

SAINT ANDREW'S

Episcopal Church

May 1, 2022 · 10:30 AM The Third Sunday of Easter Holy Eucharist, Rite I

Alleluia! He is Risen!

A special welcome to all visitors. We are delighted you have joined us for worship!







Saint Andrew's is a parish of the Episcopal Church within the Diocese of Upper South Carolina. Over time, our identity as a parish has come to be defined by our commitment to worship in the distinctive splendor of Anglo-Catholic tradition, to witness through word and deed to the life changing implications of Jesus Christ's reconciling love, and to welcome unreservedly all God's children into Christ's Body, the Church.

If you are not familiar with Episcopal Church worship, we have tried to make our worship bulletin easy to follow. All of the prayers and responses for the congregation are printed in the bulletin. Page numbers that are prefaced by "BCP" reference pages in the red Book of Common Prayer found in the rack on the back of the pew in front of you. Hymns are referenced by hymn number and can be found in the blue Hymnal also in the pew rack.

As you depart worship, we hope you will enter your name and contact information in our **visitor's book** located on a stand in the narthex (the little room that you pass through on your way in and out of the main doors of the church). We would also love to have you join us for **coffee hour** in the Parish Hall immediately after the 10:30 AM mass. Thank you for blessing us with your presence!

Restrooms

are located on the first floor of the Parish House.

Use the door to the left of the church,

closest to the parking lot.

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Holy Eucharist, Rite I

Voluntary

Prelude on Easter Chorales from *Orgelbüchlein*1. Jesus Christ our Savior 2. Risen is the Holy Christ

J. S. Bach (1685-1750)

3. Dawning is that noble day 4. Today triumphs God's own Son

After the opening announcements, the ringing of the bell signals the people to stand for the beginning of the mass.

Introit (sung by choir)

O be joyful in God, all ye lands, alleluia; sing praises unto the honor of his Name, alleluia: make his praise to be exceeding glorious, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia. *Ps.* Say unto God, O how wonderful art thou in thy works, O Lord: through the greatness of thy power. Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost. As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

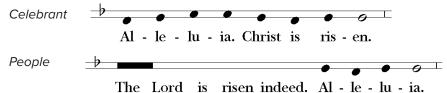
The Word of God

Opening Hymn, No. 213

Come away to the skies, my beloved

MIDDLEBURY

Opening Acclamation



Collect for Purity

Celebrant Almighty God, unto whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of thy Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love thee, and worthily magnify thy holy Name; through Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Gloria Hymnal S202 Healey Willan

Celebrant Glory be to God on high,

ΑII

and on earth peace, good will towards men.

We praise thee, we bless thee,

we worship thee, we glorify thee,

we give thanks to thee for thy great glory,

O Lord God, heavenly King, God the Father Almighty.

O Lord, the only-begotten Son, Jesus Christ;

O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,

that takest away the sins of the world, have mercy upon us.

Thou that takest away the sins of the world,

receive our prayer.

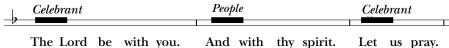
Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father,

have mercy upon us.

For thou only art holy; thou only art the Lord;

thou only, O Christ, with the Holy Ghost,

The Collect of the Day (chanted)



Celebrant O God, whose blessed Son did manifest himself to his disciples in the breaking of bread: Open, we pray thee, the eyes of our faith, that we may behold him in all his redeeming work; through the same thy Son Jesus Christ our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with thee, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

All A - men.

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First Lesson Acts 9:1-6

Saul, still breathing threats and murder against the disciples of the Lord, went to the high priest and asked him for letters to the synagogues at Damascus, so that if he found any who belonged to the Way, men or women, he might bring them bound to Jerusalem. Now as he was going along and approaching Damascus, suddenly a light from heaven flashed around him. He fell to the ground and heard a voice saying to him, "Saul, Saul, why do you persecute me?" He asked, "Who are you, Lord?" The reply came, "I am Jesus, whom you are persecuting. But get up and enter the city, and you will be told what you are to do."

The Word of the Lord. Lector People Thanks be to God.

Psalm 30 (sung by the choir)

- ¹ I will exalt you, O Lord, because you have lifted me up * ⁸ Then you hid your face, and have not let my enemies triumph over me.
- ² O Lord my God, I cried out to you, * and you restored me to health.
- ³ You brought me up, O Lord, from the dead; * you restored my life as I was going down to the grave.
- ⁴ Sing to the Lord, you servants of his; * give thanks for the remembrance of his holiness.
- ⁵ For his wrath endures but the twinkling of an eye, * his favor for a lifetime.
- ⁶ Weeping may spend the night, * but joy comes in the morning.
- ⁷ While I felt secure, I said, "I shall never be disturbed. * You, Lord, with your favor, made me as strong as the mountains.

- Anglican Chant: Gerald Knight
- and I was filled with fear.
- ⁹ I cried to you, O Lord; * I pleaded with the Lord, saying,
- 10 "What profit is there in my blood, if I go down to the Pit? * will the dust praise you or declare your faithfulness?
- ¹¹ Hear, O Lord, and have mercy upon me; * O Lord, be my helper."
- ¹² You have turned my wailing into dancing; * you have put off my sack-cloth and clothed me with joy.
- 13 Therefore my heart sings to you without ceasing; * O Lord my God, I will give you thanks for ever.

Revelation 5:11-14 Second Lesson

I looked, and I heard the voice of many angels surrounding the throne and the living creatures and the elders; they numbered myriads of myriads and thousands of thousands, singing with full voice, "Worthy is the Lamb that was slaughtered to receive power and wealth and wisdom and might and honor and glory and blessing!" Then I heard every creature in heaven and on earth and under the earth and in the sea, and all that is in them, singing, "To the one seated on the throne and to the Lamb be blessing and honor and glory and might forever and ever!" And the four living creatures said, "Amen!" And the elders fell down and worshiped.

The Word of the Lord. Lector People Thanks be to God.

The people stand.

Sequence Hymn, No. 255 We sing the glorious conquest before Damascus' gate **MUNICH**

The Gospel John 21:1-19

Gospeller

Glory be to thee, O Lord. People

Jesus showed himself again to the disciples by the Sea of Tiberias; and he showed himself in this way. Gathered there together were Simon Peter, Thomas called the Twin, Nathanael of Cana in Galilee, the sons of Zebedee, and two others of his disciples. Simon Peter said to them, "I am going fishing." They said to him, "We will go with you." They went out and got into the boat, but that night they caught nothing. Just after daybreak, Jesus stood on the beach; but the disciples did not know that it was Jesus. Jesus said to them, "Children, you have no fish, have you?" They answered him, "No." He said to them, "Cast the net to the right side of the boat, and you will find some." So they cast it, and now they were not able to haul it in because there were so many fish. That disciple whom Jesus loved said to

Peter, "It is the Lord!" When Simon Peter heard that it was the Lord, he put on some clothes, for he was naked, and jumped into the sea. But the other disciples came in the boat, dragging the net full of fish, for they were not far from the land, only about a hundred yards off. When they had gone ashore, they saw a charcoal fire there, with fish on it, and bread. Jesus said to them, "Bring some of the fish that you have just caught." So Simon Peter went aboard and hauled the net ashore, full of large fish, a hundred fifty-three of them; and though there were so many, the net was not torn. Jesus said to them, "Come and have breakfast." Now none of the disciples dared to ask him, "Who are you?" because they knew it was the Lord. Jesus came and took the bread and gave it to them, and did the same with the fish. This was now the third time that Jesus appeared to the disciples after he was raised from the dead. When they had finished breakfast, Jesus said to Simon Peter, "Simon son of John, do you love me more than these?" He said to him, "Yes, Lord; you know that I love you." Jesus said to him, "Feed my lambs." A second time he said to him, "Simon son of John, do you love me?" He said to him, "Yes, Lord; you know that I love you." Jesus said to him, "Tend my sheep." He said to him the third time, "Simon son of John, do you love me?" Peter felt hurt because he said to him the third time, "Do you love me?" And he said to him, "Lord, you know everything; you know that I love you." Jesus said to him, "Feed my sheep. Very truly, I tell you, when you were younger, you used to fasten your own belt and to go wherever you wished. But when you grow old, you will stretch out your hands, and someone else will fasten a belt around you and take you where you do not wish to go." (He said this to indicate the kind of death by which he would glorify God.) After this he said to him, "Follow me."

Gospeller The Gospel of the Lord.

People Praise be to thee, O Christ.

The SermonThe Rev'd Fr. Gary Eichelberger

After the Sermon, all stand and say together the words of the Creed.

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 Φ of the world to come. Amen.

Prayers of the People, Form VI

Celebrant Let us pray for the whole state of Christ's Church and the world.

The people kneel.

Intercessor In peace, we pray to thee, Lord God.

Silence

Intercessor For all people in their daily life and work;

People For our families, friends, and neighbors, and for those who are alone.

Intercessor For this community, the nation, and the world;

People For all who work for justice, freedom, and peace.

Intercessor For the just and proper use of thy creation;

People For the victims of hunger, fear, injustice, and oppression.

Intercessor For all who are in danger, sorrow, or any kind of trouble;

People For those who minister to the sick, the friendless, and the needy.

Intercessor For the peace and unity of the Church of God;

People For all who proclaim the Gospel, and all who seek the Truth.

Intercessor For Justin, the Archbishop of Canterbury; Michael, our Presiding Bishop; Daniel, our Bishop; Gary, our Rector; Tommy, our Seminarian; and for all bishops and other ministers;

For all who serve God in his Church. People

Intercessor For the special needs and concerns of this congregation, especially we pray for Bella, Bill, Charles, Concetta, Dick, Emma, Ephraim, Ginger, Jahnyah, James, Jane, Jim, Jodi, Joyce, Kelly, Ken, Kentrell, Leigh Ann, Margaret Lee, Marvin, Mary, Parker, Patt, PK, Ray, Russell, Sandy, Stacy, Steve, Weesie, and Winnie, as well as those whom you are invited to name now, either silently or aloud [pause for people to add names].

Additional prayers of intercession on behalf of the worldwide and local church are offered.

Hear us, Lord;

People For thy mercy is great.

Intercessor We thank thee, O Lord, for all the blessings of this life.

Additional prayers of thanksgiving are offered.

We will exalt thee, O God our King;

And praise thy Name for ever and ever. People

Intercessor We pray for \(\mathbb{H} \) all who have died, that they may have a place in thine eternal kingdom.

The people may add their own petitions on behalf of those who have died.

Lord, let thy loving-kindness be upon them;

Who put their trust in thee. People

The Celebrant then introduces the Confession as follows.

The Confession and Absolution

Celebrant We pray to thee also for the forgiveness of our sins.

A period of silence is observed.

Have mercy upon us, most merciful Father; in thy compassion forgive us our sins, known and unknown, ΑII things done and left undone; and so uphold us by thy Spirit that we may live and serve thee in newness of life, to the honor and glory of thy Name; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Almighty God, our heavenly Father, who of his great mercy hath promised forgiveness of sins to all those Celebrant who with hearty repentance and true faith turn unto him, have mercy upon you, pardon ₱ and deliver you from all your sins, confirm and strengthen you in all goodness, and bring you to everlasting life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Following the Absolution, the people stand for the Peace.

The Peace

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.

And with thy spirit. People

Then the ministers and people may greet one another in the name of the Lord.

Birthday and Anniversary Blessings

After the exchange of the Peace, the Celebrant invites those celebrating their birthdays or anniversaries to come forward. If anyone comes forward, the Celebrant invites the people to join in the following prayer.

Almighty and gracious God, we give thee thanks for each of these thy servants as they celebrate their ΑII special day. Watch over them as they begin another year, and give them grace to keep the vows and promises they have made. Bless and guide them wherever they may be; strengthen them when they stand; raise them up if they fall; comfort them when discouraged or sorrowful; and may thy peace which passes all understanding abide in their hearts all the days of their lives; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Holy Communion

After the opportunity for Birthday and Anniversary Blessings, the Celebrant says an Offertory Sentence and returns to the altar. Then, after the people's offering of bread and wine are brought forward, the people sit during the Offertory Anthem as the altar is set and other offerings are collected from the people. (An offering can also be made by placing it in the offering plate located on the table in the aisle by the font or online at www.standrewsgreenville.org/giving.)

Offertory Anthem

That Easter day with joy was bright (Hymn No. 193, v. 1, 3, 5)

Nikolaus Herman (b. 1560) setting by Carl Schalk (1929-2021)

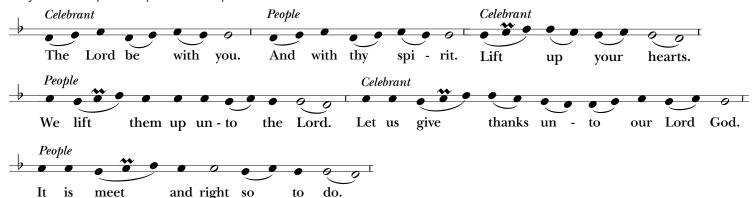
After the Offertory Anthem, the choir is censed. Then the people stand, are censed, and remain standing as the other offerings are brought forward and received with the following words.

Celebrant All things come of thee, O Lord.

People And of thine own have we given thee.

The Great Thanksgiving Rite I, Prayer II

The people remain standing for the opening of the Eucharistic Prayer, which can be found on page 340 in the Book of Common Prayer. The responsive portions are provided below.



Then, facing the Holy Table, the Celebrant continues

It is very meet, right, and our bounden duty, that we should at all times, and in all places, give thanks unto thee, O Lord, holy Father, almighty, everlasting God, but chiefly are we bound to praise thee for the glorious resurrection of thy Son Jesus Christ our Lord; for he is the very Paschal Lamb, who was sacrificed for us, and hath taken away the sin of the world; who by his death hath destroyed death, and by his rising to life again hath won for us everlasting life. Therefore with Angels and Archangels, and with all the company of heaven, we laud and magnify thy glorious Name; evermore praising thee, and saying,

Sanctus/Benedictus Hymnal S114 Healey Willan

All Holy, holy, Lord God of Hosts; heaven and earth are full of thy glory.

Glory be to thee, O Lord Most High. Blessed is he Hosanna in the highest.

The people kneel or stand as the Celebrant continues, speaking the Eucharistic prayer on behalf of the people (full text found on page 340 of the prayer book). As the prayer is concluding, the Celebrant chants the following, and the people respond with the Great Amen.

Celebrant By whom, and with whom, and in whom, in the unity of the Holy Ghost all honor and glory be unto thee, O Father Almighty, world without end.

All A-men.

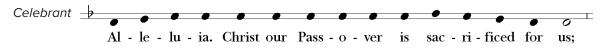
Celebrant And now, as our Savior Christ hath taught us, we are bold to say,

The Lord's Prayer Hymnal S119 Plainsong

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 Breaking of the Bread

The Celebrant breaks the consecrated Bread. A period of silence is kept before the following is sung





Invitation to Communion

After the Blessed Sacrament has been distributed to the altar party and the choir, all are welcome to come forward to the altar rail at the direction of the ushers. At the altar rail, all baptized Christians are invited to receive the Blessed Sacrament, and those who are not yet baptized are invited to indicate a desire to receive a blessing by crossing their arms upon arrival at the altar rail. (Our rector is always eager to speak with anyone who is not yet baptized about preparing for and receiving the sacrament of Baptism.)

For those receiving the Blessed Sacrament, a wafer will be placed in the palm of your hand or upon your tongue after which the chalice is offered. If you need a gluten-free wafer, you may request one from the priest at the altar rail. Should you wish to receive wine by intinction (dipping), allow the chalice bearer to take the wafer from your open palm and intinct for you. Should you be unable to manage the steps, please notify one of the ushers so that Holy Communion can be administered at your pew.

Communion Hymn, No. 186

Christ Jesus lay in death's strong bands CHRIST LAG IN TODESBANDEN

Postcommunion Prayer

Upon the Celebrant's invitation to prayer, the people kneel.

Celebrant Let us pray.

ΑII

Almighty and everliving God, we most heartily thank thee for that thou dost feed us, in these holy mysteries, with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of thy Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and dost assure us thereby of thy favor and goodness towards us; and that we are very members incorporate in the mystical body of thy Son, the blessed company of all faithful people; and are also heirs, through hope, of thy everlasting kingdom. And we humbly beseech thee, O heavenly Father, so to assist us with thy grace, that we may continue in that holy fellowship, and do all such good works as thou hast prepared for us to walk in; through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom, with thee and the Holy Ghost, be all honor and glory, world without end. Amen.

Easter Blessing

Celebrant 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 4, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be amongst you, and remain with you always. Amen.

After the Blessing, the people stand.

Retiring Processional Hymn, No. 460Alleluia! sing to Jesus!

HYFRYDOL

Dismissal

Let us go forth in the name of Christ. Alleluia, alleluia. Priest

Thanks be to God. Alleluia, alleluia. People

Voluntary Toccata on *Hyfrydol*

Gerald Near (b. 1942)

Thank you for worshipping with us this morning. You are invited to either take your bulletin home or to place it in the recycle bin in the narthex.

Announcements & Upcoming Events

NEW OFFERING ON WEDNESDAY NIGHTS IN **EASTER SEASON: Washed & Fed with Love: How** Baptism & Eucharist Teach Us Who We Are & What We Are Called to Be | Wednesdays at 6:30 PM (Healing Mass will move to 5:30 PM) | As we seek to return to a fuller experience of our life in Christ together, we have returned to the example of the early church - devoting ourselves to "the apostles' teaching and fellowship" (Acts 2:42) - through this opportunity to deepen our understanding of the "two great sacraments given by Christ to his Church" (Catechism, BCP 858). Thus, on Wednesday nights in Easter season, the Healing Mass has shifted to 5:30 PM so that, following the Mass, we can gather in the Parish Hall for an hour of fellowship and learning (with light supper provided) starting at 6:30 PM. (Choir practice will follow at 7:30 PM.) Please join us – sign up at www.standrewsgreenville.org/signup if you plan to attend so we can get a head count for food purposes.

Saint Andrew's Book Club | Today | Parish Hall | After the 10:30 AM Mass | We will discuss *The Lincoln Highway* by Amor Towles.

Newcomer's Gathering at the Rector's House Today | 5 to 7 PM | All newcomers, both recent visitors and new members, are invited to a casual get together with the vestry, Father Gary, and leaders of various church ministries, this evening at the Eichelbergers' house. If you would like to attend, but have not yet RSVP'd, please speak to Fr. Gary after mass.

Art in the Churchyard | Saturday | May 7 | 10:00 AM - 5:00 PM | Saint Andrew's will be sponsoring "Art in the Churchyard," featuring the artwork of Saint Andrew's artists and as well of local artists of all types of medium. This event coincides with Artisphere Weekend, which will take place on South Main Street ending at Wardlaw Street, one block from the church. Contact Riley Owens at wrileyowens@gmail.com for more information, or call the office at 864-235-5884.

Second Sunday Harvest | Next Sunday, May 8 | At Both Masses | For the month of May, our Mission and Outreach has decided to support the ministry of Greenville's Gift, in honor of Mother's Day. Please see insert for more information.

Next Rebuild Upstate Work Day | Saturday, May 14 Saint Andrew's Episcopal Church is once again teaming up with Rebuild Upstate to help create and sustain healthy, sustainable home environments for disabled, low-income, and elderly people in the neighborhoods surrounding our church. Any skill level and all ages are welcome. You may work for as long as your schedule permits on the work day. (Workdays have generally run from 8 AM to 4 PM in the past.)

Sign up at www.standrewsgreenville.org/signup

Save the Date! | Sunday, May 22 | End of School Year Monthly Youth Group Gathering | 5-7 PM | More details soon.

Volunteers Needed | Feed Thy Neighbor Has Resumed Serving Indoors | Founded in 2010, Feed Thy Neighbor is a cooperative effort of the Episcopal community in Greenville. Parish volunteers from Saint Andrew's, St. Peter's, St. James, and Christ Church feed the hungry each Saturday from 7:30 to 8:30 AM. At the onset of the pandemic, Feed Thy Neighbor suspended indoor seating and distributed brown bag meals, but recently they have resumed indoor gathering. As a result, we are seeking more volunteers to help serve and clean up. Please contact the office if you would like to volunteer.

Coffee Hour Has Resumed | We have resumed our regular coffee hour fellowship following the 10:30 AM mass. A sign up sheet can be found on the "Welcome" bulletin board in the Parish Hall or via online at www.standrewsgreenville.org/signup

Weekly Schedule

Sundays

8:30 AM, Low Mass, Rite II 10:30 AM, Sung High Mass, Rite I (also via livestream)

> Wednesdays in Easter Season 5:30 PM, Healing Mass, Rite II (new time for Easter Season)

Every Third Wednesday of the Month

5:00 PM Rosary in Church (in Easter Season)

Every Fourth Wednesday of the Month Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament follows Healing Mass

