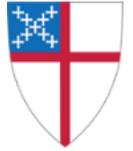




San Jose Episcopal Church



The Third Sunday of Easter

Holy Eucharist Rite II

April 18, 2021 at 9:30 a.m.

All are welcome at San Jose Episcopal Church

We welcome you to San Jose Episcopal Church, a traditional parish focused on the Holy Eucharist and the best of the Anglican tradition, which welcomes all people and embraces many points of view. Our commitment is to work, worship, and minister in the service of our Lord; and with the help of the Holy Spirit, we intend to live prayerfully and joyfully in each other's company. We welcome everyone who wants to join us on any part of this holy pilgrimage. Above all, know that we are blessed to have you worship with us.

For more information, please visit www.sanjoseepiscopal.com or you may contact an usher or member of the clergy.

About Worship in the Episcopal Church

If our liturgy (worship) is unfamiliar to you, we hope the information below will be helpful.

If you require help, please inform one of our ushers or simply turn to one of your neighbors in the pews, let them know you are a visitor, and they will gladly help.

Our liturgy is rooted in the practices of ancient Christianity. Everything you see and hear today, including the prayers, music, architecture, physical postures, and responses, hold deep meaning about our beliefs, and are intentional and outward expressions of our faith.

Responses spoken by the people are in bold.

Directions are printed in italics.

Families with children of all ages are welcome at our worship services.

There are many postures of prayer observed in the Episcopal church, usually standing or kneeling, but please do what you find most comfortable.

Restrooms are located outside of the main church entrance to your right as you exit.

About Receiving The Holy Communion

All are welcome to receive Holy Communion at San Jose.

During this period of social distancing, please approach the communion rail by row in family groups.

If you wish to receive a blessing instead of bread, cross your arms over your chest.

Please notify the clergy if you require a gluten-free wafer.

Prelude

In dir ist Freude

Theodore Beck

Entrance Hymn

Christ is alive! Let Christians sing

Truro

*Christ is alive! Let Christians sing. His cross stands empty to the sky.
Let streets and homes with praises ring. His love in death shall never die.*

*Christ is alive! No longer bound to distant years in Palestine,
he comes to claim the here and now and conquer every place and time.*

*Not throned above, remotely high, untouched, unmoved by human pains,
but daily, in the midst of life, our Savior with the Father reigns.*

*In every insult, rift, and war where color, scorn or wealth divide,
he suffers still, yet loves the more, and lives, though ever crucified.*

*Christ is alive! His Spirit burns through this and every future age,
till all creation lives and learns his joy, his justice, love, and praise.*

The Word of God

BCP 355

Celebrant: Alleluia. Christ is risen.

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

The Collect for Purity

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.**

Gloria in Excelsis

Glory to God in the highest, and peace to his people on earth. Lord God, heavenly King, almighty God and Father, we worship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glory. Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father, Lord God, Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us; you are seated at the right hand of the Father; receive our prayer. For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

The Collect of the Day

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

Celebrant: 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.**

First Lesson: Acts 3:12-19 *Please be seated.*

Peter addressed the people, "You Israelites, why do you wonder at this, or why do you stare at us, as though by our own power or piety we had made him walk? The God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob, the God of our ancestors has glorified his servant Jesus, whom you handed over and rejected in the presence of Pilate, though he had decided to release him. But you rejected the Holy and Righteous One and asked to have a murderer given to you, and you killed the Author of life, whom God raised from the dead. To this we are witnesses. And by faith in his name, his name itself has made this man strong, whom you see and know; and the faith that is through Jesus has

given him this perfect health in the presence of all of you. "And now, friends, I know that you acted in ignorance, as did also your rulers. In this way God fulfilled what he had foretold through all the prophets, that his Messiah would suffer. Repent therefore, and turn to God so that your sins may be wiped out."

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

Psalm 4 *Sung by the cantors.*

A HymnTune Psalter: *Noel nouvelet*

You have put gladness in my heart, O Lord.

Answer me when I call, O God, defender of my cause; *

you set me free when I am hard-pressed; have mercy on me and hear my prayer.

"You mortals, how long will you dishonor my glory; *

how long will you worship dumb idols and run after false gods?"

You have put gladness in my heart, O Lord.

Know that the Lord does wonders for the faithful; *

when I call upon the Lord, he will hear me.

Tremble, then, and do not sin; *

speak to your heart in silence upon your bed.

Offer the appointed sacrifices *

and put your trust in the Lord.

You have put gladness in my heart, O Lord.

Many are saying, "Oh, that we might see better times!" *

Lift up the light of your countenance upon us, O Lord.

You have put gladness in my heart, *

more than when grain and wine and oil increase.

I lie down in peace; at once I fall asleep; *

for only you, Lord, make me dwell in safety.

You have put gladness in my heart, O Lord.

The Second Lesson: 1 John 3:1-7

See what love the Father has given us, that we should be called children of God; and that is what we are. The reason the world does not know us is that it did not know him. Beloved, we are God's children now; what we will be has not yet been revealed. What we do know is this: when he is revealed, we will be like him, for we will see him as he is. And all who have this hope in him purify themselves, just as he is pure. Everyone who commits sin is guilty of lawlessness; sin is lawlessness. You know that he was revealed to take away sins, and in him there is no sin. No one who abides in him sins; no one who sins has either seen him or known him. Little children, let no one deceive you. Everyone who does what is right is righteous, just as he is righteous.

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

Sequence Hymn

Children of the heavenly Father

Swedish Folk Melody

*Children of the heav'nly Father safely in His bosom gather;
Nestling bird nor star in heaven, such a refuge e'er was given.*

*God His own doth tend and nourish, in His holy courts they flourish;
From all evil things He spares them, in His mighty arms He bears them.*

*Neither life nor death shall ever from the Lord His children sever;
Unto them His grace He showeth, and their sorrows all He knoweth.*

*Praise the Lord in joyful numbers, your protector never slumbers;
At the will of your defender every person must surrender.*

*Though He giveth or He taketh, God His children ne'er forsaketh;
His the loving purpose solely to preserve them pure and holy.*

The Holy Gospel: Luke 24:36b-48

Celebrant: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke.

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

Jesus himself stood among the disciples and said to them, "Peace be with you." They were startled and terrified, and thought that they were seeing a ghost. He said to them, "Why are you frightened, and why do doubts arise in your hearts? Look at my hands and my feet; see that it is I myself. Touch me and see; for a ghost does not have flesh and bones as you see that I have." And when he had said this, he showed them his hands and his feet. While in their joy they were disbelieving and still wondering, he said to them, "Have you anything here to eat?" They gave him a piece of broiled fish, and he took it and ate in their presence. Then he said to them, "These are my words that I spoke to you while I was still with you—that everything written about me in the law of Moses, the prophets, and the psalms must be fulfilled." Then he opened their minds to understand the scriptures, and he said to them, "Thus it is written, that the Messiah is to suffer and to rise from the dead on the third day, and that repentance and forgiveness of sins is to be proclaimed in his name to all nations, beginning from Jerusalem. You are witnesses of these things.

Celebrant: The Gospel of the Lord.

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

Sermon

The Rev. Joseph G. Hodsdon

The Nicene Creed *All stand and speak in unison.*

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 Form III

Leader: Father, we pray for your holy Catholic Church;
People: **That we all may be one.**
Leader: Grant that every member of the Church may truly and humbly serve you;
People: **That your Name may be glorified by all people.**
Leader: We pray for all bishops, priests, and deacons;
People: **That they may be faithful ministers of your Word and Sacraments.**
Leader: We pray for all who govern and hold authority in the nations of the world;
People: **That there may be justice and peace on the earth.**
Leader: Give us grace to do your will in all that we undertake;
People: **That our works may find favor in your sight.**
Leader: Have compassion on those who suffer from any grief or trouble;
People: **That they may be delivered from their distress.**
Leader: Give to the departed, especially Jerry Hanks, eternal rest.
People: **Let light perpetual shine upon them.**
Leader: We praise you for your saints who have entered into joy;
People: **May we also come to share in your heavenly kingdom.**
Leader: Let us pray for our own needs and those of others.
Silence. *The People may add their own petitions. The Celebrant adds a concluding Collect.*

Peace *All stand and greet one another in the name of Christ.*

Celebrant: The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People: **And also with you.**

The Holy Communion

Offertory

Day of delight and beauty unbounded

In dir ist Freude

Day of delight and beauty unbounded, tell the news, the Gospel spread!

Day of all wonder, day of all splendor, tell Christ risen from the dead!

Sing of the sun from darkness appearing, sing of the seed from barren earth greening, sing of creation, alleluia!

Sing of the stream from Jesus' side flowing; sing of the saints in water made holy; sing of salvation, alleluia!

Sing now of mourning turned into dancing, sing now the myst'ry, hope of our glory, sing with thanksgiving, alleluia!

Sing now of fasting turned into feasting, sing the Lord's favor lasting forever; sing all things living, alleluia!

The Great Thanksgiving

Eucharistic Prayer B

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Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

Celebrant: Lift up your hearts.

People: **We lift them to the Lord.**

Celebrant: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: **It is right to give him thanks and praise.**

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth. But chiefly are we bound to praise you for the glorious resurrection of your Son Jesus Christ our Lord; for he is the true Paschal Lamb, who was sacrificed for us, and has taken away the sin of the world. By his death he has destroyed death, and by his rising to life again he has won for us everlasting life. Therefore, we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

Sanctus *Said by all.*

Holy, Holy, Holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

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Memorial Acclamation

Celebrant: Therefore, according to his command, O Father,

People: **We remember his death,
we proclaim his resurrection,
we await his coming in glory.**

The Lord's Prayer *Said by all.*

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, for ever and ever. Amen.

The Fraction Anthem *Sung by the cantors.*

New Plainsong, David Hurd

*Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;
therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.*

Communion Hymn

Come, risen Lord, and deign to be our
guest

Sursum Corda

*Come, risen Lord, and deign to be our guest; nay, let us be thy guests; the feast is thine;
thyself at thine own board make manifest in thine own Sacrament of Bread and Wine.*

*We meet, as in that upper room they met; thou at the table, blessing, yet dost stand:
"This is my Body"; so thou givest yet: faith still receives the cup as from thy hand.*

*One body we, one Body who partake, one Church united in communion blest;
one Name we bear, one Bread of life we break, with all thy saints on earth and saints at rest.*

*One with each other, Lord, for one in thee, who art one Savior and one living Head;
then open thou our eyes, that we may see; be known to us in breaking of the Bread.*

Postcommunion Prayer

Priest: Let us pray. *All say together:*

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.

Blessing

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. **Amen.**

Dismissal

Celebrant: Let us go forth in the name of Christ. Alleluia, Alleluia.

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

Postlude

Truro

J. Wayne Kerr

*The altar flowers are given to the glory of God and
In loving memory of family members we have lost by Laura McGee and Don Dueling and
In loving memory of Colonel Bob Sorey, Dan Klein, and Gene Klein by Chris Sorey*

Prayer List

Member names in bold.

Bobbi Hanks	Rick & Gloria Ferry	Elaine Patrick
Elaine Nearon	Nan Hucker	Bender
Bobbie Clower	Jackie McKenzie	Joyce Moore
Cathe Gray	Burt & Marilyn Mendel	Clint Lancaster
Joanne Rumney	Lee Nimnicht Jr.	Sandy Hill
Roberta Miller	Anne Powell	Mark Hall
Patti & Roy Harvey	Dee Rea	Ari Jo Miller
Teresa Hall	Winnie Rowand	Valerie Chandler
Bette Loyd	Jon Wheeler	John Harrison
Beverly Shaw	Georgia	Kate Couier
Wendy Monger	Rud Bergfeld	Thomas & Patricia Myers
Nick Freyer	Larry Boon	Barbara Weddon
Nick Woodworth	Eleanor & Bill Coalson	Betti
Carolyn & Bud Tyler	Kellers	Hannah D.
Betty Dubovsky	Morgan Carroll	Nick
Sally Whitcomb	Wulf Brewer	Thomas Guest
Susan Arnold	J.D.	Will Dupree
Cheryl Peele	Larry & Mary Jane	Darrin
Nell Mincer McCubbin	McKnight	Luke Jarvis
Billie	Kami Harrison	Logan
Sandra Dean	Margaret Burson	Rick
Carol Johnson	Tom Dearing	Cobb Harbeson
Frank Green	Kellee and Chris	Lauren Packnick
Cheyney Johnston	Jeremy Yeagle	Jill Simone
Jane Gut	Peggy Sheppard	Bob
Robert Menger	Susan Joy	Jody Leiser
Joyce Deaux	Mary	JT Thorton
Bill VanAs	Gary Lintin	Bill
Auriel Rundle	Becky Stanley	Marianne Brooks

Charles Hughes
Bill Kent
Heather Hood
Ann Bachmann
Sybil Crawford
Barb Day
Helen Dean

Becky Sullivan and Kelly
Robert Harris
Sgt. Meghan Lewis Pollard
Frank Mazzucca
Emily Staples
Peggy Mankowitz
Matt Moehle

Emory Robinson
John E. Robinson
Chayton Bennett
Jewel
Judy Vanhillyer
Steve
Lisa

Birthday Celebrations

19 Rae Hood	19 Greyson Saleeba	19 Josh Trigg	20 Carol Britt
20 Beverly Shaw	22 Parker McGee	22 Landon Saoud	23 Sophia Bajalia

Anniversary Celebrations

20 Thomas & Lynne Barket	24 Ray & Jennie Szaltis
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