



+ ASSISTING AT WORSHIP THIS MORNING +

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THE SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

MAY 9, 2021

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**Morning Prayer: Rite 2**

WELCOME

HYMN 535 “Ye servants of God, your Master proclaim”

*Paderborn*

- 1 Ye servants of God, your Master proclaim,  
And publish abroad his wonderful Name;  
The Name all victorious of Jesus extol:  
His kingdom is glorious,; he rules over all.
- 2 God ruleth on high, almighty to save;  
And still he is nigh: his presence we have.  
The great congregation his triumph shall sing,  
Ascribing salvation to Jesus our King.
- 3 Salvation to God who sits on the throne!  
Let all cry aloud and honor the Son.  
The praises of Jesus the angels proclaim,  
Fall down on their faces, and worship the Lamb.
- 4 Then let us adore, and give him his right:  
All glory and power, all wisdom and might,  
And honor and blessing, with angels above,  
And thanks never-ceasing and infinite love.

*Officiant*  
*All*

Alleluia! Christ is risen.  
**The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia!**

THE INVITATORY AND PSALTER

*Officiant*  
*All*

Lord, open our lips.  
**And our mouth 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 for ever. Amen.**

BCP, pg. 80

PSALM 98

BCP, pg. 727

- 1 Sing to the Lord a new song, \*  
for he has done marvelous things.
- 2 With his right hand and his holy arm \*  
has he won for himself the victory.
- 3 The Lord has made known his victory; \*  
his righteousness has he openly shown in the sight of the nations.
- 4 He remembers his mercy and faithfulness to the house of Israel, \*  
and all the ends of the earth have seen the victory of our God.

- 5 Shout with joy to the Lord, all you lands; \*  
lift up your voice, rejoice, and sing.
  - 6 Sing to the Lord with the harp, \*  
with the harp and the voice of song.
  - 7 With trumpets and the sound of the horn \*  
shout with joy before the King, the Lord.
  - 8 Let the sea make a noise and all that is in it, \*  
the lands and those who dwell therein.
  - 9 Let the rivers clap their hands, \*  
and let the hills ring out with joy before the Lord, when he comes to judge the earth.
  - 10 In righteousness shall he judge the world \*  
and the peoples with equity.
- 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.

FIRST LESSON: Acts 10:44-48

While Peter was still speaking, the Holy Spirit fell upon all who heard the word. The circumcised believers who had come with Peter were astounded that the gift of the Holy Spirit had been poured out even on the Gentiles, for they heard them speaking in tongues and extolling God. Then Peter said, "Can anyone withhold the water for baptizing these people who have received the Holy Spirit just as we have?" So he ordered them to be baptized in the name of Jesus Christ. Then they invited him to stay for several days.

*Reader*           The Word of the Lord.  
*All*                **Thanks be to God.**

ANTHEM: *If ye love me*

Philip Wilby

If ye love me, keep my commandments,  
and I will pray the Father,  
and He shall give you another Comforter.  
That He may abide with you for ever:  
E'en the Spirit of Truth.  
And ye know Him, for He dwelleth with you,  
And shall be in you.  
I will not leave you comfortless.  
I will come to you.

Redeemer Choir

THE HOLY GOSPEL: John 15:9-17

Jesus said to his disciples, "As the Father has loved me, so I have loved you; abide in my love. If you keep my commandments, you will abide in my love, just as I have kept my Father's commandments and abide in his love. I have said these things to you so that my joy may be in you, and that your joy may be complete. "This is my commandment, that you love one another as I have loved you. No one has greater love than this, to lay down one's life for one's friends. You are my friends if you do what I command you. I do not call you servants any longer,

because the servant does not know what the master is doing; but I have called you friends, because I have made known to you everything that I have heard from my Father. You did not choose me but I chose you. And I appointed you to go and bear fruit, fruit that will last, so that the Father will give you whatever you ask him in my name. I am giving you these commands so that you may love one another.”

*Lector* The Word of the Lord.

*People* **Thanks be to God.**

HOMILY

The Rev. M. Cristina Paglinauan

THE APOSTLES' CREED

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 rose 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.

THE PRAYERS

*Officiant* The Lord is with you.

*People* **And also with you.**

*Officiant* Let us pray.

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*All* **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 SUFFRAGES FORM B

*The Leader and People pray responsively*

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

## THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

*Officiant* O God, you have prepared for those who love you such good things as surpass our understanding: Pour into our hearts such love towards you, that we, loving you in all things and above all things, may obtain your promises, which exceed all that we can desire; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.  
*People* **Amen.**

## THE BENEDICAMUS

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

## THE 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.  
And the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be upon you and remain with you for ever.  
*All* **Amen.**

HYMN: #657 "Love divine, all loves excelling"

*Hyfrydol*

- 1 Love divine, all loves excelling, joy of heaven to earth come down,  
fix in us thy humble dwelling, all thy faithful mercies crown.  
Jesus, thou art all compassion, pure, unbounded love thou art;  
visit us with thy salvation, enter every trembling heart.
- 2 Come, almighty to deliver, let us all thy life receive;  
suddenly return, and never, nevermore thy temples leave.  
Thee we would be always blessing, serve thee as thy hosts above,  
pray, and praise thee without ceasing, glory in thy perfect love.
- 3 Finish then thy new creation; pure and spotless let us be;  
let us see thy great salvation perfectly restored in thee:  
changed from glory into glory, till in heaven we take our place,  
till we cast our crowns before thee, lost in wonder, love, and praise.

VOLUNTARY: *Hyfrydol from Three Preludes on Welsh Hymns*

Ralph Vaughan Williams

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***Please pray for those who have died:*** Fran Ober

*Ordinarily names remain on our prayer list for a month. If you would like someone's name to continue – please contact the office.*