

EASTER SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD

ST. MARK CATHOLIC CHURCH

April 4, 2021



ENTRANCE ANTIPHON (Luke 24:34)

"The Lord is truly risen, alleluia!

To him be glory and power for all the ages of eternity, alleluia, alleluia!

INTRODUCTORY RITE

SIGN OF THE CROSS AND GREETING

KYRIE

Gloria

Mass of the Blessed Mother

Diana Corliss

3 *Glo-ry to God in the high - est and on earth, peace to peo-ple of good will.*

5 *We praise you, we bless you, we a - dore you, we glo - ri - fy you.*

3 *We give you thanks for your great glo-ry. Lord God, hea-ven-ly King,*

0 *O God Al-migh-ty Fa-ther. Lord, Je-sus Christ, on-ly Be-go-tten Son,*

7 *Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Fa - ther,*

3 *you take a - way the sins of the world, have mer - cy on us;*

5 *you take a - way the sins of the world, re - ceive our prayer;*

6 *you are sea - ted at the right hand of the Fa - ther,*

8 *have mer-cy on us. For you a - lone are the ho - ly One,*

20 *you a-lone are the Lord, you, a-lone are the Most High Je - sus Christ,*

with the Ho-ly Spi-rit, in the glo-ry of God the Fa-ther. A - men.

COLLECT

LITURGY OF THE WORD

FIRST READING (Acts 10:34a, 37-43)

Peter proceeded to speak and said: "You know what has happened all over Judea, beginning in Galilee after the baptism that John preached, how God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and power. He went about doing good and healing all those oppressed by the devil, for God was with him. We are witnesses of all that he did both in the country of the Jews and in Jerusalem. They put him to death by hanging him on a tree. This man God raised on the third day and granted that he be visible, not to all the people, but to us, the witnesses chosen by God in advance, who ate and drank with him after he rose from the dead. He commissioned us to preach to the people and testify that he is the one appointed by God as judge of the living and the dead. To him all the prophets bear witness, that everyone who believes in him will receive forgiveness of sins through his name."

RESPONSORIAL PSALM (Ps. 118)

R. This is the day the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad.

Give thanks to the LORD, for he is good, for his mercy endures forever,
let the house of Israel say, "His mercy endures for ever." **R.**

The right hand of the LORD has struck with power,
the right hand of the LORD is exalted,

I shall not die but live, and declare the works of the LORD. **R.**

The stone which the builders rejected has become the cornerstone.

By the LORD has this been done; it is wonderful in our eyes. **R.**

SECOND READING (Colossians 3:1-4)

Brothers and sisters: If then you were raised with Christ, seek what is above, where Christ is seated at the right hand of God. Think of what is above, not of what is on earth. For you have died, and your life is hidden with Christ in God. When Christ your life appears, then you too will appear with him in glory.

SEQUENCE (Victimae Paschali Laudes)

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

R. "Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!"

Christ, our paschal lamb, has been sacrificed;
let us then feast with joy in the Lord. **R.**

GOSPEL (John 20:1-9)

On the first day of the week, Mary of Magdala came to the tomb early in the morning, while it was still dark, and saw the stone removed from the tomb. So she ran and went to Simon Peter and to the other disciple whom Jesus loved, and told them, "They have taken the Lord from the tomb, and we don't know where they put him." So Peter and the other disciple went out and came to the tomb. They both ran, but the other disciple ran faster than Peter and arrived at the tomb first; he bent down and saw the burial cloths there, but did not go in. When Simon Peter arrived after him, he went into the tomb and saw the burial cloths there, and the cloth that had covered his head, not with the burial cloths but rolled up in a separate place. Then the other disciple also went in, the one who had arrived at the tomb first, and he saw and believed. For they did not yet understand the Scripture that he had to rise from the dead.

HOMILY

RENEWAL OF BAPTISMAL PROMISES

UNIVERSAL PRAYER

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

PREPARATION OF THE GIFTS & MUSIC

"Christ the Lord is Risen Today" (LLANFAIR)

Christ the Lord is ris'n today, Alleluia! Sons of men and angels say Alleluia!
Raise your joys and triumphs high, alleluia! Sing ye heav'ns and earth reply, alleluia!

Lives again our glorious King: Alleluia! Where, o death, is now thy sting? Alleluia!
Once he died our souls to save, alleluia! Where thy victory, o grave? Alleluia!

Love's redeeming work is done, alleluia! Fought the fight, the battle won, alleluia!
Death in vain forbids him rise; alleluia! Christ has opened paradise. Alleluia!

Soar we now where Christ has led, alleluia! Foll'wing our exalted head; alleluia!
Made like him, like him we rise, alleluia! Ours the cross, the grave, the skies.
Alleluia!

PRAYER OVER THE GIFTS & PREFACE

Sanctus

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5 *Sanc - tus, — Sanc - tus, Sanc-tus Do-mi-nus De-us Sa-bba-oth.*

8 *Ple-ni sunt cae-li et te-rra glo-ri-a tu-a. Ho - sa-nna in ex-cel-sis! Be-ne-di - ctus*

qui ve-nit in no-mi-ne Do-mi-ni. Ho-sa-nna in ex - cel - - sis!

EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER

Memorial Acclamation C

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Sal-va-tor mun di, sal-va nos, qui per cru cem et re-su-rec-ti-o-nem. tu-am li-ber-a-sti nos.

THE LORD'S PRAYER
THE SIGN OF PEACE
AGNUS DEI

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Agnus De - i, qui tol-lis pe-cca -ta mun-di, mi - se - re - re no - bis.

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Agnus De - i, qui tol-lis pe-cca -ta mun-di, do-na no-bis pa - cem.

DISTRIBUTION OF HOLY COMMUNION

Please process down the center aisle to receive Communion, starting with the center section. You may receive on the tongue at the center kneelers and in the hand at the outer kneelers. Please wear your mask and remove it before receiving Communion.

COMMUNION ANTIPHON (1 Cor. 5:7-8)

"Christ our Passover has been sacrificed; alleluia: therefore, let us keep the feast with the unleavened bread of purity and truth, alleluia, alleluia.

COMMUNION MUSIC

"Now the Green Blade Rises" (hymn or choral anthem by Lindley)

Now the green blade rises from the buried grain.
Wheat that in dark earth many days has lain;
Love lives again, that with the dead has been:
Love is come again like wheat arising green.

In the grave they laid him, Love by hatred slain,
Thinking that never he would wake again,
Laid in the earth like grain that sleeps unseen:
Love is come again like wheat arising green.

Forth he came at Easter like the risen grain.
He that, for three days, in the grave had lain.
Raised from the dead my living Lord is seen:
Love is come again like wheat arising green.

When our hearts are wint'ry, grieving or in pain,
Your touch can call us back to life again.
Fields of our hearts that dead and bare have been:
Love is come again like wheat arising green.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION SOLEMN BLESSING & DISMISSAL ST. MICHAEL PRAYER

St. Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle. Be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the Devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray, and do thou, O Prince of the Heavenly Host, by the power of God, cast into hell Satan and all the evil spirits, who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls.

RECESSIONAL HYMN

"Jesus Christ Is Risen Today"

Jesus Christ is risen today, alleluia! Our triumphant holy day, alleluia!
Who did once upon the cross, alleluia! Suffer to redeem our loss, alleluia!

Hymns of praise then let us sing, alleluia! Unto Christ, our heavenly king, alleluia!
Who endured the cross and grave, alleluia! Sinners to redeem and save, alleluia!

But the pains which he endured, alleluia! Our salvation have procured, alleluia!
Now he reigns above as King, alleluia! Where the angels ever sing, alleluia!

A PRAYER TO MARY FOR OUR NATION

O most Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of Mercy,
we entrust the United States of America to your loving care
and beg you to reclaim this land for the glory of your Son.

Overwhelmed with the burden of the sins of our nation,
we cry to you from the depths of our hearts
and seek refuge in your motherly protection.

Look down with mercy upon us and touch the hearts of our people.

Open our minds to the great worth of human life
and to the responsibilities that accompany human freedom.
Free us from the falsehoods that lead to the evil of abortion
and threaten the sanctity of family life.

Grant our country the wisdom to proclaim that God's law
is the foundation on which this nation was founded,
and that He alone is the True Source
of our cherished rights to life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness.
O Merciful Mother, give us the courage to reject the culture of death
and the strength to build a new Culture of Life.

Trusting in your most powerful intercession, we pray:

Remember, O most gracious Virgin Mary,
that never was it known that anyone who fled to thy protection,
implored thy help, or sought thine intercession was left unaided.

Inspired by this confidence, we fly unto thee, O Virgin of virgins, our Mother.

To thee do we come, before thee we stand, sinful and sorrowful.

O Mother of the Word Incarnate, despise not our petitions,
but in thy mercy hear and answer us. Amen.



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