

May 3, 2026
9am & 11am
Easter V



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Service of Worship

Prelude

Welcome and Preparation for Worship

Processional Hymn

Alleluia! Sing To Jesus



1 Al - le - lu - ia! sing to Je - sus! his the
*2 Al - le - lu - ia! not as or - phans are we
3 Al - le - lu - ia! Bread of Hea - ven, thou on



1 scap - ter, his the throne; Al - le - lu - ia! his the
2 left in sor - row now; Al - le - lu - ia! he is
3 earth our food, our stay! Al - le - lu - ia! here the



1 tri - umph, his the vic - to - ry a - lone; Hark! the
2 near us, faith be - lieves, nor ques - tions how: though the
3 sin - ful flee to thee from day to day: In - ter -



1 songs of peace - ful Zi - on thun - der like a
2 cloud from sight re - ceived him, when the for - ty
3 ces - sor, friend of sin - ners, earth's Re - deem - er,



1 might - y flood; Je - sus out of ev - ery
2 days were o'er, shall our hearts for - get his
3 plead for me, where the songs of all the



1 na - tion hath re - deemed us by his blood.
2 prom - ise, "I am with you ev - er - more"?
3 sin - less sweep a - cross the crys - tal sea.

Call to Worship

Great are the works of the Lord; **Glorious and majestic are His deeds.**
He provided redemption for His people; He ordained His covenant forever.

Holy and awesome is His name!

Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. **And blessed be His kingdom, now and forever. Amen.**

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. Amen.

The Lord is mighty to save! **Come let us adore Him!**

Song of Praise

To God Be The Glory

Verse 1: To God be the glory, great things He hath done
So loved He the world that He gave us His Son
Who yielded His life an atonement for sin
And opened the life-gate that all may go in.

Chorus: Praise the Lord, praise the Lord, let the earth hear His voice
Praise the Lord, praise the Lord, let the people rejoice!
Oh come to the Father, thro' Jesus the Son
And give Him the glory, great things He hath done.

Verse 2: O perfect redemption, the purchase of blood
To ev'ry believer the promise of God
The vilest offender who truly believes
That moment from Jesus a pardon receives. **Chorus**

Verse 3: Great things He hath taught us, great things He hath done
And great our rejoicing thro' Jesus the Son;
But purer, and higher, and greater will be
Our wonder, our vict'ry when Jesus we see. **Chorus**

Collect of the Day

The Lord be with you. **And also with you.** Let us pray.

Almighty God, whom truly to know is everlasting life: Grant us so perfectly to know Your Son Jesus Christ to be the way, the truth, and the life, that we may steadfastly follow His steps in the way that leads to eternal glory; through Jesus Christ Your Son our Lord, who lives and reigns with You, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever. **Amen.**

Old Testament Reading - Jonah 3:3-5, 3:10-4:3

(please be seated)

³ Jonah obeyed the word of the Lord and went to Nineveh. Now Nineveh was a very important city – a visit required three days. ⁴ On the first day, Jonah started into the city. He proclaimed: "Forty more days and Nineveh will be overturned." ⁵ The Ninevites believed God. They declared a fast, and all of them, from the greatest to the least, put on sackcloth. ... ¹⁰ When God saw what they did and how they turned from their evil ways, he had compassion and did not bring upon them the destruction he had threatened. ¹ But Jonah was greatly displeased and became angry. ² He prayed to the Lord, "O Lord, is this not what I said when I was still at home? That is why I was so quick to flee to Tarshish. I knew that you are a gracious and compassionate God, slow to anger and abounding in love, a God who relents from sending calamity. ³ Now, O Lord, take away my life, for it is better for me to die than to live."

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

New Testament Reading - Ephesians 2:11-22

¹¹ Therefore, remember that formerly you who are Gentiles by birth and called "uncircumcised" by those who call themselves "the circumcision" (that done in the body by the hands of men) – ¹² remember that at that time you were separate from Christ, excluded from citizenship in Israel and foreigners to the covenants of the promise, without hope and without God in the world. ¹³ But now in Christ Jesus you who once were far away have been brought near through the blood of Christ. ¹⁴ For he himself is our peace, who has made the two one and has destroyed the barrier, the dividing wall of hostility, ¹⁵ by abolishing in his flesh the law with its commandments and regulations. His purpose was to create in himself one new man out of the two, thus making peace, ¹⁶ and in this one body to reconcile both of them to God through the cross, by which he put to death their hostility. ¹⁷ He came and preached peace to you who were far away and peace to those who were near. ¹⁸ For through him we both have access to the Father by one Spirit. ¹⁹ Consequently, you are no longer foreigners and aliens, but fellow citizens with God's people and members of God's household, ²⁰ built on the foundation of the apostles and prophets, with Christ Jesus himself as the chief cornerstone. ²¹ In him the whole building is joined together and rises to become a holy temple in the Lord. ²² And in him you too are being built together to become a dwelling in which God lives by his Spirit.

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

Gospel Hymn*The Solid Rock**(please stand)*Verse 1

My hope is built on nothing less
 Than Jesus' blood and righteousness;
 I dare not trust the sweetest frame
 But wholly lean on Jesus' name;

Chorus

On Christ the solid Rock I stand;
 All other ground is sinking sand,
 All other ground is sinking sand.

Verse 2

When darkness seems to hide His face,
 I rest on His unchanging grace;
 In ev'ry high and stormy gale,
 My anchor holds within the veil. **Chorus**

Gospel Reading - John 17:20-23

The Holy Gospel of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ according to John. **Glory to You, Lord Christ.**

²⁰ "My prayer is not for them alone. I pray also for those who will believe in me through their message, ²¹ that all of them may be one, Father, just as you are in me and I am in you. May they also be in us so that the world may believe that you have sent me. ²² I have given them the glory that you gave me, that they may be one as we are one: ²³ I in them and you in me. May they be brought to complete unity to let the world know that you sent me and have loved them even as you have loved me.

The Gospel of the Lord. **Praise to You, Lord Christ.**

Gospel Hymn *(cont.)***Chorus**

On Christ the solid Rock I stand;
 All other ground is sinking sand,
 All other ground is sinking sand.

Verse 3

His oath, His covenant, His blood
 Support me in the whelming flood;
 When all around my soul gives way,
 He then is all my hope and stay. **Chorus**

Sermon - Ephesians 2:11-22

Rev. Gary Hajek

The Unity of the Body

The Nicene Creed

(please stand)

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, visible and invisible. We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only begotten 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, was incarnate from the Holy Spirit and 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, who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified, who 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

(please sit or kneel)

Father, thank You for Your great love for us and for hearing Your people when we pray.

Please help every member of Your Church family to truly know and humbly serve You;

That Your Name may be known and glorified by all people.

We pray for all bishops, priests, deacons, and lay leaders in the Church;

That they may be faithful ministers of the Gospel and humble servants of Your people.

We pray for All Saints' Church in Woodbridge, VA; St. Barnabas Anglican Church in Towson, MD; and TrinityLife Church in Lutherville, MD; **That You would guide, strengthen, and sustain the churches in our diocese and in Baltimore.**

We pray for our ministry partners: First Fruits Farm and SHADE; **That You would equip and bless them to fulfill their mission, serve Your people, and build Your kingdom.**

We pray for our brothers and sisters in Christ who are persecuted for their faith, especially in Eritrea, Uzbekistan, and North Korea, and for those who persecute Your people;

That the afflicted may be strengthened and their oppressors turned to You.

Let us now pray for our own needs and those of others, and give thanks for the blessings of this life, either silently in your heart or aloud for the congregation to hear.

Almighty and eternal God, ruler of all things in heaven and earth: Mercifully accept the prayers of Your people, and strengthen us to do Your will; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Confession of Sin

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor, beginning with silent, personal confession.

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.

Absolution and Peace

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

(please stand)

The peace of the Lord be always with you. **And also with you.**

Please greet one another with the peace of Christ.

Announcements and Offertory "Gracious Spirit, Dwell With Me" - Chant, arr. K. Lee Scott - Choir

Doxology

(please stand)

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host: Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.*

Holy Communion

The Great Thanksgiving

The Lord be with you. **And also with you.**

Lift up your hearts. **We lift them to the Lord.**

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

On the night He was handed over to suffering and death, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when He had given thanks to You, He broke it, and gave it to His disciples, and said, "Take, eat: This is My Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of Me."

After supper He 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 shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of Me."

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.

(please sit or kneel)

We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O Father, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving. Recalling Jesus' death, resurrection, and ascension, we offer You these gifts. Sanctify them by Your Holy Spirit to be for Your people the Body and Blood of Your Son, the holy food and drink of new and unending life we have through faith in Him.

Sanctify us also that we may faithfully receive this holy Sacrament, and serve You in unity, constancy, and peace; and at the last day bring us with all Your saints into the joy of Your eternal kingdom. All this we ask through Your Son Jesus Christ: By Him, and with Him, and in Him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is Yours, Almighty Father, now and forever. **Amen.**

And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to pray,

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

Alleluia, Alleluia! Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;

Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia, Alleluia!

The gifts of God for the people of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you and feed on Him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

All who desire prayer are welcome to receive prayer with trained prayer ministers stationed in the chapel behind the altar area or in the transepts beside the altar during communion or after the service.

Communion Music

In Christ There Is No East Or West

Verse 1: In Christ there is no East or West, in Him no South or North
But one great fellowship of love throughout the whole wide earth.

Verse 2: Join hands, disciples of the faith, whate'er your race may be!
Who serves my Father as His child is surely kin to me.

Verse 3: In Christ now meet both East and West, in Him meet South and North
All Christly souls are one in Him, throughout the whole wide earth.

Worthy Is The Lamb

Thank You for the cross, Lord
Thank You for the price You paid
Bearing all my sin and shame
In love You came
And gave amazing grace
Thank You for this love, Lord
Thank You for the nail pierced hands
Washed me in Your cleansing flow
Now all I know
Is Your forgiveness and embrace

Chorus

Worthy is the Lamb,
Seated on the throne
Crown You now with many crowns
You reign victorious;
High and lifted up
Jesus Son of God
The Darling of Heaven crucified
Worthy is the Lamb
Worthy is the Lamb

Nothing But The Blood Of Jesus

Verse 1

What can wash away my sin?
Nothing but the blood of Jesus
What can make me whole again?
Nothing but the blood of Jesus

Chorus

O precious is the flow
That makes me white as snow
No other fount I know
Nothing but the blood of Jesus

Verse 2

For my pardon this I see
Nothing but the blood of Jesus
For my cleansing this my plea
Nothing but the blood of Jesus

Chorus

Verse 3

Nothing can for sin atone
Nothing but the blood of Jesus
Naught of good that I have done
Nothing but the blood of Jesus

Chorus

Verse 4

This is all my hope and peace
Nothing but the blood of Jesus
This is all my righteousness
Nothing but the blood of Jesus

Chorus

Shout To The North And The South

Verse 1

Men of faith rise up and sing
Of the great and glorious King.
You are strong when you feel weak;
In your brokenness, complete.

Chorus

Shout to the north and the south;
Sing to the east and the west.
Jesus is Savior to all;
Lord of heaven and earth.

Verse 2

Rise up, women of the truth.
Stand and sing to broken hearts
Who can know the healing pow'r
Of our awesome King of love. **Chorus**

Verse 3

Rise up, church, with broken wings,
Fill this place with songs again
Of our God who reigns on high;
By His grace again we'll fly. **Chorus**

Bridge

We've been through fire,
We've been through rain;
We've been refined
By the pow'r of His name.
We've fallen deeper
In love with You.
You've burned
The truth on our lips.

Post Communion Prayer

(please stand)

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.

The Blessing

May the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you, and remain with you always. **Amen.**

Recessional Hymn

We Are God's People

1. We are God's peo - ple, the cho - sen of the Lord, born of his
2. We are God's loved ones, the Bride of Christ our Lord, for we have
3. We are the Bod - y of which the Lord is Head, called to o -

Spir - it, es - tab - lished by his Word; our cor - ner - stone is
known it, the love of God out - poured; now let us learn how
bey him, now ris - en from the dead; he wills us be a

Christ a - lone, and strong in him we stand: O let us live trans -
to re - turn the gift of love once giv'n: O let us share each
fam - i - ly, di - verse yet tru - ly one: O let us give our

par - ent - ly, and walk heart to heart and hand in hand.
joy and care, and live with a zeal that pleas - es heav'n.
gifts to God, and so shall his work on earth be done.

Bryan Jeffery Leech, 1976

SYMPHONY 11.11.8.6.8.9.
From Johannes Brahms, *Symphony No. 1 in C Minor*, 1876
Arr. by Fred Bock, 1976

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May Birthdays and Anniversaries

Dismissal

Alleluia! Alleluia! Let us go forth, walking in the love of Christ!

Thanks be to God! Alleluia! Alleluia!

Postlude

Upcoming Events

RES101

Gospel || Anglicanism || Membership

Friday, May 15th 6:30pm-9pm

Dinner will be provided

Saturday, May 16th 8:30am-12pm

Register:



Res 101 walks through the Gospel, the basics of Anglicanism, and how to become involved in a local church

ALL-PARISH

24-HOUR PRAYER



Friday, May 29 to Saturday, May 30
7:00am to 7:00am

Sign up in a group of three or find an individual opening.



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SUNDAY, MAY 24, 2026
11AM

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April 1-12, 2027

Zoom Q&A Sessions
Wednesday, May 6 at 7pm
Thursday, May 21 at 7pm

In Person: Sunday, June 14 after Worship

Register for a Q&A

More information

MARCH 2026 GIVING UPDATE

Income: \$141,624 | Expense: \$157,452 | Balance: (\$15,828) operational deficit

Fiscal Year (July 1 – March 31)

Income: \$1,318,744 | Expense: \$1,241,867 | Balance: \$76,876 operational surplus

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