

St Andrew's Episcopal Church & School

The Celebration & Administration of
The Holy Eucharist: Rite II
for
The Fourth Sunday of Easter

21 April 2024 at 10:30 am

Concerning the Liturgy

This bulletin provides page numbers for *The Book of Common Prayer* (the book with the cross) and *The Hymnal 1982*. Hymns that are marked with "S" are found at the beginning of the hymnal. The italicized words are rubrics, or directions, to let you know when to stand, sit, kneel, and sing.

VOLUNTARY *The Good Shepherd* Dom Paul Benoit

THE WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Blessing of Birthdays & Anniversaries

Those celebrating birthdays and anniversaries are invited to come forward for a blessing prayed by the priest and congregation:

May God guard your joy and keep you in holy grace;
may God meet you in your celebration
and give you the Spirit's peace;
may God bless you and at the last,
bring you into Christ's everlasting Kingdom. Amen.

In Procession, a Hymn *Westminster Abbey* Hymnal 518
All stand and sing.

THE WORD OF GOD

The Opening Acclamation BCP 355
Gloria in excelsis Mathias Hymnal S-278

The Collect of the Day: *4 Easter*

BCP 225

O God, whose Son Jesus is the good shepherd of your people: Grant that when we hear his voice we may know him who calls us each by name, and follow where he leads; who, with you and the Holy Spirit, lives and reigns, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

The First Lesson

Acts 4:5-12

All sit.

The rulers, elders, and scribes assembled in Jerusalem, with Annas the high priest, Caiaphas, John, and Alexander, and all who were of the high-priestly family. When they had made the prisoners stand in their midst, they inquired, "By what power or by what name did you do this?" Then Peter, filled with the Holy Spirit, said to them, "Rulers of the people and elders, if we are questioned today because of a good deed done to someone who was sick and are asked how this man has been healed, let it be known to all of you, and to all the people of Israel, that this man is standing before you in good health by the name of Jesus Christ of Nazareth, whom you crucified, whom God raised from the dead. This Jesus is

`the stone that was rejected by you, the builders;
it has become the cornerstone.'

There is salvation in no one else, for there is no other name under heaven given among mortals by which we must be saved."

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

At the Gradual, Psalm 23

King James Translation

Said by all in unison.

The LORD is my shepherd; *
I shall not want.
He maketh me to lie down in green pastures; *
he leadeth me beside the still waters.
He restoreth my soul; *
he leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for his
Name's sake.
Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death,
I will fear no evil; *
for thou art with me;
thy rod and thy staff, they comfort me.
Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of
mine enemies; *
thou anointest my head with oil;
my cup runneth over.
Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days
of my life, *
and I will dwell in the house of the LORD for ever.

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son,
and to the Holy Ghost.
As it was in the beginning, is now, and shall be forever.
World without end. Amen.

The Second Lesson

1 John 3: 16 –24

We know love by this, that he laid down his life for us-- and we ought to lay down our lives for one another. How does God's love abide in anyone who has the world's goods and sees a brother or sister in need and yet refuses help?

Little children, let us love, not in word or speech, but in truth and action. And by this we will know that we are from the truth and will reassure our hearts before him whenever our hearts condemn us; for God is greater than our hearts, and he knows everything. Beloved, if our hearts do not condemn us, we have boldness before God; and we receive from him whatever we ask, because we obey his commandments and do what pleases him.

And this is his commandment, that we should believe in the name of his Son Jesus Christ and love one another, just as he has commanded us. All who obey his commandments abide in him, and he abides in them. And by this we know that he abides in us, by the Spirit that he has given us.

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

At the Sequence, a Hymn

Softly and Tenderly

LEVAS 101

All stand and sing.



1. Soft - ly and ten - der - ly Je - sus is call - ing,
 2. Why should we tar - ry when Je - sus is plead - ing,
 3. Oh! For the won - der - ful love He has prom - ised,



1. Call - ing for you and for me; — See, on the por - tals He's
 2. Plead - ing for you and for me? — Why should we lin - ger and
 3. Prom - ised for you and for me; — Though we have sinned, He has



1. wait - ing and watch - ing, Watch - ing for you and for me. —
 2. heed not His mer - cies, Mer - cies for you and for me? —
 3. mer - cy and par - don, Par - don for you and for me. —



Come home, Come home, come home, come home,

Ye who are wea-ry, come home! Ear - nest - ly, ten - der - ly,

Je - sus is call - ing, Call - ing, O sin - ner, come home!

The Holy Gospel

John 10: 11-18

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

People Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Jesus said, "I am the good shepherd. The good shepherd lays down his life for the sheep. The hired hand, who is not the shepherd and does not own the sheep, sees the wolf coming and leaves the sheep and runs away—and the wolf snatches them and scatters them. The hired hand runs away because a hired hand does not care for the sheep. I am the good shepherd. I know my own and my own know me, just as the Father knows me and I know the Father. And I lay down my life for the sheep. I have other sheep that do not belong to this fold. I must bring them also, and they will listen

to my voice. So there will be one flock, one shepherd. For this reason the Father loves me, because I lay down my life in order to take it up again. No one takes it from me, but I lay it down of my own accord. I have power to lay it down, and I have power to take it up again. I have received this command from my Father.”

Priest The Gospel of the Lord.

People Praise to you, Lord Christ.

The Sermon

The Rev. Clint Brown

The Nicene Creed

BCP 358

All stand.

The Prayers of the People

Lead your church into the way of love. Teach us to hear and follow your voice and your vision for the world. **Good Shepherd, call us each by name and lead us home.**

Guide those around the world who make decisions that impact the lives of individuals and nations. **Good Shepherd, precede us in the ways of justice and peace.**

Lighten the burden of those suffering loss, illness, and anxiety, those whom we know and love and those who are unknown to us. We pray for those on our parish prayer list, including Sarrah, Lynette, Gary, Sharon, Gary, Jeanne, Carla Mae, Louise, Ralph, Deborah, Sam, Karen, Susan, and David. **Good Shepherd, comfort them and shower them with your healing grace.**

We pray for those who have died, including Frank and Pam. Carry those who have finished their earthly journey into the next life and gently place them in God’s eternal embrace. **Good Shepherd, hold them close to your heart forever.**

The priest adds a concluding collect.

In keeping with both the rubrics in The Book of Common Prayer and the practice of the church, the Confession is omitted during the season of Easter.

The Peace

BCP 332

All stand. The Ministers and People may greet one another in the name of the Lord.

THE HOLY COMMUNION

Giving to St. Andrew's

To make a contribution to the ministry of St. Andrew's, please drop your offering in the plate or scan this QR code to give securely online.



At the Offertory, an Anthem

The Lord Is My Shepherd

The Lord is my shepherd : therefore can I lack nothing.
He shall feed me in a green pasture :
and lead me forth beside the waters of comfort.
He shall convert my soul :
and bring me forth in the paths of righteousness, for his Name's sake.
Yea, thou I walk through the valley of the shadow of death,
I will fear no evil : for thou art with me; thy rod and thy staff comfort me.
Thou shalt prepare a table before me against them that trouble me :
thou hast anointed my head with oil, and my cup shall be full.
But thy loving-kindness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life :
and I will dwell in the house of the Lord for ever.

Words: Psalm 23, tr. Coverdale

Music: John Rutter

At The Presentation, a Hymn

Lasst uns erfreuen

All stand and sing as the offering is brought forward.

Musical score for the hymn 'At The Presentation, a Hymn'. The score is written in G major (one flat) and 3/4 time. It consists of four staves of music with lyrics underneath. The lyrics are: 'Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise God, all creatures here be low; Al - le - lua - ia! Ale - le - lu - ia! Praise God a - bove, ye heavn' ly host; praise Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly - Ghost. Al - le - lu, - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!'.

Words: Thomas Ken (1637-1711); alt.

Music: *Lasst uns erfreuen*, melody from *Anuserlesene Catholische Geistliche Kirchengesang*, 1623; adapt. and harm. Ralph Vaughan Williams (1897-1958)

The Great Thanksgiving: Eucharistic Prayer B

BCP 367

Sanctus et Benedictus

Mathias

Hymnal S128

The Lord's Prayer

BCP 364

The Breaking of the Bread

Fraction Anthem

Plainsong

Hymnal S171

Agnus Dei

Mathias

Hymnal S165

All are welcome to receive communion in the Episcopal Church. At the altar rail, you may elect to dip (intinct) your wafer in the wine. If you desire to receive a blessing instead of communion, please cross your arms over your chest. If you would prefer to receive a gluten-free wafer, please clasp your hands together, and one of the clergy will offer a gluten free wafer to you. If you require communion be brought to you, please let the usher know.

At the Distribution, a Hymn

Resignation

Hymnal 664

Let Us Break Bread

Hymnal 325

The Post-Communion Prayer & Blessing

BCP 366

In Procession, a Hymn

Gelobt sei Gott

Hymnal 205

The Dismissal

BCP 366

VOLUNTARY

Choral Prelude on Gelobt sie Gott

Healey Willan



*Please join us for Coffee Hour in the Parish Hall on the 2nd floor, which
can be accessed by the stairs or elevator.*



The flowers on the altar are given to the Glory of God
and in celebration of DeAnna Bosch's birthday
by Michael Bosch.

To dedicate flowers, please sign up using the flower dedication list on our bulletin board.

ST. ANDREW'S PRAYER LIST

“Almighty and everliving God, ruler of all things in heaven and earth, bear our prayers for this parish family.”

Please keep these individuals in your prayers this week:

Sarra Moseley, *parishioner at St. Andrew's*
Lynette Edwards, *parishioner at St. Andrew's*
Gary Moseley, *parishioner at St. Andrew's*
Sharon Klander, *parishioner at St. Andrew's*
Gary Burton, *parishioner at St. Andrew's*
Jeanne Ingraham, *parishioner at St. Andrew's*
Carla Mae Richards, *friend of Michael Mergens*
Louise Ornelas, *mother of Margo Ornelas*
Ralph Ornelas, *father of Margo Ornelas*
Deborah Smith, *friend of Kay Lynn Jenkins*
Sam Hsu, *parishioner at St. Andrew's*
Karen Crenshaw, *sister of David Rennie*
Susan Peterson, *parishioner at St. Andrew's*
David Smith-Malbrough, *parishioner at St. Andrew's*

We pray for the repose of the soul of:

Frank Pineda, *father of Byron Pineda*
Pam Murphy, *sister of Priscilla Burroughs*

As part of their work the Daughters of the King offer prayers daily for those on our parish prayer list. If you would like to add someone to the published parish prayer list above, please notify Carrie Conti, Office Manager, at cconti@saecheights.org. If you would like your prayer request to be confidential, please let Carrie know.

Names remain on Parish Prayer List for four Sundays unless the request is renewed.

Parish Life & News

Parish Retreat Registration: The St. Andrew's family is invited to gather at Camp Allen May 10 through 12 for our annual Parish Retreat. For more information and how to register, please use the QR code that will take you to our website.



Youth Sunday: The youth group will meet today, April 21st at 5pm. See you there!

Faith and Film: Join us for a discussion of the 1999 science action film, *The Matrix*, on April 22nd at 7pm. Email lpuccio@saecheights.org for the Zoom link.

Weekly Voice: Are you receiving the *Weekly Voice* newsletter in your inbox every Wednesday? If not, you can easily subscribe to receive weekly updates and news from St. Andrew's by scanning this QR Code.



Church Nursery: The nursery is open from 8:15 AM to 12:15 PM for infants through 3 years.

Volunteer at St. Andrew's: To sign up to help with St. Andrew's partner ministries (including Lord of the Streets, Heights Interfaith Ministries Food Pantry, Meals on Wheels, St. Andrew's Garden, etc.) please scan this QR code. To learn more about our partner ministries please visit our website saecheights.org/community-outreach



Alcoholics Anonymous (AA): Meetings are offered at St. Andrew's every week. Primary Purposes Group meets Tuesday nights at 7:30 PM in the Parish Hall. Tradition 5 Group meets Wednesday nights at 7 PM in the Parish Hall. Friday Night Survivors Group meets at 7 PM in the Parish Hall. Al-Anon Group meets at 11 AM Saturday mornings in the Parish Hall. We are Not Saints Group meets at 7 PM Saturday nights in St. Andrew's House. For questions about these groups, contact the Rector at jgrace@saecheights.org



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