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**1st Sunday of Easter:
Resurrection of the Lord
April 5th, 2026**

The Gathering of the Community

Prelude

Treaty Acknowledgement and Announcements Derwyn Crozier-Smith

Introit: "The Festal Day is Here"

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Opening Sentence:

Christ our Passover has been sacrificed for us; therefore let us keep the feast. ~1Corinthians 5.7-8

Processional Hymn: CP #206 "Christ the Lord is Risen Today"

Easter Greeting: BAS p.185

Gloria: Text BAS p.186, Music CP #686

Collect of the Day: BAS p. 335

Children's Time

Blessing Song:

God bless and keep you (both hands raised in blessing)

God shine upon you (hands circling like a sunrise)

God's gracious presence (hands folded in prayer)

Abide with you in peace (one hand raised in blessing) Repeat

The Proclamation of the Word

First Reading: Acts 10.34-43

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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.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Psalm 118.1-2,14-24 BAS p.866-867



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Second Reading: Colossians 3.1-4

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So 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 hid-den with Christ in God. When Christ who is your life is revealed, then you also will be revealed with him in glory.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Gradual Hymn: CP# 715

"Alleluia"

The Gospel: Matthew 28.1-10

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew.

Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

After the sabbath, as the first day of the week was dawning, Mary Magdalene and the other Mary went to see the tomb. And suddenly there was a great earthquake; for an angel of the Lord, descending from heaven, came and rolled back the stone and sat on it. His appearance was like lightning, and his clothing white as snow. For fear of him the guards shook and became like dead men. But the angel said to the women, "Do not be afraid; I know that you are looking for Jesus who was crucified. He is not here; for he has been raised, as he said. Come, see the place where he lay. Then go quickly and tell his disciples, 'He has been raised from the dead, and indeed he is going ahead of you to Galilee; there you will see him.' This is my message for you." So they left the tomb quickly with fear and great joy, and ran to tell his disciples. Suddenly Jesus met them and said, "Greetings!" And they came to him, took hold of his feet, and worshipped him. Then Jesus said to them, "Do not be afraid; go and tell my brothers to go to Galilee; there they will see me."

The Gospel of Christ.

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Sermon

The Rt. Rev. Chad McCharles

Anthem: "Behold, and See If There Be Any Sorrow" from Messiah

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Nicene Creed: BAS p.188-189

Prayers of the People

The response to "Let us Pray to the Lord" is "***Hear us, Lord of glory!***"

Confession and Absolution: BAS p. 191

The Peace: BAS p. 192

The Celebration of the Eucharist

Offertory Hymn:

"Christ the Lord is Risen Today"

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Prayer over the Gifts: BAS p. 336

Eucharistic Prayer #3: BAS p. 198

Holy, Holy, Holy Lord: CP #689

The Lord's Prayer: BAS p. 211

The Breaking of Bread #8: BAS p. 213

The gifts of God, for the people of God.

Thanks be to God!

Lamb of God: CP #690

All those seeking Christ in their heart are welcome at the table.

The full presence of God is in both bread and wine.

(Gluten free wafers are available; please ask the priest.)

Prayers for healing are offered in the Chapel.

Hymn After Communion: CP #205

“The Day of Resurrection”

Prayer after Communion: BAS p. 336

The Sending Forth of the People of God

Small Doxology

Blessing

Recessional Hymn: CP #203

“Jesus Christ is Risen Today”

Dismissal: Go forth in peace to live the Good News, that we are free to love as He has loved us!

Thanks be to God.

Postlude