church, Weston*

The Ministry of the Diocesan Altar Guild and all Altar Guilds

We pray for those who are homebound or ill: Paul, Mary, Catherine, Michael, Parker, Sergio, Martha, Gail, Anne, Patricia, Maureen, Barbara.

Mother's Day Prayer - Andy Castiglione

The General Thanksgiving

Officiant and People All seated or kneeling

Almighty God, Father of all mercies,
 we your unworthy servants give you humble thanks
 for all your goodness and loving-kindness
 to us and to all whom you have made.
 We bless you for our creation, preservation,
 and all the blessings of this life;
 but above all for your immeasurable love
 in the redemption of the world by our Lord Jesus Christ;
 for the means of grace, and for the hope of glory.
 And, we pray, give us such an awareness of your mercies,
 that with truly thankful hearts we may show forth your praise,
 not only with our lips, but in our lives,
 by giving up our selves to your service,
 and by walking before you
 in holiness and righteousness all our days;
 through Jesus Christ our Lord,
 to whom, with you and the Holy Spirit,
 be honor and glory throughout all ages. Amen.

A Prayer of St Chrysostom

Officiant and people All seated or kneeling

Almighty God, you have given us grace at this time with one
 accord to make our common supplication to you; and you
 have promised through your well-beloved Son that when two
 or three are gathered together in his Name you will be in the
 midst of them: Fulfill now, O Lord, our desires and petitions
 as may be best for us; granting us in this world knowledge of
 your truth, and in the age to come life everlasting. *Amen.*

Officiant: Let us bless the Lord.
People: Thanks be to God.

Recessional Hymn # 535***Ye Servants of God, Your Master Proclaim***

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and
the fellowship of the Holy Spirit, be with us all evermore.

Alleluia, Alleluia!

2 Corinthians 13:14

Thank you for worshiping with us today. We invite you to join us next Sunday for our live in-person service.

Notes

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