



The Cathedral of the Incarnation

Garden City, New York

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Sung Mass

THE SECOND SUNDAY AFTER EASTER

*Page numbers in this leaflet refer to the red **Book of Common Prayer** (BCP). The Holy Eucharist Rite II begins on page 355 of the BCP. The hymns are sung from either the blue **Hymnal 1982** or the red and green hymnals **Lift Every Voice and Sing**, both of which are found under the seats.*

VOLUNTARY

PROCESSIONAL HYMN 182

Truro

OPENING ACCLAMATION

Presider Alleluia. Christ is risen.

People **The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia.**

THE COLLECT FOR PURITY

GLORIA IN EXCELSIS, S 280

Robert Powell

THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

Presider The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Presider Let us pray.

O God, whose blessed Son made himself known to his disciples in the breaking of bread: Open the eyes of our faith, that we may behold him in all his redeeming work; who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

THE WORD OF GOD

THE FIRST LESSON

Acts 4:27-32

When the temple police had brought the apostles, they had them stand before the council. The high priest questioned them, saying, "We gave you strict orders not to teach in this name, yet here you have filled Jerusalem with your teaching and you are determined to bring this man's blood on us" But Peter and the apostles answered, "We must obey God rather than any human authority. The God of our ancestors raised up Jesus, whom you had killed by hanging him on a tree. God exalted him at his right hand as Leader and Savior that he might give repentance to Israel and forgiveness of sins. And we are witnesses to whom you had killed by hanging him on a tree. God exalted him at his right hand as Leader and Savior that he might give repentance to Israel and forgiveness of sins. And we are witnesses to these things, and so is the Holy Spirit whom God has given to those who obey him."

Lector The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

PSALM 118

Antiphon by Paul Inwood /Chant from St. John's Abbey



Open for me the gates of righteousness; I will enter them; I will offer thanks to the Lord. "This is the gate of the Lord; he who is righteous may enter." (ANTIPHON)

I will give thanks to you, for you answered me and have become my salvation. The same stone which the builders rejected has become the chief cornerstone. (ANTIPHON)

This is the Lord's doing, and it is marvelous in our eyes. On this day the Lord has acted; we will rejoice and be glad in it. (ANTIPHON)

THE SECOND LESSON

Revelation 1:4-8

John to the seven churches that are in Asia: Grace to you and peace from him who is and who was and who is to come, and from the seven spirits who are before his throne, and from Jesus Christ, the faithful witness, the firstborn of the dead, and the ruler of the kings of the earth. To him who loves us and freed us from our sins by his blood, and made us to be a kingdom, priests serving his God and Father, to him be glory and dominion forever and ever. Amen. Look! He is coming with the clouds; every eye will see him, even those who pierced him; and on his account all the tribes of the

earth will wail. So it is to be. Amen. "I am the Alpha and the Omega," says the Lord God, who is and who was and who is to come, the Almighty.

Lector The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

SEQUENCE HYMN 205 (*stanzas 1 & 2 only*)

Gelobet sei Gott

THE HOLY GOSPEL

John 20:19-31

Deacon The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.

People **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

When it was evening of Easter, the first day of the week, and the doors of the house where the disciples had met were locked for fear of the Jews, Jesus came and stood among them and said, "Peace be with you." After he said this, he showed them his hands and his side. Then the disciples rejoiced when they saw the Lord. Jesus said to them again, "Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you." When he had said this, he breathed on them and said to them, "Receive the Holy Spirit. If you forgive the sins of any, they are forgiven them; if you retain the sins of any, they are retained." But Thomas (who was called the Twin), one of the twelve, was not with them when Jesus came. So the other disciples told him, "We have seen the Lord." But he said to them, "Unless I see the mark of the nails in his hands, and put my finger in the mark of the nails and my hand in his side, I will not believe." A week later his disciples were again in the house, and Thomas was with them. Although the doors were shut, Jesus came and stood among them and said, "Peace be with you." Then he said to Thomas, "Put your finger here and see my hands. Reach out your hand and put it in my side. Do not doubt but believe." Thomas answered him, "My Lord and my God!" Jesus said to him, "Have you believed because you have seen me? Blessed are those who have not seen and yet have come to believe." Now Jesus did many other signs in the presence of his disciples, which are not written in this book. But these are written so that you may come to believe that Jesus is the Messiah, the Son of God, and that through believing you may have life in his name.

Deacon The Gospel of the Lord.

People **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

THE SERMON

The Reverend Cameron Walker,
Curate

THE NICENE CREED

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only 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: by the power of the Holy Spirit he became incarnate from 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. With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified. He 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.

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Reader Let us pray to the Lord,
People **hear us, Lord of glory.**

THE PEACE

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

THE HOLY COMMUNION

OFFERTORY HYMN 209 (*ALL stand*)

St. Botolph

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

Presider The Lord be with you.
People **And also with you.**
Presider Lift up your hearts.
People **We lift them to the Lord.**
Presider Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
People **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

SANCTUS & BENEDICTUS: *Community Mass*

Richard Proulx

Ho-ly, ho-ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow-er and might,
 heav'n and earth are full of your glo-ry. Ho -
 san - na in the high-est, ho - san - na in the high-est.
 Blest is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho -
 san - na in the high-est, ho - san-na in the high-est.

EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER A

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THE LORD'S PRAYER

THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD

Presider Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us.

People **Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.**

AGNUS DEI

David Hurd

Lamb of God, you take a - way the sins of the world:
 have mer - cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a - way the
 sins of the world: have mer - cy on us. Lamb of God,
 you take a - way the sins of the world: grant us peace.

THE COMMUNION OF THE PEOPLE

All baptized Christians are welcome to receive Communion. If you would prefer a blessing instead, please cross your arms over your chest as you come forward. Gluten free hosts are available.

POSTCOMMUNION PRAYER *(said by ALL)*

Presider Let us pray:

People **Eternal God, heavenly Father, you graciously accept us as living members of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ, and you feed 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 EASTER BLESSING

Presider The God of peace, who brought again from the dead our Lord Jesus Christ, the great Shepherd of the sheep, through the blood of the everlasting covenant, make you perfect in every good work to do his will, working in you that which is well-pleasing in his sight; and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you, and remain with you always.

People **Amen.**

CLOSING HYMN 210

Ellacombe

THE DISMISSAL

Deacon Go in peace to love and serve the Lord. Alleluia, alleluia.

People **Thanks be to God. Alleluia, alleluia.**

VOLUNTARY

After a very busy Holy Week and Easter, the choirs have the morning off today. They will return next Sunday.

Announcements

Contemplative Prayer with the Community of the Incarnation – Join founding members of the Community Canon Kris Vieira Coleman and The Rev. Canon Adam Bucko lead a contemplative prayer under the moon on Tuesday, April 29 at 7pm. Details and registration link in our eNews.

Sing and Play Beneath the Moon – Join us for a casual evening of sing-a-long and play-a-long under the moon. Details and registration in our eNews.

Family Communion Class – April 27 – May 18, 10:15-11am. Please see our eNews for details and registration information.

Choral Evensong for Eastertide, under the Moon. Join us next Sunday, May 4 at 4:00 pm for an Evensong featuring the Cathedral Choir singing the anthem *Seek him that maketh the seven stars* by Jonathan Dove, the *Magnificat & Nunc dimittis in G* by Herbert Sumsion, as we close our Museum of the Moon exhibition.

Neighbors being Neighbors – Special thanks to all who donated items for Easter baskets and hands who filled baskets and served breakfast to our neighbors in Hempstead on Holy Saturday! We served 146 breakfasts and distributed over 100 children's Easter Baskets!

Creation Care Ministry Earth Day Event – “Fight for Earth” Day Retreat and Spring Festival on Saturday, May 3 at the Mercer School. Breakfast begins at 8:30am, and the program will begin at 9:30am. See our eNews for more information and to register.

Junior Beekeepers Wanted! – Join Cathedral Beekeeper Caroline Cosgrove to safely explore the inside of a honey bee colony! Learn the ABCs of honey bees and what steps you can take to protect our pollinators. This season we will be looking for junior beekeepers to help with hive inspections and honey processing, as well as junior gardeners to help maintain our new pollinator garden.

Help our Garden Grow – As we draw closer to spring, volunteers are needed to water the Cathedral's vegetable garden, which provides fresh produce to local households through the Neighbors Being Neighbors Ministry. To sign up or learn more contact Mo. Kate Salisbury, ksalisbury@incarnationgc.org.

Bread and wine for the month of April given in loving memory of our parents, Fran & Dan Siegmann on the anniversary of their passing by their daughters Ruth and Lorraine.

Weekday Masses – return this coming week on Tuesday through Thursday

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From the Brooklyn Bridge to Montauk Point
A house of prayer for Long Island